

# Distro Unistallation

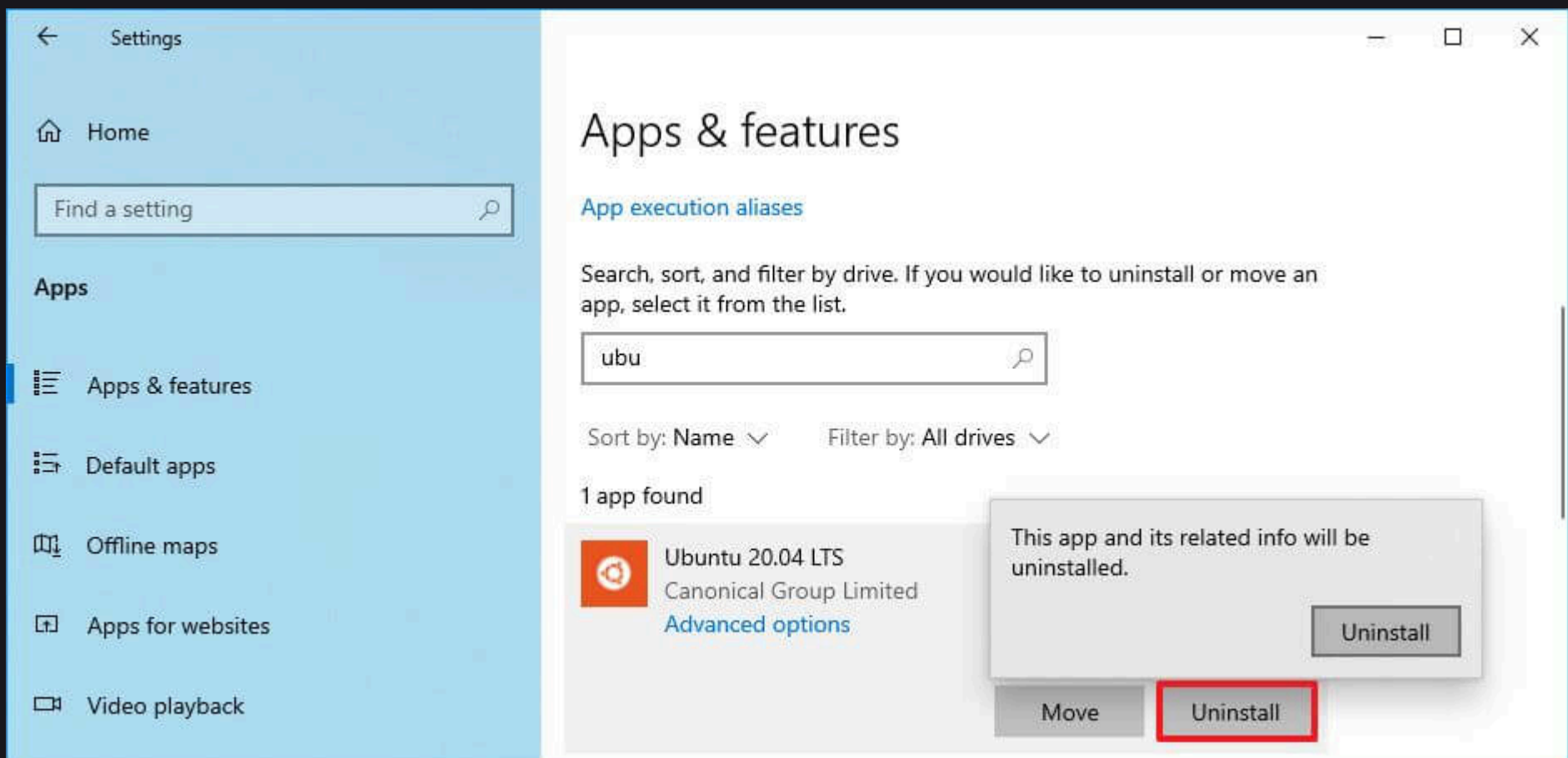
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The uninstall process of the Windows Subsystem for Linux 2 requires multiple steps, including removing the distro, kernel update, and other components.

## Step 1: Uninstall Linux distros from WSL2

To uninstall a distro of Linux, use these steps:

- Open Settings on Windows 10.
- Click on Apps.
- Click on Apps & features.
- Select the distribution of Linux and click the Uninstall button.



