

Module 3

Malware

Malware can be compared to the pea in the shell game.

Type of malware

- Virus
- Trojan
- Worm
- Spyware
- Ransomware
- Rootkit

Symptoms of malware infection

- Slow system
- Pop Ups
- Unexpected system crashes
- Excessive and suspicious hard drive activity
- Antivirus Disabling
- New browser home bar or toolbar
- Random network activity
- Blacklisted IP address

How does antivirus work

- Scanning
- Integrity Checking

Choosing the right antivirus software

- Compatibility
- Usability
- Comprehensive Protection
- Quality of Protection