

- From a virus-free Windows computer, [follow this link to download the latest free version of Malwarebytes](#)
 - Download Malwarebytes to a portable flash drive
- Disconnect your infected computer from the network and do not use it again until you have finished this process
- Enter Safe Mode and delete temporary files
 1. Click the *Start* button and press the **Power** button
 - Do not click anything
 2. Holding the **Shift** key, click *Reboot*
 3. In the full-screen menu, select *Troubleshooting*, then *Advanced Options*, and then *Startup Settings*
 4. In the next window, click the *Restart* button and wait for the next screen
 5. From the *Startup Options* menu, select option 4 (Safe Mode)
 - If you want to connect to online scanners, select option 5 (Safe Mode with Networking)
 6. To delete temporary files, type **Disk Cleanup** in the search bar and follow the prompts
- Scan for viruses and malware
 0. Download Malwarebytes onto your infected computer from your portable flash drive
 1. Run the set-up file and follow the prompts to install the program
 - Malwarebytes will automatically activate a trial version that enables real-time scanning
 2. Switch from the *Dashboard* tab to the *Scan* tab
 3. With the default scan option, *Threat Scan*, selected, click the *Start Scan* button
 - Be sure to check for updates before running the scan
 4. Review the results of the scan
 5. Click *Remove Selected* button in the lower left screen to remove infections
 - Restart your computer, if Malwarebytes prompts you to restart in order to complete the removal process
 6. Run a full-scan of your computer with your current antivirus program
 7. Save the scan logs as proof of removal
 - You must present scan logs as proof of removal so that your access to the network can be restored
 8. Restore your computer connection to the network