

# How To Download Minecraft For PC

If you're wondering how to download Minecraft for PC, you've come to the right place.

Minecraft, one the best Xbox One games ever, can be easily played on a desktop computer. MINECRAFT The many benefits of downloading it onto your PC makes it worth it.

First of all, the best graphics cards for PC will make your computer look sharper and have a higher resolution. You also have a wide variety of controllers and mice to choose from, and you can even kick back and relax with wireless options.

There are two PC versions of Minecraft available to download: Minecraft Java Edition, or Minecraft for Windows 10 (commonly known as Bedrock). There are some significant differences between these two versions.

Although Bedrock doesn't have an updated combat system, it does allow for crossplay between PC and Xbox One or mobile plays - and has some content that Java doesn't.

Java does not allow players to play with each other, but Java is hosted on much more public servers, and boasts a large modding community. If you're not quite sure which to choose then we advise going for Java, as it includes a free copy of Bedrock with it.

Whatever your choice, let's see how to download, register, purchase, install, and then uninstall Minecraft in no time.

## How to download Minecraft on a PC

### How to download Minecraft on a PC: Visit the Minecraft website

First, let's talk about how to download Minecraft on PC. A large picture of Steve & Alex, overlooking a Minecraft World, should greet you.

Look to your left and you will see a green box saying "get Minecraft". Click on that.

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After clicking the button, you will need to choose which Minecraft version you want to download. The options here are computer, mobile, console, and others (yes, there are that many versions of Minecraft! ).

Clicking on the one marked computer' will take you to this guide.

Next, you will need to choose which version of Minecraft to download: the Java Edition or the Windows 10/Bedrock version.

If you choose the Windows 10 game, you will be taken to a Minecraft version-specific page with a "buy" button. Click "buy" to move to the Microsoft Store, where you can buy the version you want and install it immediately.

Note: If you are looking for Windows 10, you can get it now!

To download Minecraft in Java Edition for PC, click the button to the left. Once the page loads click buy.

How to download Minecraft on your PC: Register and Install

Windows 10 users are done, but there are still some things you can do to get the Java Edition.

After you click 'buy,' we will need to register a brand new account with an email address. Generic passwords don't work, so you can't use animal names.

Once you have completed all the fields, click'register' to open another tab and pull up an email inbox. You should have received a four letter code you'll now need to enter back on the Minecraft website to move on.

Enter the code in this box, and hit'verify' to get started.

Now, you will be taken to the purchase page. Now, enter your card details and double-check the amount at bottom. Finally, click the "purchase" banner at the bottom.

Wait for the page to load and you'll be jettisoned to the 'purchase complete' screen. Click on 'download for Windows' and a file named 'MinecraftInstaller.msi' should auto download.

Click on the file to install the game. Simply click on the file and it will install.

A new window should open (that's the Minecraft launcher), log in with your email address and password then click 'play'. You now know how you can download Minecraft to your PC.

Now just sit back as Minecraft Java Edition downloads and you can jump into a world of endless fun.

Looking for some Minecraft building tips for beginners? Check out our list! - (opens in new tab) - (opens in new tab)

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