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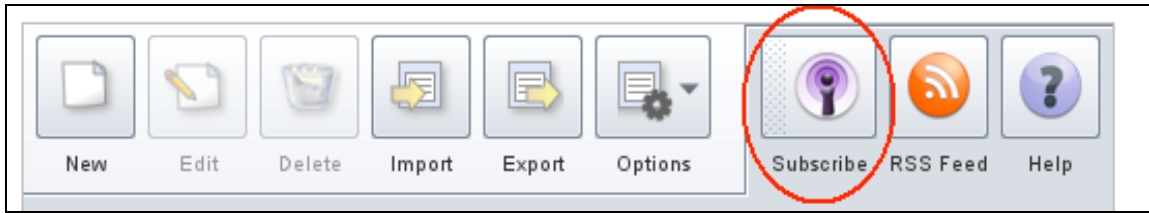
This document contains step-by-step instructions for using **Wimba Podcaster** in Blackboard. Specifically, it guides professors and students in subscribing to podcast feeds created in a **Wimba Podcaster** using iTunes. More precisely, we mean subscribing to a podcast in Blackboard using the iTunes software program. **NOTE:** When we refer to “iTunes” in this document, we mean the iTunes program, not the iTunes store or iTunes U.

Before proceeding, we recommend that you see our document [Preparing to Use the Wimba Voice Tools](#) to make sure that your web browser is configured to work properly.

Subscribing to a Podcast Feed Using iTunes

Individual podcast episodes can be played by selecting them in the **Wimba Podcaster** and clicking on the green play button. Subscribing to a podcast feed makes it easier to download multiple episodes at one time and to automatically receive new episodes when they become available. Follow the steps below to subscribe to a **Wimba Podcaster** feed using the **iTunes** program:

1. Download **iTunes** from the Web at <http://www.apple.com/itunes/download/> and install it on your computer. (**iTunes** is free and it works on both PCs and Macs.)
2. Go to the area in your Blackboard course where the **Wimba Podcaster** is located. It may be in one of the content areas or in **Communication**. (Students should review carefully instructions given by their instructors.)
3. Click on the name of the **Wimba Podcaster** to which you would like to subscribe.
4. The next step differs depending on the browser that you are using:
 - If you are using Internet Explorer, click on the **Subscribe** button.
 - If you are using Firefox, click on the **Subscribe** button. When asked to select an application, choose iTunes and click on **OK**.
 - If you are using Safari on a Mac, click on the **Subscribe** button and drag the button onto the iTunes icon on your computer.



A few seconds later, iTunes will open, subscribe to your class podcast feed, and download the most recent podcast episode that was posted.

5. In iTunes, click on the grey arrow to open the list of podcast episodes. Play the episode by double-clicking on it. Download other episodes by clicking on the **GET** button next to each one or the **GET ALL** button to download all available ones.

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