Virtual Lab Horizon Client Install

The virtual labs at Stetson University can be accessed from anywhere in the world by going to vlab.stetson.edu. You will gain access to the common software library that our labs provide such as Microsoft applications, statistic packages, and many more.

For the best experience, we recommend you install the VMWare Horizon Client. Below are instructions for installing and configuring the software.

1. On your Android device, locate the Android “Play Store”, and open it.

2. In the search menu, type “VMWare Horizon Client”. Tap on the “VMware Horizon Client” search result.

3. Tap on the “Install” button to install the app.
4. After the VMware Horizon Client installs, locate the app on your smartphone screen and tap on the app to open.

5. When the “Horizon” app opens for the first time, press “Allow” twice to give the app permission to function on your phone.

6. In the server address field, enter “vlab.stetson.edu” and tap the “Connect” button. (Note: if you receive a certificate warning, you can safely ignore the message)
7. Tap the gear icon on the top right of the screen.


Security mode

This mode determines how the client proceeds when it can not verify that your connection to the server is secure. It is not recommended that you change this setting unless instructed to do so by your system administrator.

- Never connect to untrusted servers
- Warn before connecting to untrusted servers
- Do not verify server identity certificates
9. Tap the back arrow on your phone to get back to the main page in the Horizon app. Tap on the “vlab.stetson.edu” icon.

9. Enter your Stetson username, password, and tap “Connect”.

10. Tap on “Virtual Lab for Remote Access” to open the virtual lab machine.
11. The desktop will launch and you will be logged into a Windows Desktop. You have options at the top of the screen to launch full screen, toggle mouse options, and more.

If you have questions or problems using the virtual lab, contact I.T. at support@stetson.edu or 386-822-7217.