

# Windows on Mac

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## Required Materials-

Windows XP SP2 CD (or Vista Enterprise Edition)

Mac OS X Installer CD

RAM!

Boot Camp <http://www.apple.com/bootcamp>

Parallels Desktop for Mac [http://www.parallels.com/products/desktop/beta\\_testing/](http://www.parallels.com/products/desktop/beta_testing/)

NetRestore <http://www.bombich.com>

Firewire Hard Drive (optional)

## Boot Camp:

1. Download and install Boot Camp Assistant. <http://www.apple.com/bootcamp>
2. Run the Boot Camp Assistant found in /Applications/Utilities
3. Burn a Macintosh Drivers CD (Windows XP drivers for Mac hardware)
4. Create a partition for Windows XP (Drag the divider left and right to resize)
5. Start the Windows XP Installation by inserting your Windows XP CD and clicking "Start Installation."
6. After the Windows installation is complete, insert the Macintosh Drivers CD and run the driver installation setup program. (You may get messages saying that the drivers could not be verified as compatible with Windows XP. Click "Continue Anyway") Restart the computer.
7. You are done! Hold down the option key during subsequent restarts to choose the operating system you would like to boot into.

## Parallels Desktop for Mac:

1. Download and Run the Parallels installer found at:  
[http://www.parallels.com/products/desktop/beta\\_testing/](http://www.parallels.com/products/desktop/beta_testing/)
2. Enter your Parallels activation code.
3. Select "Windows Express" installation mode.
4. Choose Windows XP.
5. Enter your Windows product activation code.
6. Name your virtual machine
7. Insert your Windows CD and click "Finish" to install Windows.
8. You are done! You can now install your Windows applications into Windows XP.

## Parallels via Boot Camp:

1. Set up Boot Camp as outlined above.
2. Install Parallels Desktop for Mac.
3. Open Parallels Desktop and select "New."
4. Choose the "Custom" installation mode.
5. Choose "Windows XP" at the next screen."
6. Specify the amount of RAM to dedicate to Windows.
7. Choose "Use Boot Camp" at the next screen.
8. Choose your network type.
9. Name your virtual machine
10. Click, "Finish". Note- You might have to reboot the computer.
11. You are done! You can now boot Windows XP virtually as a guest OS or natively as a host OS. If you want to boot natively, restart the computer and hold down the option key on the keyboard.