

## Re: Hidden Files

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I am having the same problem.....THERE IS NO FOLDER OPTIONS ICON ANYWHERE, not in control panel or anywhere else.

I have a virus in my systems folder and I can't get to it

"J Stewart" wrote:

> Try Start, Control Panel, Appearance & Themes, Folder Options, View, click  
> Show Hidden Files. This is of course if you are not using the Classic View  
> option. If you are using Classic View then Start, Control Panel, Folder  
> Options, View, Show Hidden Files. This should help you with your problem.

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> "Mari" <marisok@hargray.com> wrote in message  
> news:53A1B292-D53B-49FC-AF7C-42D6D36C9645@microsoft.com...  
>> I can't find my folder options to uncheck "hidden files" so that I can see  
> them.

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>> This is going to be either a very easy question or a very difficult one.  
> 99% of those who will respond  
>> will say go to tools..folder options..view tab..and click show hidden  
> files and folders. This is not  
>> going to work because I've already done that and under TOOLS, I do not  
> have Folder Options listed in  
>> the drop down menu. I've spent hours looking all over XP for my Hidden  
> Files and Folder Options.  
>> I hope to hear from someone who can help.

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>> Thanks.

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