

# windows and linux together? or just windows? part 2

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I've been a very desorganized and lazy laptop user and didnt renew my mcafee antivirus nor its firewall that came installed in my laptop and now my lap is full of rubbish , not to mention that i stupidly avoided downloading the SP2. So again am gonna do the radical solution of reinstall everything from scratch but this time am trying to follow some of the recomendations you give in this forum (like using AVG as antivirus and probable the trend micro firewall).

Because of this start over i'd like to ask you few more questions so i can decide better if installing both linux and windows (reducing the linux partition) or just have XP:

2. is there a version of linux recommended for beginners like me? am not a comp science guy but i try my best to do research (at least now that am taking some time off from university) and learn about it.

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