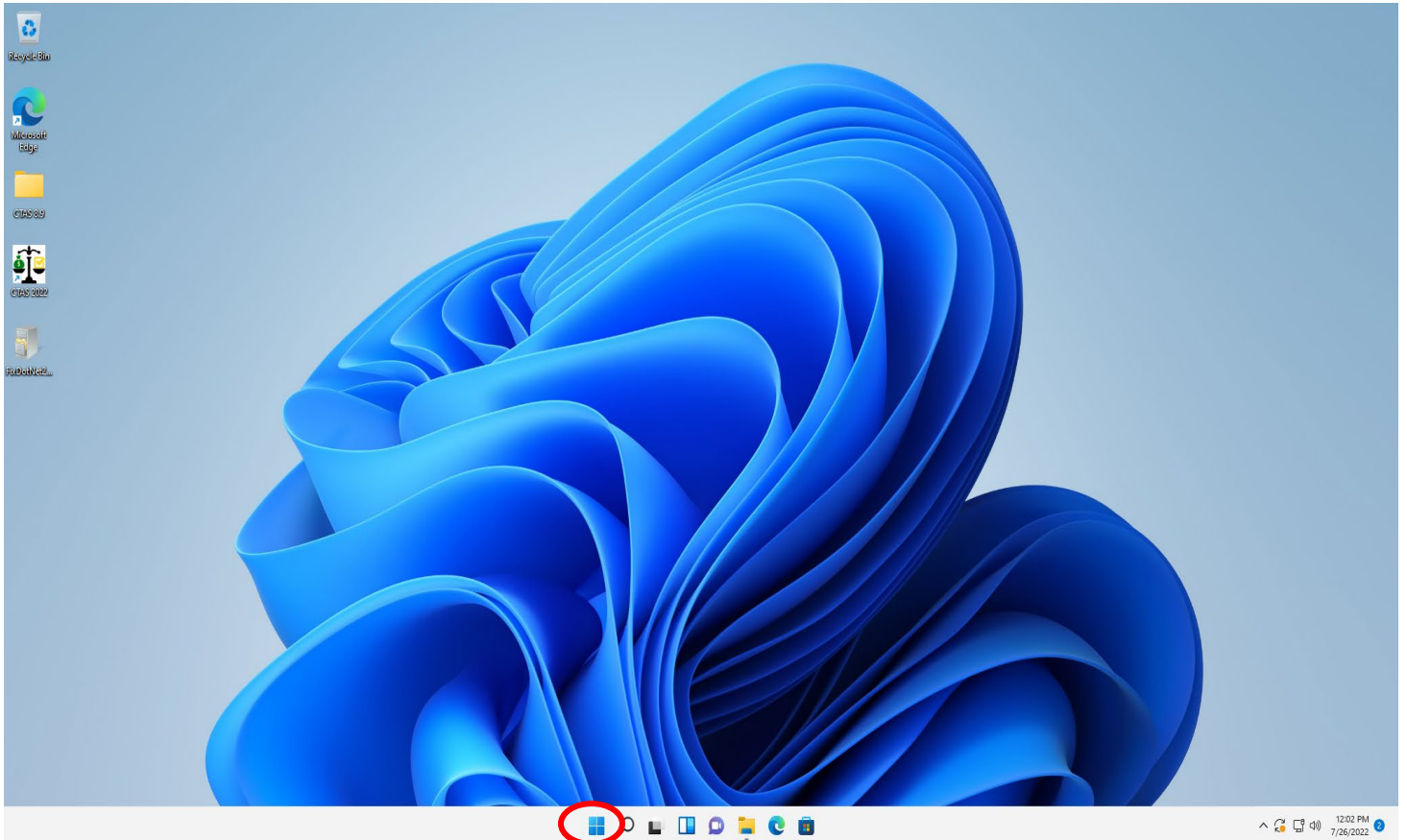


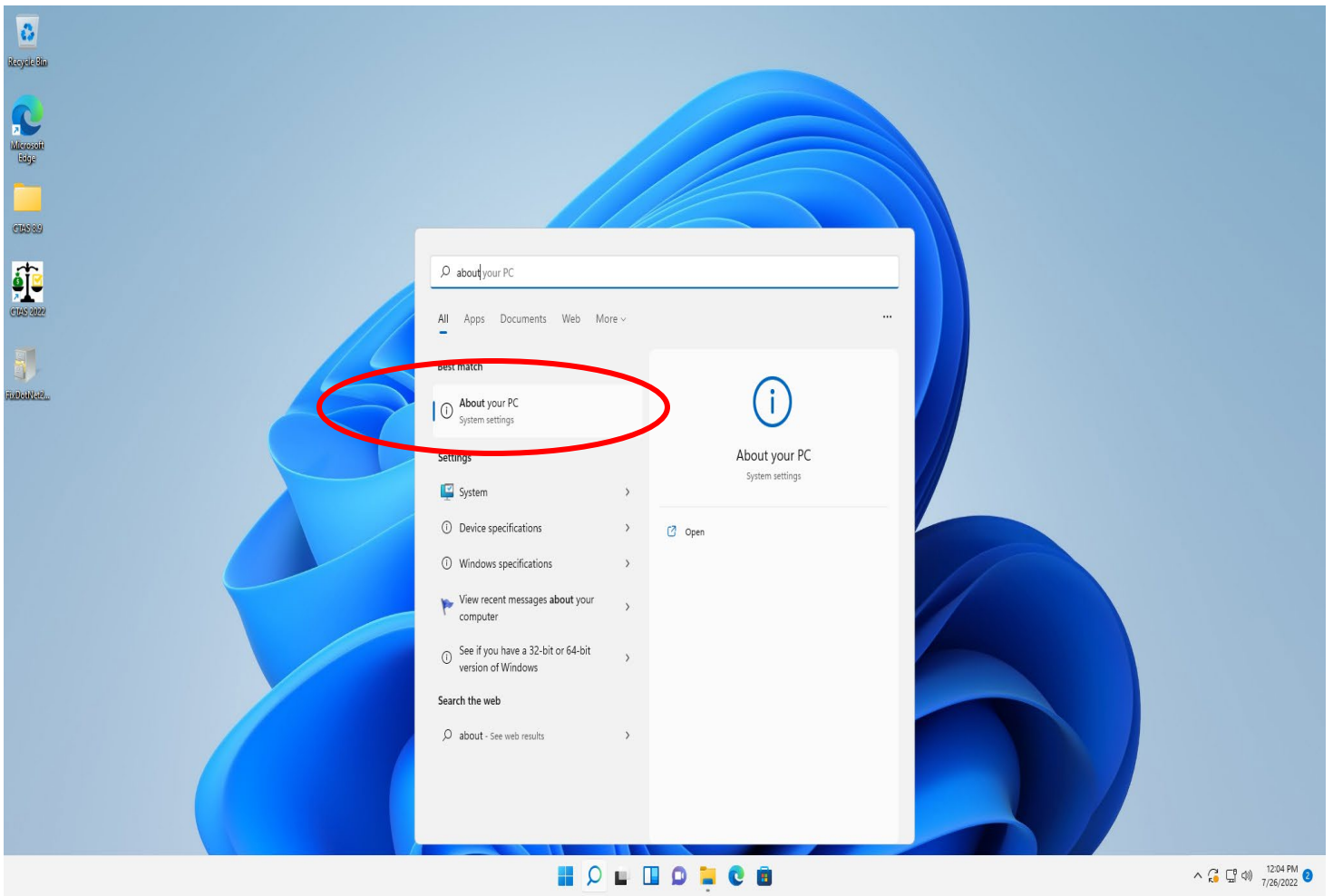
General Instructions for checking computer specifications.

Currently CTAS will run on both 32 and 64-bit operating systems. Starting with the 2024 version, **CTAS will only run on a 64-bit version of Windows**. The OSA recommends users check their computer specifications to see which system is being used and if an upgrade is required. If a 32-bit system is currently being used, it will need to be upgraded before the release of CTAS 2024, which will be over a year away, allowing users time to make a decision on a computer upgrade.

Below are instructions on how to determine a computer's operating system specifications.



On the desktop, locate and select the Windows button (circled) and type “About your PC”



The above box will appear, select the “About your PC” option.

The screenshot shows the Windows Settings application, specifically the 'About' page. The left sidebar contains navigation options: Home, System, Display, Sound, Notifications & actions, Focus assist, Power & sleep, Storage, Tablet, Multitasking, Projecting to this PC, Shared experiences, Clipboard, Remote Desktop, and About. The main content area is titled 'About' and includes a security notice: 'Your PC is monitored and protected. See details in Windows Security'. Below this is the 'Device specifications' section, which lists various hardware details. The 'System type' entry is highlighted with a red box and shows '64-bit operating system, x64-based processor'. Other specifications include Device name (45BFJH2), Full device name (45BFJH2.osaad.local), Processor (Intel(R) Xeon(R) CPU E5-1620 v4 @ 3.50GHz), Installed RAM (8.00 GB), Device ID (D855C011-B917-4CE7-9EB1-6D9AB21639E1), Product ID (00329-10330-00000-AA610), and Pen and touch (No pen or touch input is available for this display). Below the device