

## Removing the profanity filter on Minecraft Bedrock Edition (PC Only)

1. Show hidden files. In Windows file explorer click **View** and check the **Hidden items** check box
2. Navigate to **C:\Program Files**
3. Right click the **WindowsApps** folder and click **Properties**, click on the **Security** tab, and click **Advanced**.
4. Click on **Change** in the owner section.
5. In the box under **Enter the object name to select**, type your *username* and click **Check Names** if done correctly it will correct like this: **[PC Name]\[Username]**  
*The whole name can be found and typed manually by opening a command prompt and typing "whoami" or by going to Settings > System > About. Then look for "Device name" and your username can be found in C:\Users*
6. After the correct **[PC Name]\[Username]** is entered, click **OK**.
7. You should now be able to access the **WindowsApps** folder. Navigate the folder **Microsoft.MinecraftUWP\_[Random numbers and letters]**
8. Then open the **data** folder. Look for a file called **profanity\_filter.wlist**
9. **Repeat steps 3 through 6** on the **profanity\_filter.wlist** file
10. Make sure all dialog boxes are closed and then right click on **profanity\_filter.wlist** and click **Properties**, click on the **Security** tab, and click **Advanced**.
11. Note it should have your username in the "Owner" field. Click **Add** on the bottom.
12. Click **Select a principal** and enter your **[PC Name]\[Username]** again in the text box and click **OK**.
13. Check the **Full control** checkbox and click **OK** on all open dialog boxes.
14. You should now be able to delete or move the **profanity\_filter.wlist** file out of the data folder.

**CONGRATULATIONS! You've now told Microsoft to shove it and that you're an adult.**

***Note:** If you want to undo this for whatever reason (you like censorship?, updates that don't work, game won't start or some shit) of course it's not as simple as just putting the file back where it goes. It will most likely tell you that you need permission. The easiest way around this is to go in to Settings > Apps and search for Minecraft. Then you can start by trying to click repair (if the option exists) if that fails click on reset and if all else fails, uninstall and reinstall. The profanity\_filter.wlist file will be back after a reinstall.*

***Note:** If you want to remove the filter again you only need to repeat steps 9 through 14.*