

Save money getting online —and shopping online

Nowadays, computers are considered essential home appliances. However, if the time it takes to start your PC is roughly equal to the time it takes for you to case your route—or even deliver it!—it might be a sign that it's time to consider buying a new one. And Union Plus can help you find the one that's right for you and your family.

Thanks to our membership in the NALC, letter carriers have access to a wide range of Union Plus benefits courtesy of the AFL-CIO's Union Privilege. For a quarter-century, this AFL-CIO buying program has flexed the combined consumer muscle of millions of union members to lower the prices on many top-quality products and services. Union Plus discounts are often extended to our loved ones, too.

Dell: Working with computer manufacturer Dell, Union Plus offers a 10 to 30 percent discount to union members and their families on selected products purchased through Dell, including desktop and laptop systems.

As an added bonus, select systems come included with the "Your Tech Team" support service. Your Tech Team provides U.S.-based customer service at a higher level than that offered through the regular Dell warranty service.

Members who have access to Your Tech Team service receive toll-free phone-based technical support from U.S.-based call centers 24 hours a day, seven days a week, with an average wait time of two minutes. You can even phone ahead and schedule a tech support call at a time that's convenient for you.

Visit dell.com/unionplus to see which computer systems come with Your Tech Team support included. The website also spells out in detail who qualifies for the Union Plus discount. Union members can also call Dell sales toll-free at 877-882-3355. When ordering, make sure you use member ID PS16626766.

Consumer Reports: Once your new Dell system is fired up and online, point your web browser to UnionPlus.org and find out how you can become a more savvy shopper with a little help from ConsumerReports.org.

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