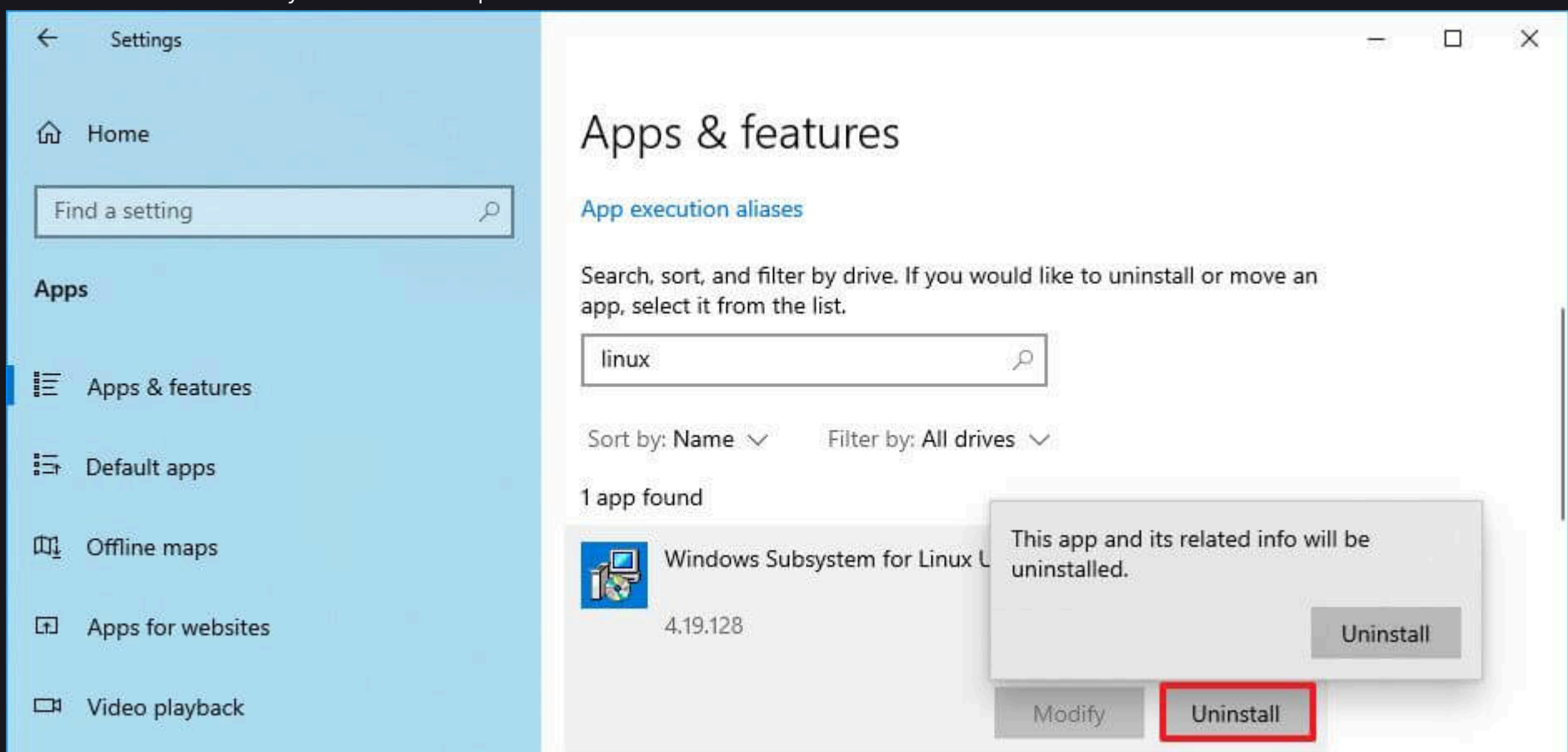
- Click the Uninstall button again.

Note: Once you complete the steps, you may need to repeat the steps to continue removing additional distros as required.

## Step two: Uninstall Windows Subsystem for Linux update

To uninstall the WSL 2 Linux kernel update, use these steps:

- Open Settings.
- Click on Apps.
- Click on Apps & features.
- Select the Windows Subsystem for Linux update item and click the Uninstall button.



