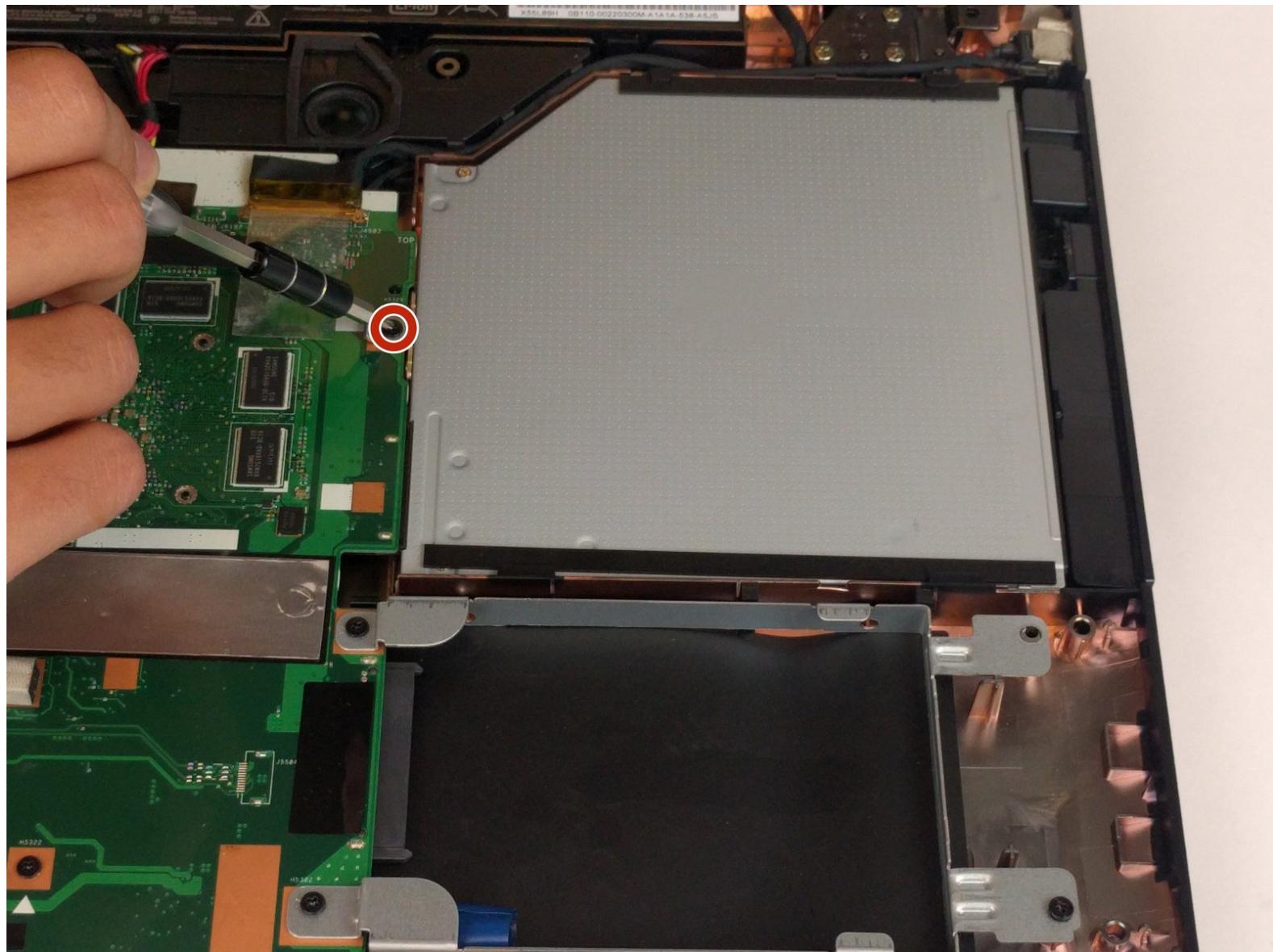




Asus X751L DVD Drive Replacement

Use this guide to replace the DVD drive on your Asus X751L.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will walk you through the process of removing and replacing a faulty DVD Drive.

