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TECHNOLOGY TIPS OF THE WEEK

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"Mistakes are proof that you are trying"

—Anonymous

Windows Tip—Changing Thickness of Cursor

Changing cursor thickness is useful if you have difficulty seeing the blinking cursor when typing.

1. Begin by clicking the "Start" icon at the bottom-left of the screen; in the pop-up menu, select "Control Panel".
2. In the next menu, select "Ease of Access".
3. Under "Ease of Access Center", select "Optimize visual display".
4. Scroll down and find the section that says "Make things on the screen easier to see".
5. Click on the number (see right) to open a drop-down menu. After selecting a thickness, click "Apply".

Make things on the screen easier to see
Adjust the color and transparency of the window borders
Fine tune display effects

☐ Make the focus rectangle thicker

Set the thickness of the blinking cursor: 10 ▾   Preview: ▮

☐ Turn off all unnecessary animations (when possible)

☐ Remove background images (where available)

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iPhone/iPad Tip—Get Visual Alerts

You can turn on "LED Flash for Alerts" to give you a visual notification while your device is locked.

1. Open the "Settings" app from the home screen.
2. Click on "General".
3. In the following menu, select "Accessibility".
4. Scroll down and find "LED Flash for Alerts".
5. Click on the button to turn the function on (a green button means the functions is on).

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❮ General   **Accessibility**

HEARING

Hearing Aids   ❯

LED Flash for Alerts   🟢

Mono Audio   ⚪

Phone Noise Cancellation   🟢

Noise cancellation reduces ambient noise on phone calls when you are holding the receiver to your ear.

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Adjust the audio volume balance between left and right channels.

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