

Downloading Skype on a computer or laptop



Skype is a **free video call** service.

You can also **turn off the video** and use it like a **phone**.

You can **use Skype** to:

- Make a **video call**
- Share a **presentation**
- Share **picture** or **documents**.

You will need:

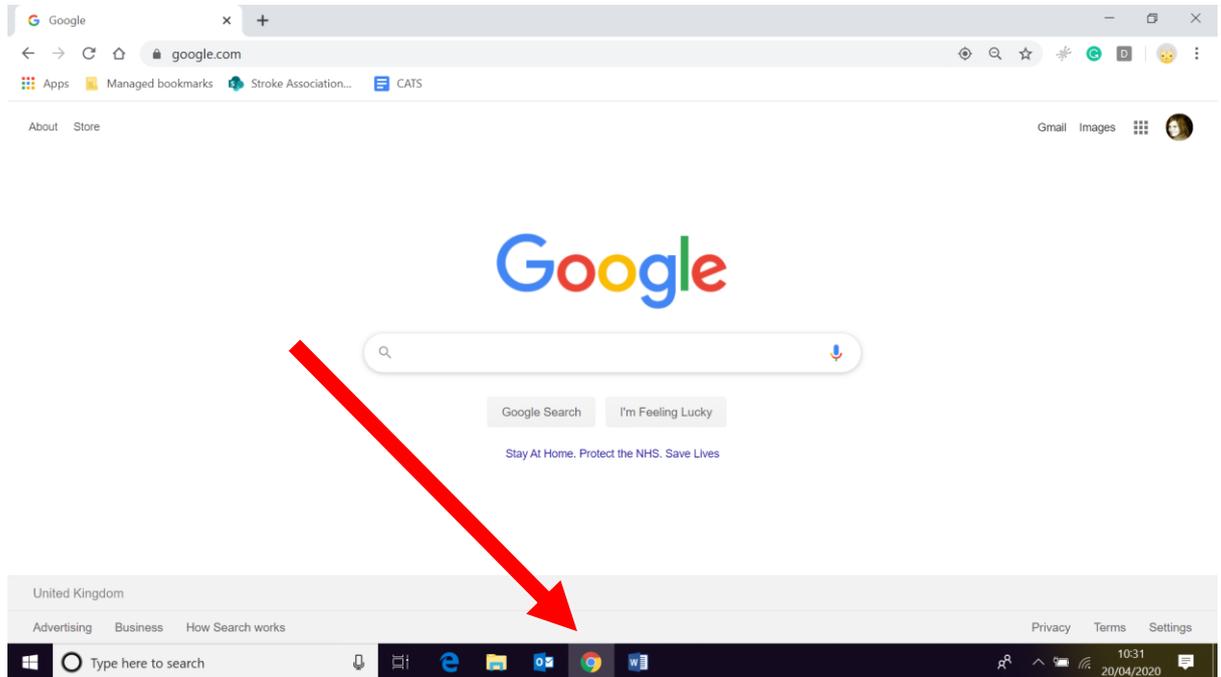
- A **computer** or **laptop**
- Your device needs a **working microphone** and **camera**
- An **internet** connection or **mobile data**



Download Skype on your computer

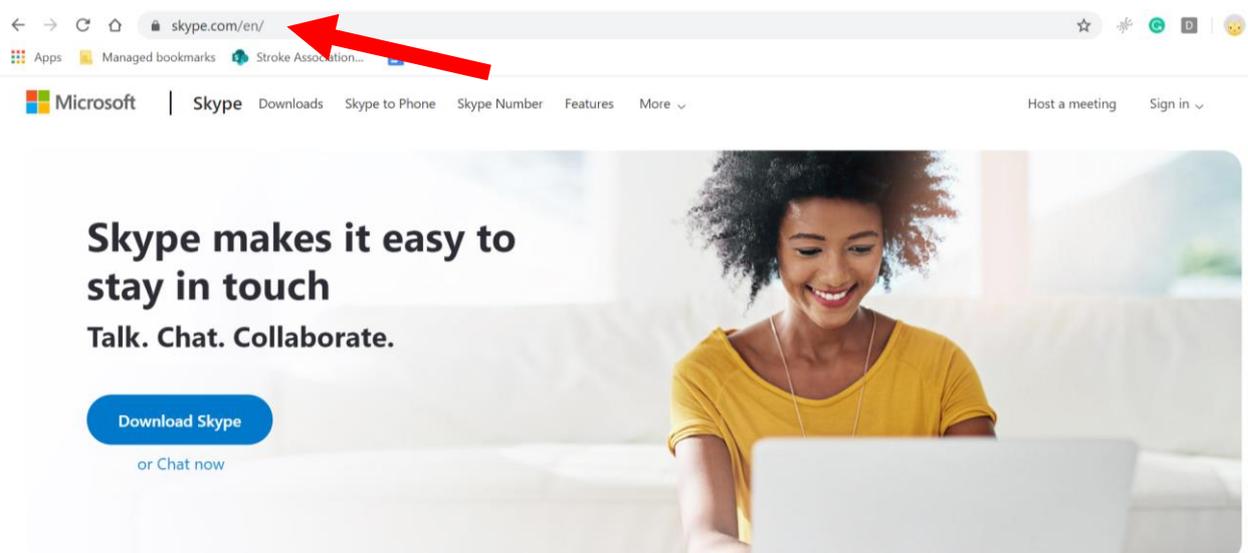
1. **Open your computer browser.**

This might be Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer or Safari.