TOOLS:

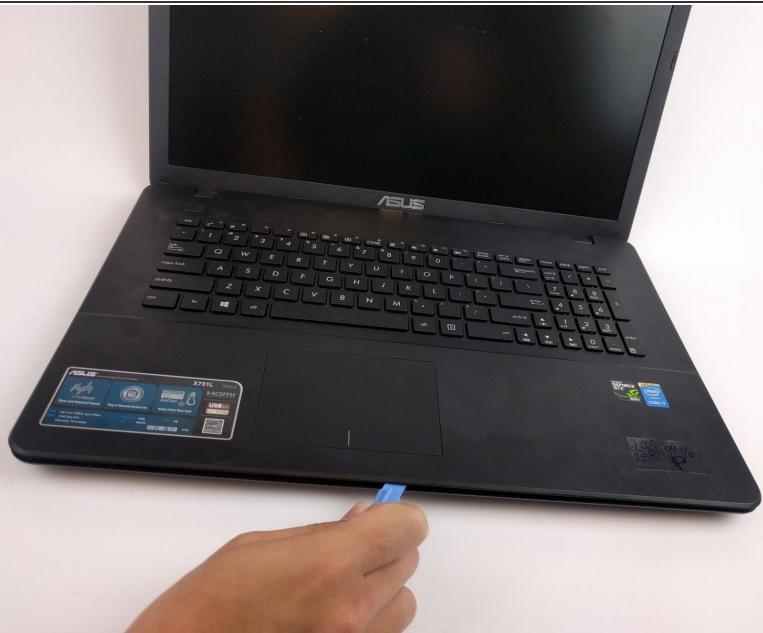
- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)

Step 1 — Keyboard



- With the screen closed, place your laptop upside-down with the front facing you.
- Remove the six 14.6mm Phillips #00 screws.
- Remove the four 6.6mm Phillips #00 screws.

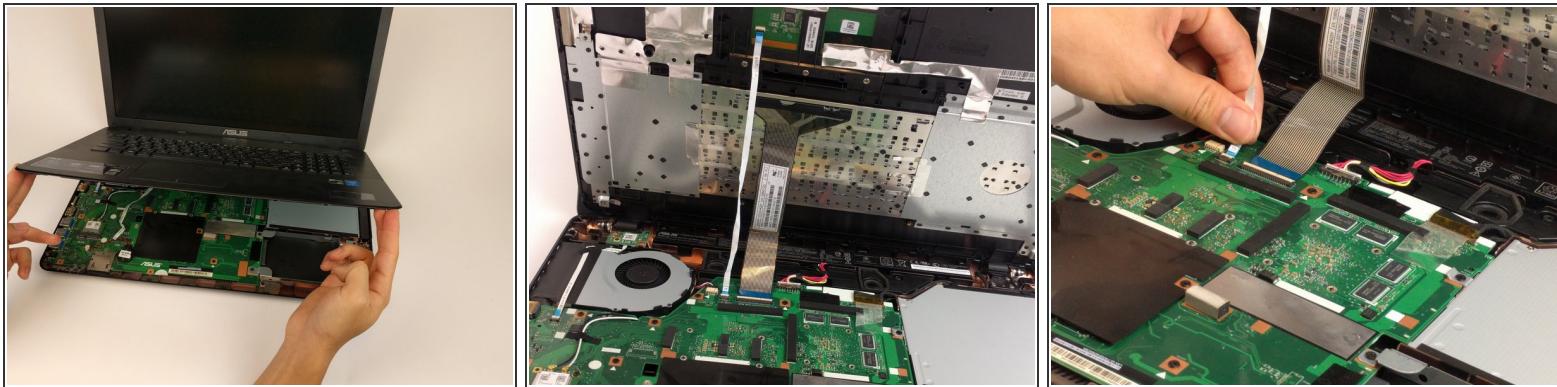
Step 2



- Flip the laptop over and open the lid.
- Pry around the edges of the laptop base using the plastic opening tool.

