

enjoy

that's it! you have now joined the ranks of people running ubuntu – the world's leading free operating system

now you will want to know how to install programs, play movies, music and games

guess what?

we wrote another website for you containing all the information you could ever need!

help.ubuntu.com

if you have any problems with ubuntu you can get technical support over the internet for free from

answers.launchpad.net/ubuntu

ubuntu.com/support

there are thousands of free programs available at the click of a button from the add/remove programs menu

simply select the program you want, and ubuntu downloads and installs it for you!

why bother?

ubuntu doesn't get viruses

ubuntu runs faster and is more stable than Windows

ubuntu, and the programs that run on it are free

ubuntu runs on older computers that won't run windows vista

why is it free?

good question, after all there's no such thing as a free lunch eh?

ubuntu is sponsored by a company called canonical limited – canonical makes money by selling technical support to business users of ubuntu

people like us at ubuntu-uk.org volunteer their time to ubuntu because they believe everyone deserves to have a free, reliable and safe operating system!

why would you leave yourself open to attack on the internet, when fixing your computer is free?



lets fix your pc

there's a great replacement for windows out there called ubuntu, which you can download and install for free

with ubuntu, you can connect to the net safe in the knowledge that you and your family are safe from hackers, viruses and malware

best of all ubuntu comes with thousands of free software packages available for download – also free!

download

fire up your poor old PC, connect to the internet and visit ubuntu.com/getubuntu

click on the 'download now' link and then the 'start download' button

now go make a cuppa – this may take some time!

if you're on a really slow connection then you might want to order a cd instead of downloading – it's still free! just visit ubuntu.com/getubuntu



burn

ok, so you've downloaded ubuntu to your computer, so now you need to put it onto a cd

if you don't know how to do this, it's ok we've created a webpage to help you

it's internet time again!

visit

help.ubuntu.com/community/BurningIsoHowto

install

simply put the cd into your computer and reboot it

select 'install or start ubuntu'

wait for a few minutes...

what loads is a demo of what ubuntu will be like when it's installed (although the demo mode is a lot slower than the real thing)

install ubuntu to your hard drive by double clicking the install icon on the desktop and answering a couple of questions

a little while later it's done!

