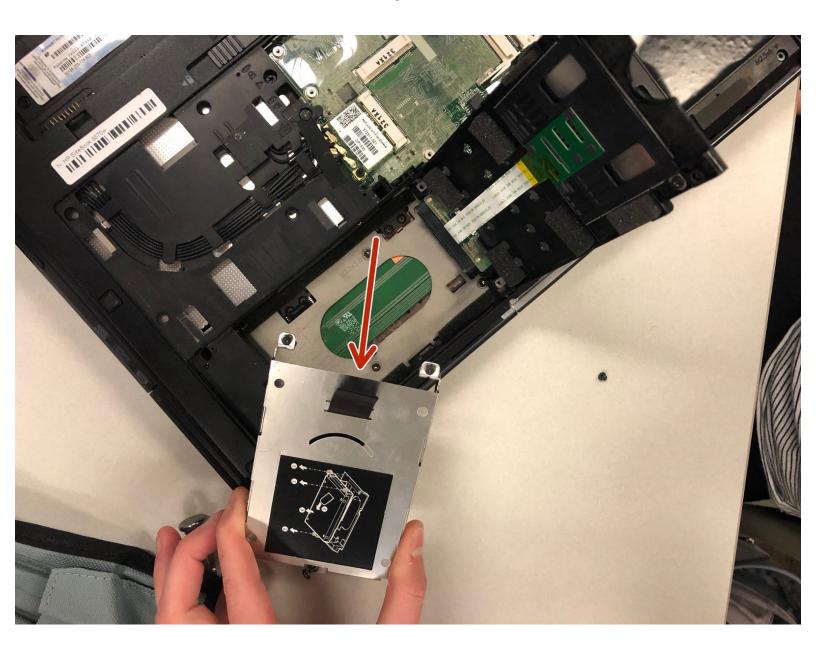


# **HP Elitebook 8570w Hard Drive Replacement**

A guide to explain how to correctly remove a hard drive from a HP Elitebook 8570w in order to place a new hard drive in its place.

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

This replacement guide will help you disconnect the hard drive from your HP EliteBook 8570w in order to replace it with a new/different hard drive. It consists of 6 relatively easy steps that should guide you successfully.



## **TOOLS:**

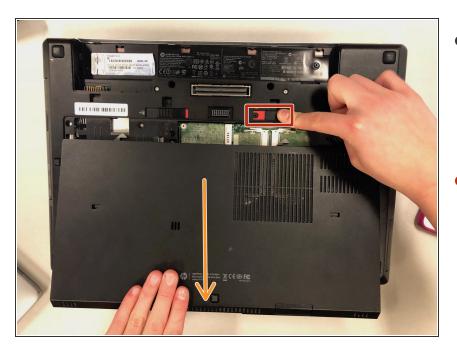
Phillips #1 Screwdriver (1)



## **PARTS:**

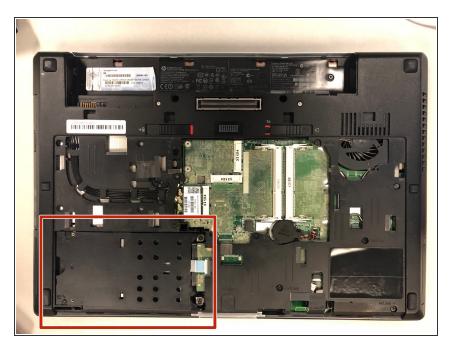
- 1 TB SSD / Upgrade Bundle (1)
- 250 GB SSD / Upgrade Bundle (1)
- 500 GB SSD / Upgrade Bundle (1)
- 2 TB SSD (1)

## Step 1 — Hard Drive



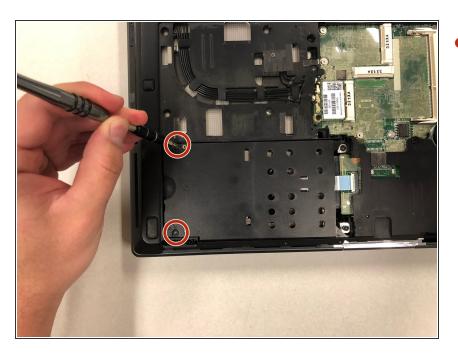
- To begin, you will need to remove the battery by sliding the left slider (red) to the left.
  - Push the battery away from you to release it.
- Then, use the right slider to remove the computer's backing (shown in image)
  - Slide the backing towards you to remove it.

# Step 2



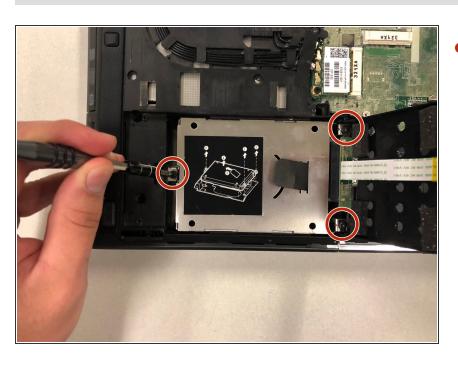
 Once the backing has been removed, you will be able to locate the computer's hard drive in the bottom left corner.

## Step 3



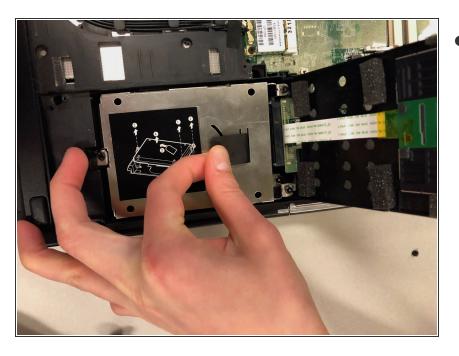
- To remove the hard drive compartment's cover, unscrew the two 0.8mm Phillips screws with a P1 Phillips-head screwdriver.
  - Open by lifting the left side of the cover so it is facing upwards and outwards.
- i The black screws, not the gold screws.

## Step 4



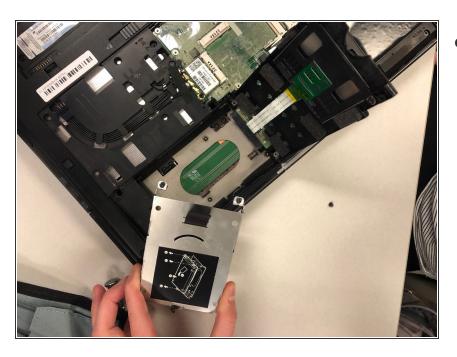
- Use the same screwdriver to loosen all three screws at the attachment points of the silver hard drive caddy.
  - i These screws do not need to be completely removed.

## Step 5



- To remove the caddy and gain access to the hard drive, pull the black tab up to release it from the caddy.
- Once you can grab the tab with your fingers, pull it to the left to disconnect the hard drive from the computer.

## Step 6



 The hard drive can now be replaced inside the caddy.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.