**Windows** is the computer operating system from **Microsoft**. It has been around since 1985 and is pre-installed on many PCs. It allows you to interact with your computer, surf the web, play games, send emails, watch videos, process words, and more. [With a market share of more than 60%, it is the most used desktop operating system in the world, ahead of macOS and Linux1](https://softwarelab.org/blog/what-is-windows/).

Here are **five free resources** where you can learn more about Windows:

1. [**Windows Learning Center**](https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/learning-center): Explore helpful tips, tricks, and tools for everyday tasks related to Windows, whether you’re working, gaming, or browsing[2](https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/learning-center).
2. [**GCFGlobal Windows Basics Tutorial**](https://edu.gcfglobal.org/en/windowsbasics/): Learn about the Windows operating system, navigation, and working with files[3](https://edu.gcfglobal.org/en/windowsbasics/).
3. [**Microsoft Learn**](https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/): Discover a wide range of technology skills, including Windows, Azure, Office, and more. [Explore learning paths, modules, and courses](https://softwarelab.org/blog/what-is-windows/)[4](https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/).
4. [**Microsoft Learn Educator Center**](https://educationblog.microsoft.com/en-us/2021/12/introducing-microsoft-learn-educator-center): A resource beyond the Microsoft Educator Center, providing content and experiences for professional development and training[5](https://educationblog.microsoft.com/en-us/2021/12/introducing-microsoft-learn-educator-center).
5. [**Virtual Training Days**](https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-learn): Participate in free Virtual Training Days to build technical skills across various topics and technologies[6](https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-learn).

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