Course Instructor Computer Setup

Description

- As an instructor, it is important to have your computer setup so that is easy to see from a distance when projected in the classroom.
- If you are going to teach a Paratext Course, I recommend following the steps described here to setup your computer for teaching.
- Here are some suggestions to make that happen. These should work for ***Windows Vista***, ***Windows 7***, and ***Windows 8***.

Increase Screen Magnification

1. Go to the ***Control Panel***.
2. In the ***upper-right***, search for ***display.***
3. Click on ***Make text and other items larger or smaller.***
4. Choose ***150%***.
5. Click ***Apply***.
6. ***Logoff*** your computer.
7. ***Logon*** to your computer.
8. Test these settings on the ***projector*** you will be using, in the ***room*** you will be teaching.
9. If the text is too large from the ***back*** of the room, try ***125%***.

Increase Mouse Pointer Size

1. Go to the ***Control Panel***.
2. In the ***upper-right***, search for ***mouse.***
3. Click on ***Change how the mouse pointer looks***.
4. In the ***Scheme drop-down***, choose the ***Windows Standard (Extra Large)*** option.
    a. To avoid confusion, it is best to use a ***Standard*** scheme rather than ***Aero***, ***Black***, or ***Inverted***.
5. Click ***Apply***.