

# Re: Hide Icons on Desktop = Jagged Background Image

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Right-clicking on Desktop to hide Icons transforms a a crystal-clear Background Image (eg. Bliss), to a "jagged" display. I have tried to find a solution to this by searching this forum and also a by general search using Google. This produced no related solution but perhaps my input was not clear enough.

I have no idea what you mean? As I right click on my desktop all of the time. And it never turns the background to a jagged display.

I leave my desktop absolutely clear of any icons, and instead have a Toolbar pointing to Desktop on my Taskbar. Would appreciate any input by someone who tried this.

Thank you

I too leave my desktop free of icons as well. In fact any install that places any icons to the desktop won't show either. As I use Aston Shell and this is how it works. And you have a desktop folder under the Start button if you want access to them.

<http://www.astonshell.com/aston/>

And here is what my desktop looks like:

<http://themes.astonshell.com/495/>

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