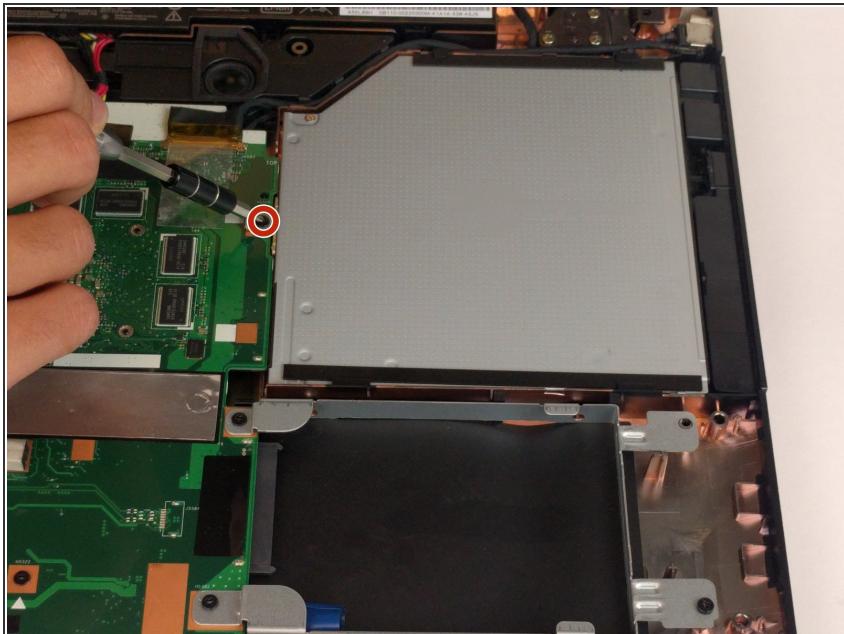
 Prying too hard can break the plastic clips.

Step 3



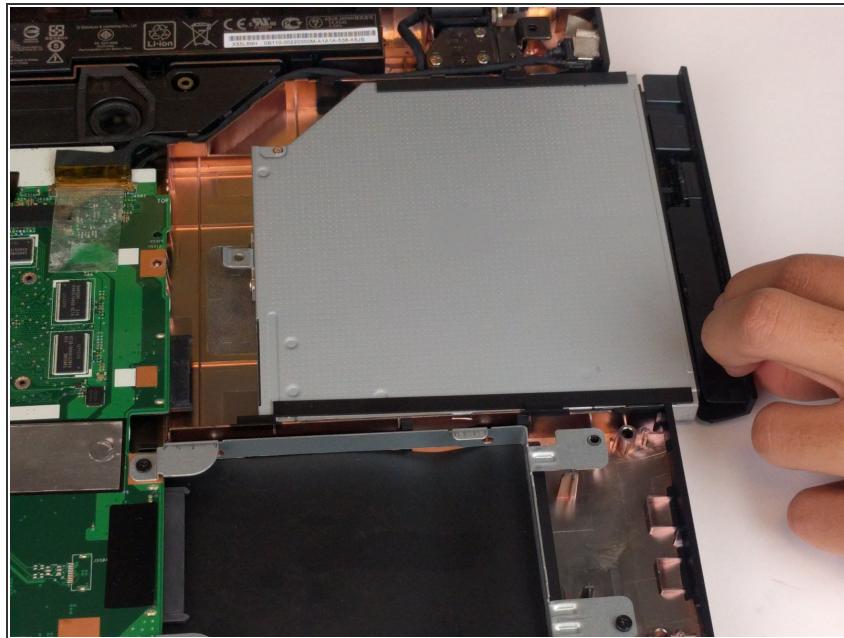
- Carefully lift the keyboard up.
⚠ Be very careful when lifting the keyboard up. Two zero insertion force (ZIF) cables are between the keyboard assembly and the motherboard. Do not lift the assembly too high.
- Disconnect the two ZIF connectors from the motherboard using your fingernail to lift the cream-colored tab.

Step 4 — DVD Drive



- With the keyboard panel open, face the laptop with the internal components facing towards you.
- Remove the single 4.6mm Phillips #00 screw.

Step 5



- Pull the optical drive out.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.