2. **Visit the Skype website.**

Type <https://www.skype.com/> in your computer browser.



3. Click Download Skype.

The **blue button** is in the middle of the page.

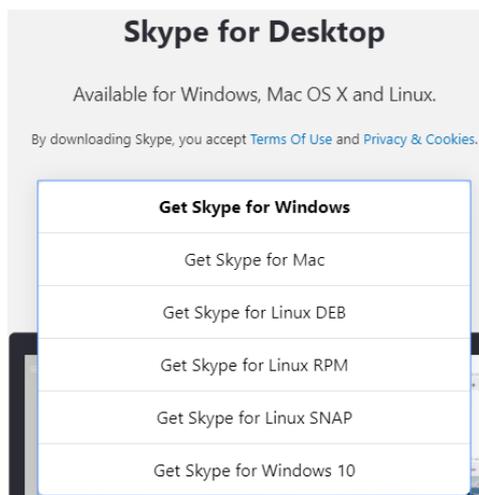


4. Select the version of Skype to match your computer.

This example is for a Windows computer.

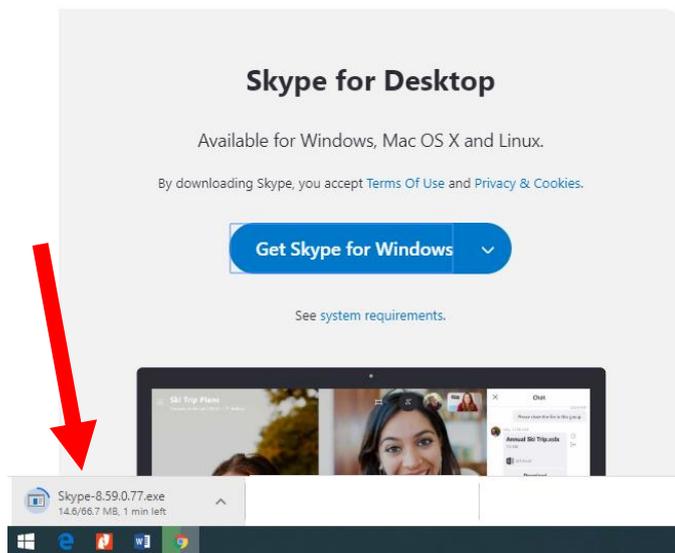


Select the **version** that is **right for your device**.

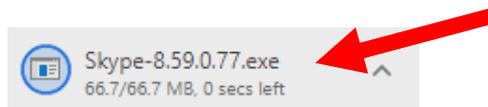


Click on the version you want to download.

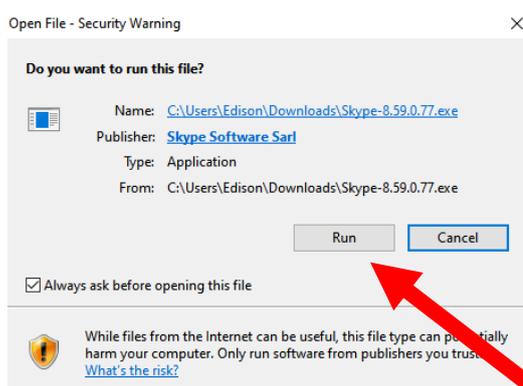
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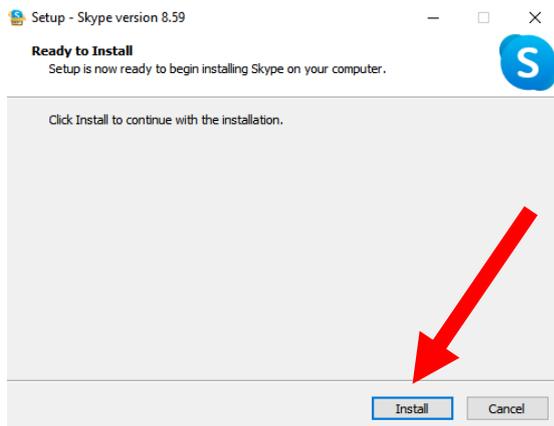
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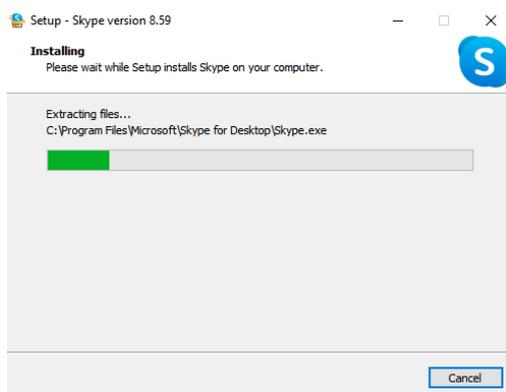
7. Click the 'Run' button.



8. Next **click** the 'Install' button.



Skype will **begin installing** on your computer.



Skype is now **downloaded** on your computer.



Welcome to Skype

Free HD video and voice calls anywhere in the world.

Let's go