

Your Tablet and You

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Linux: Advantages

- No viruses
 - No Adware/Spyware (Malware)
 - No Microsoft crap
 - Editable & customizable programs (Open Source)
 - Very few licensing issues
 - Easy to install many programs
 - Does not slow down
 - Multiple users – even same user multiple times
 - Web Development
 - Many choices available
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Linux: Disadvantages

- Different graphical interface
- Many choices available – can get lost
- No Microsoft Office (easily)
- A few licensing issues – Mathematica



Linux: Weird Stuff

- C:\ drive = /
 - Devices are mounted in /media/
 - Home directory located at /home/student/
 - Desktop located at /home/student/Desktop
 - Flash drives mounted at /media/disk but a link is automagically placed on the Desktop
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Linux: Workarounds

- No local license for Mathematica, so you have to be connected to the internet and VPNed into Mines to contact the license server
 - Working on a local license for Mathematica on Linux
 - Windows has none of these problems
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How to....

- Browse filesystem
 - Change and rearrange menus
 - Use handwriting recognition
 - Rotate screen
 - Use (and install) Partition Editor
 - Edit GRUB (don't do this often)
 - VPN into Mines
 - Get help
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