HSC Minimum Standards Online Test 2025

Year 10 students in 2025 will need to install NSW Educational Standards Authority's (NESA) LockDown Browser on their personal devices. If you have any problems, see the TSOs as soon as possible. They will not be able to help you at the last minute.

IMPORTANT: You must be an administrator to be able to install the LockDown Browser. If you only have user rights, please ask the administrator to install it for you.

Technical Specifications

- PC Windows 11, 10
- Mac MacOS 12 or higher
- Browser Chrome (recommended), Firefox, Edge
- NOT SUPPORTED iPads, tablets, Chromebooks

How to Install LockDown Browser – Windows

- 1. Click on link: https://bosho.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/Download/Docs/WindowsOS.zip
- 2. Save the file:

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5. Open folder and double-click on Respondus LockDown Browser Lab OEM.msi:



6. Follow the installation process:

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7. If the browser has been installed correctly it will appear in your list of apps and there will be a shortcut on the desktop:



NOTE: The browser will not be able to be opened like a standard browser, it will only work when used during the online test.

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How to Install LockDown Browser – Mac

- 1. Click on link: <u>https://bosho.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/Download/Docs/MacOS.zip</u> and **Save** the file to **Downloads** folder.
- 2. Go to Downloads folder and double-click on Install Respondus LockDown Browser OEM (x64c).pkg:

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4. If the browser has been installed correctly it will appear in the Applications folder:

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