**Windows Media Player (WMP)**

Get Windows Media Player <https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/help/14209>

More at <https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/help/17615/windows-media-player-12>

WMP has been included in Windows since Windows 7

DVD playback isn't included in Windows 10. Go to the [DVD playback for Windows](https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/help/10771) page to find out how to add DVD playback to Windows 10.

1. Click the **Start** button, type **features**, and then select **Turn Windows features on or off**.
2. Expand **Media Features** and see whether the **Windows Media Player** check box is selected. If it is, clear the check box.
3. Click **OK**and then restart your PC. This will remove your current version of **Windows Media Player**.
4. After your PC has restarted, repeat step 1.
5. Expand **Media Features** and select the **Windows Media Player** check box.
6. Click **OK**and then restart your PC. This will reinstall the latest version of **Windows Media Player** for your system (Windows Media Player 12, with a few exceptions).

Windows Media Player can play: Music, Videos, Pictures, and Recorded TV.

I created a video screen capture showing the process for extracting music from CDs (ripping).

View it at <https://www.fullbean.com/tutorials/wmp.mp4>.

WMP doesn’t offer an advanced editor for changing a song’s *tags*. Instead, the player edits them for you automatically from an online database.

You can rate tracks from within WMP by clicking the appropriate number of stars

To capture music from the computer, use **Audacity**

I demonstrate how at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-VemWC_2Jpg>