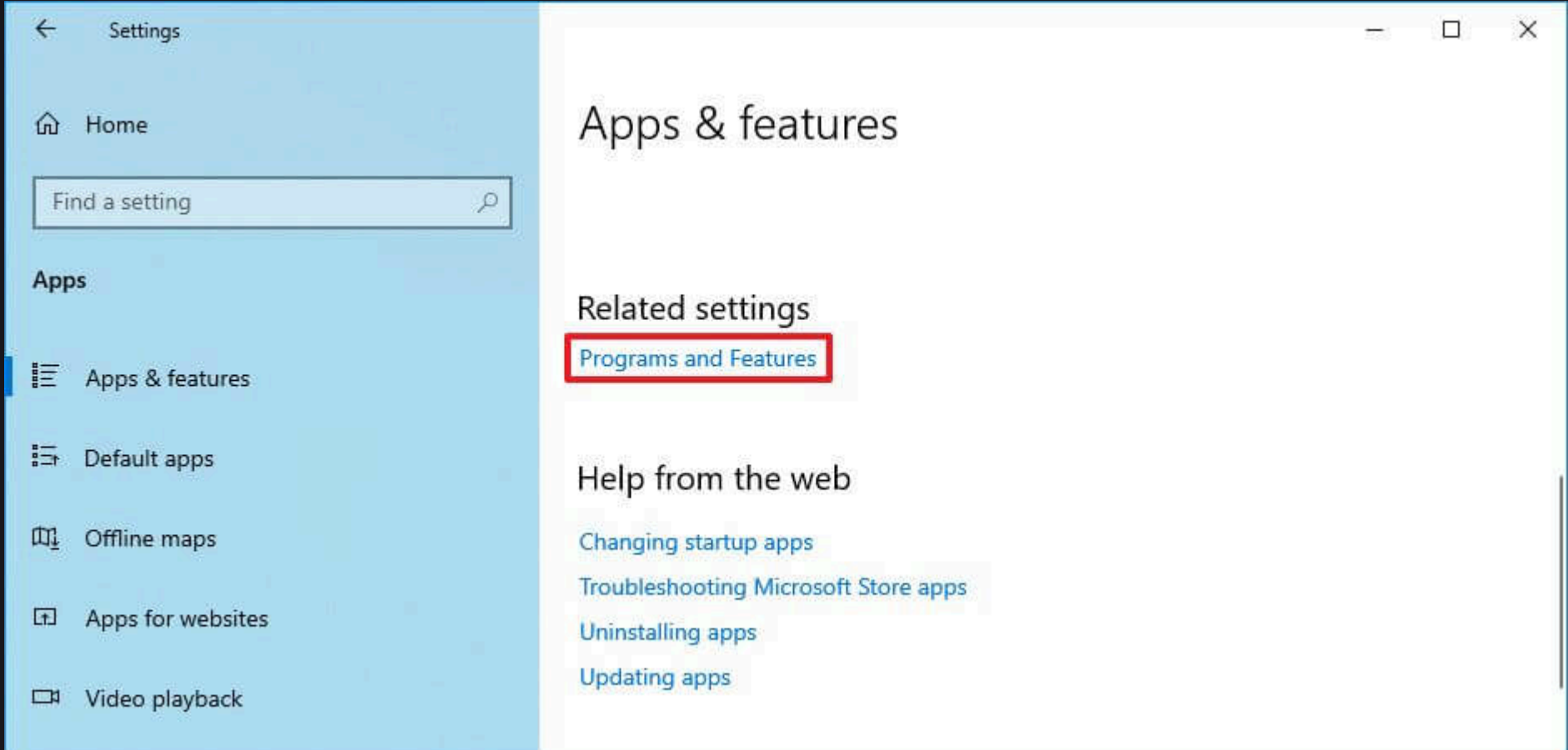
- Click the Uninstall button again.

After you complete the steps, you can remove the remaining components.

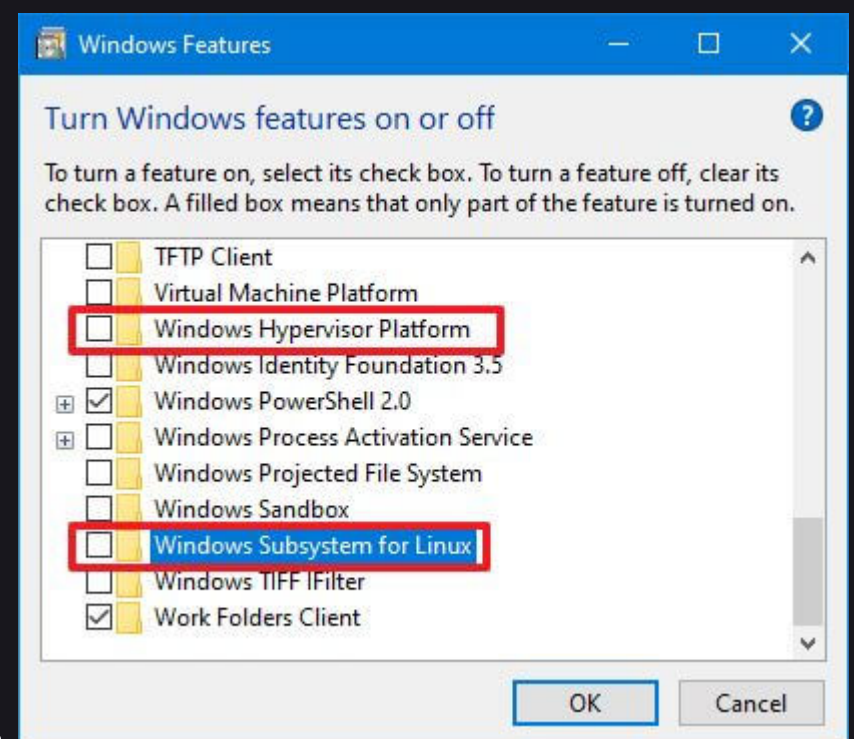
## Step three: Uninstall WSL2 components

To disable the Windows Subsystem for Linux components, use these steps:

- Open Settings.
- Click on Apps.
- Click on Apps & features.
- Under the “Related settings” section, click the Programs and Features option from the right side.



- Click the Turn Windows features on or off option.



- Clear the Virtual Machine Platform option and Windows Subsystem for Linux option.
- Click the OK button.
- Click the Restart now button.

Once you complete the steps, the Windows Subsystem for Linux will be completely uninstalled from your computer.