



Windows 11 Upgrade Process

What's happening?

With Windows 10 reaching end of life in October 2025, it is highly recommended to start thinking about the next steps.

Microsoft recommends that users upgrade to Windows 11 to continue receiving updates and keep their systems secure. If you are unable to upgrade devices, it's possibly due to the age of the hardware and will need to be replaced.

Thankfully, this is a relatively painless process, and it won't be difficult for users to adjust to the upgrade.

What does this mean for you?

Devices that reach 'end of life' means that they will no longer receive security updates. This affects all businesses and users that use any device running a Windows 10 Operating System.

Security updates are vital for keeping your systems up to date and secure. This helps protect against malware and cyber-attacks from zero-day vulnerabilities and exploits.

If you aren't sure what devices will be affected by this, ITWiser is available to give a free 30-minute consultation per business to all Bradford Care Association members where we will help you understand what the next steps are and how we can support your business.

When do we need to upgrade?

The upgrade process should happen before October 2025, and we recommend at least 6 months before as new hardware is likely to be released that may be helpful to your business.

How can we help?

ITWiser are happy to help with consultations and upgrade projects for businesses that need any extra help rolling out this process. We can support you when you decide to upgrade.

The upgrade process may involve coming onsite and ensuring that updates are installed successfully, as well as providing new hardware and migrating any data and systems into new devices. It is recommended that devices are refreshed every 3-5 years to minimise downtime and ensure that these devices have the latest security features.

To help keep your business even more secure, we can help with other support services including antivirus software, IT support and vulnerability patching. For a detailed explanation on how we can fully support your business, **contact us by email info@itwiser.co.uk or call us on 01274924686.**