



HP 17-x116dx Space bar key Replacement

The space bar key main purpose is to conveniently enter a space between words during typing. This guide will show you how to replace the space bar key.

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 **TOOLS:**

- [Spudger](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Space Bar Key



- Locate the spacebar key.

Step 2



- At the edge of the space bay key use a spudger to help with the removal.

Step 3



- Slide the spudger under the spacebar key.

Step 4



- The left side of the spacebar key will start lifting up. At this point you can remove the spacebar key.

Step 5



- During this point you can carefully take off the spacebar key.

Step 6



- you will notice a metal bars along the rim these metal bars is what connects the bottom surface together.

Step 7



- Dust off any dirt that could be under there.

Step 8



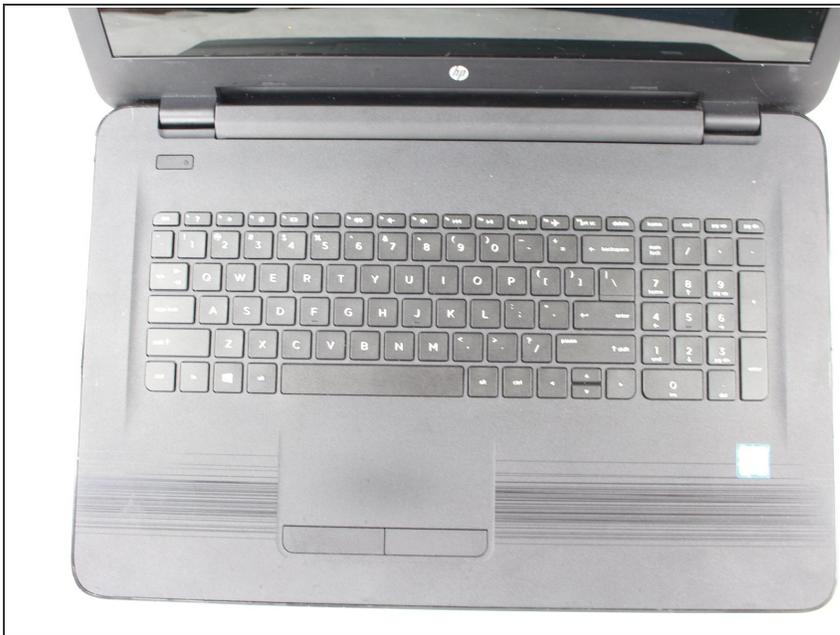
- The lower edge of the keyboard has two plastic notches on either side.

Step 9



- slide the bracket into the space below the spacebar to carefully place it back.

Step 10



- The Spacebar key will be working once you can press down and it will type a space.

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