

## Think you need a new phone?



Does it still work? ⚡⚡

YES

**Pledge not to replace your cell phone until necessary.** You'll save resources and money. Not buying new gadgets keeps demand lower, which takes pressure off factories to ramp up production at the expense of worker health. 🙋

If you really need a new phone, donate your old one. Many donate-a-phone charities simply raise funds by selling phones to recyclers. SecondWaveRecycling, however, refurbishes and resells phones to support a list of charities.

YES

Pat yourself on the back. If you fixed it yourself, we bow to your technological prowess! 🙌🙌

NO

**Fix it!** Ask your local repair shop to fix your phone, or do it yourself! Find free repair guides for a multitude of gadgets at iFixit.com. iFixit promotes fixing electronics rather than tossing them to help people extend their product's life, save money, and protect the environment. 🌍

Is it fixed? 🛠️

NO

**Find an e-Stewards recycler.** Visit [e-Stewards.org](http://e-Stewards.org) to find a certified recycler near you. E-Stewards recyclers across the country are certified by authorized certification bodies and monitored by the Basel Action Network to ensure that they recycle e-waste responsibly and do not ship overseas. ♻️♻️♻️

Did you find an e-Steward? 🧑🔧

YES

We knew you could do it! Wasn't that simple? How about organizing an e-waste collection in your community to help others send their e-waste to an e-Stewards recycler? Raise awareness of why it's important by sharing stories of smartphone sweatshop workers, such as the trailer for the film *Complicit*. 🎥

NO

**Take it to your local Staples store.** Staples accepts phones, gadgets, and computer equipment at its stores for free recycling, and will even pay you for some devices. It's an e-Steward Enterprise, which means that it only sends electronics to E-Stewards-certified facilities. 🌱



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