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Thread: [Buying a laptop for college -- help?](#)

Babz - August 13, 2017, 12:06 pm

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If I were you, I would go to [reddit.com/r/appleswap](#) and buy a cheap Macbook Pro. I bought a 2013 one for around \$500 (best specs possible) and that was an amazing deal. It's been 2 years and I am still using this thing everyday.

Travelers - August 14, 2017, 3:35 am

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MindOfLogic - August 15, 2017, 4:48 am

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