

Re: Upgrade from XP Home Edition to Media Center Edition

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OK, thanks for the info. At least I'm not going to have to buy too much equipment. So I need a new graphics card and a Hauppauge card (or similar)? Can anyone recommend one of the graphics cards that MS support for MCE 2005? According to the MS website the following are supported:

- ATI Mobility RADEON 9800
- ATI RADEON 9800 Series
- ATI RADEON X800 Series
- ATI Mobility RADEON X700
- NVIDIA GeForce FX5200
- NVIDIA GeForce FX5700
- NVIDIA GeForce FX5750
- NVIDIA GeForce 6600
- NVIDIA GeForce 6800

If anyone can recommend a model / make / manufacturer / amount of RAM / etc then I'd be grateful – don't want to spend a fortune for the top model but then don't see any point going for rubbish one either as want to be reasonable future-proof.

Thanks again
Rob