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Showname: Security+ \ (SY0-601\)

Topic: Threats, Attacks and Vulnerabilities

Episode: Malware

Learner Objectives:

Given a scenario, analyze potential indicators to determine the type of attack.

Description: In this episode, the viewer will dive into the world of malware as we compare and contrast the most common malware types such as worms, trojans, rootkits, ransomware bots and more.

* Malware \ (What is it?)

- + Virus

- + Virus Types

- Macro
- Boot-sector
- Attachment
- File Infector
- Polymorphic
- Network

- + Worms

- + Fileless

- + RootKit

- + Keyloggers

- + Backdoors

- Demo creating a user in Active Directory

- + Keyloggers

- Can be installed by most of these malware types
- Could be a byproduct of malware attack

- + Ransomware

- Victims have to pay for attackers to gain money
- [Cryptomalware] - Does not require a response from the victim or

payment for attackers to make money

- + Bots

- + Botnets

- + Command and control

- [Bots]

- + Trojan

+ Potentially unwanted programs (PUPs)

[Fileless virus]:<https://www.mcafee.com/enterprise/en-us/security-awareness/ransomware/what-is-fileless-malware.html>

[Bots]:<https://us.norton.com/internetsecurity-malware-what-are-bots.html#:~:text=Malicious%20bots%20are%20defined%20as,compromised%20computers%20and%20similar%20devices>.

[Cryptomalware]:<https://www.lastline.com/blog/crypto-malware-a-look-at-the-latest-malware-threat/>

[#:~:text=Ransomware%20requires%20that%20someone%20pay,and%20may%20never%20be%20noticed](https://www.lastline.com/blog/crypto-malware-a-look-at-the-latest-malware-threat/).