INSTALLATION

Tools Required:

Flat Screwdriver

Difficuly: Moderate

Step One - Verify and inspect all materials are included.

Be sure your purchase contains the materials you've requested. This should include the key cap and butterfly hinge.





Step Two – **Identify butterfly hinge mechanism orientation.**



Apple has introduced a brand new hinge design for this model, which is very easy to install. To begin, identify the top and bottom of the butterfly hinge piece included with your key replacement kit. The side view image to the left depicts the correct orientation. The bottom side will face the keyboard, while the top will receive the key cap once installation is completed.

Make sure the hinge is also oriented with the small printed character code on the butterfly hinge toward the top (see below).

Step Three - Install butterfly hinge (if required).

There are eight small protrusions on the butterfly hinge that must be clipped into the keyboard to fully secure it to the unit. Begin by pressing one side into the corresponding holes. Once secure, gently stretch the butterfly hinge to the alternate side and press the remaining protrusions into their corresponding holes. The butterfly hinge mechanism should now very slightly pivot to allow installation of the key cap.



Step Four – **Install key cap and finalize installation.**

With the hinge now properly installed, simply place the correctly oriented key cap over the hinge mechanism and press down. If the key cap clicks into place, you're all done!

Congratulations! You've just saved yourself from an expensive and potentially time consuming fix!





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