specifications are buttons for 'Copy' and 'Rename this PC'. The 'Windows specifications' section lists Edition (Windows 10 Enterprise), Version (21H2), Installed on (6/2/2020), OS build (19044.1826), and Experience (Windows Feature Experience Pack 120.2212.4180.0). On the right side, there is a 'This page has a few new settings' notice, a 'Related settings' list (BitLocker settings, Device Manager, Remote desktop, System protection, Advanced system settings, Rename this PC (advanced)), and a 'Help from the web' section with links for finding out how many cores the processor has and checking multiple languages support. A 'Get help' link is also present at the bottom right.

Settings

Home

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Device specifications

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Installed RAM	8.00 GB
Device ID	D855C011-B917-4CE7-9EB1-6D9AB21639E1
Product ID	00329-10330-00000-AA610
System type	64-bit operating system, x64-based processor
Pen and touch	No pen or touch input is available for this display

Copy

Rename this PC

Windows specifications

Edition	Windows 10 Enterprise
Version	21H2
Installed on	6/2/2020
OS build	19044.1826
Experience	Windows Feature Experience Pack 120.2212.4180.0

This page has a few new settings
Some settings from Control Panel have moved here, and you can copy your PC info so it's easier to share.

Related settings

- [BitLocker settings](#)
- [Device Manager](#)
- [Remote desktop](#)
- [System protection](#)
- [Advanced system settings](#)
- [Rename this PC \(advanced\)](#)

Help from the web

- [Finding out how many cores my processor has](#)
- [Checking multiple Languages support](#)

[Get help](#)

This page will show your operating system (boxed). CTAS 2024 will need to have a 64-bit operating system (like shown above). If the System type is 32-bit, it will need to be upgraded to a 64-bit system.