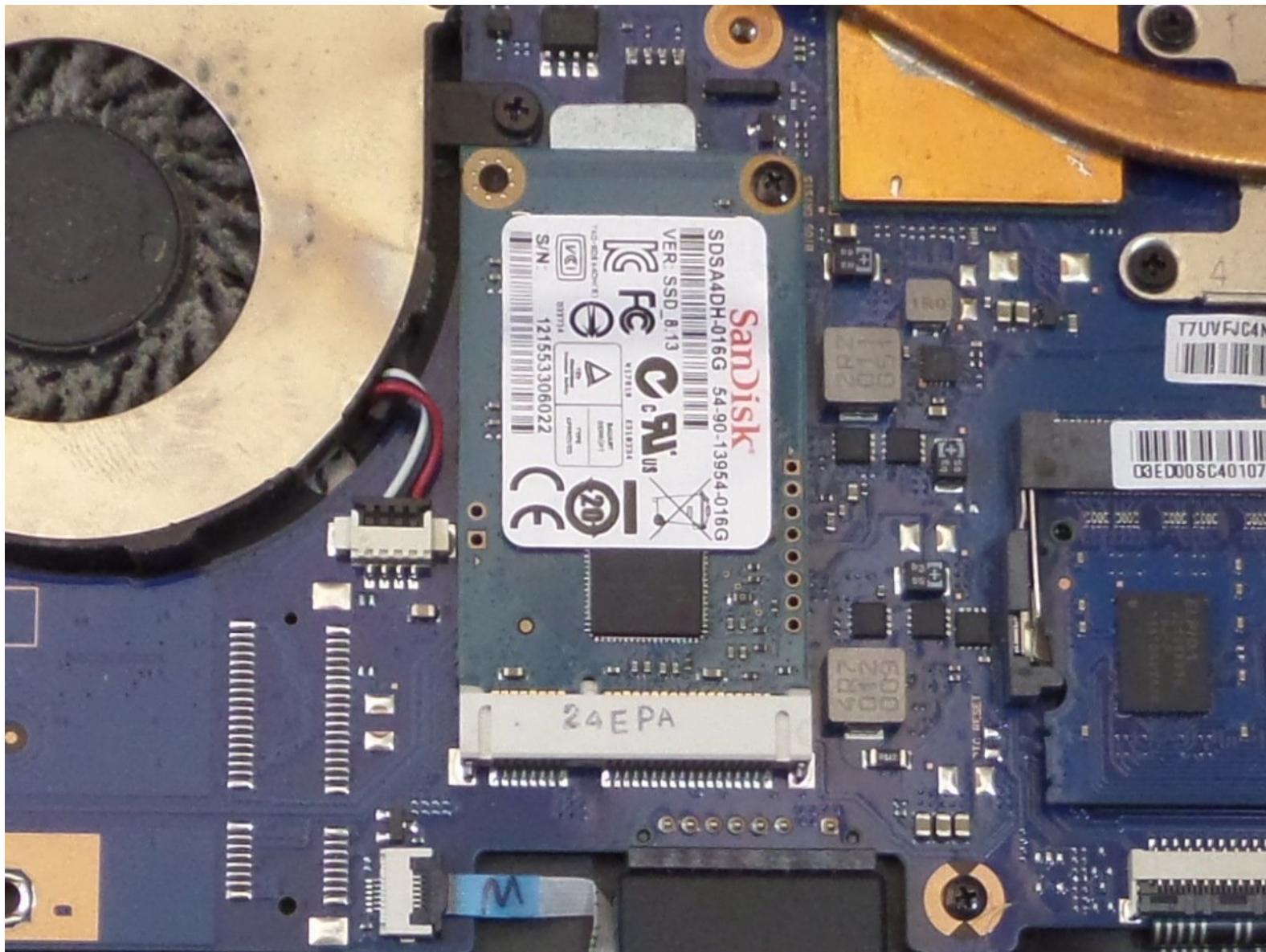




# Samsung Chromebook XE550C22 SSD Replacement

Replace or upgrade your SSD for your Samsung Chromebook XE550C22

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## INTRODUCTION

This guide will help you remove a bad SSD. The SSD is the main location that your Chromebook stores all important information such as the operating system.

### TOOLS:

- [Metal Spudger \(1\)](#)
- [JIS #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)
- [Spudger \(1\)](#)

## Step 1 — Back Panel



 Turn the power off before beginning this step.

- Using the spudger, remove the four 1/2 inch skid pads from the back of the laptop.

## Step 2



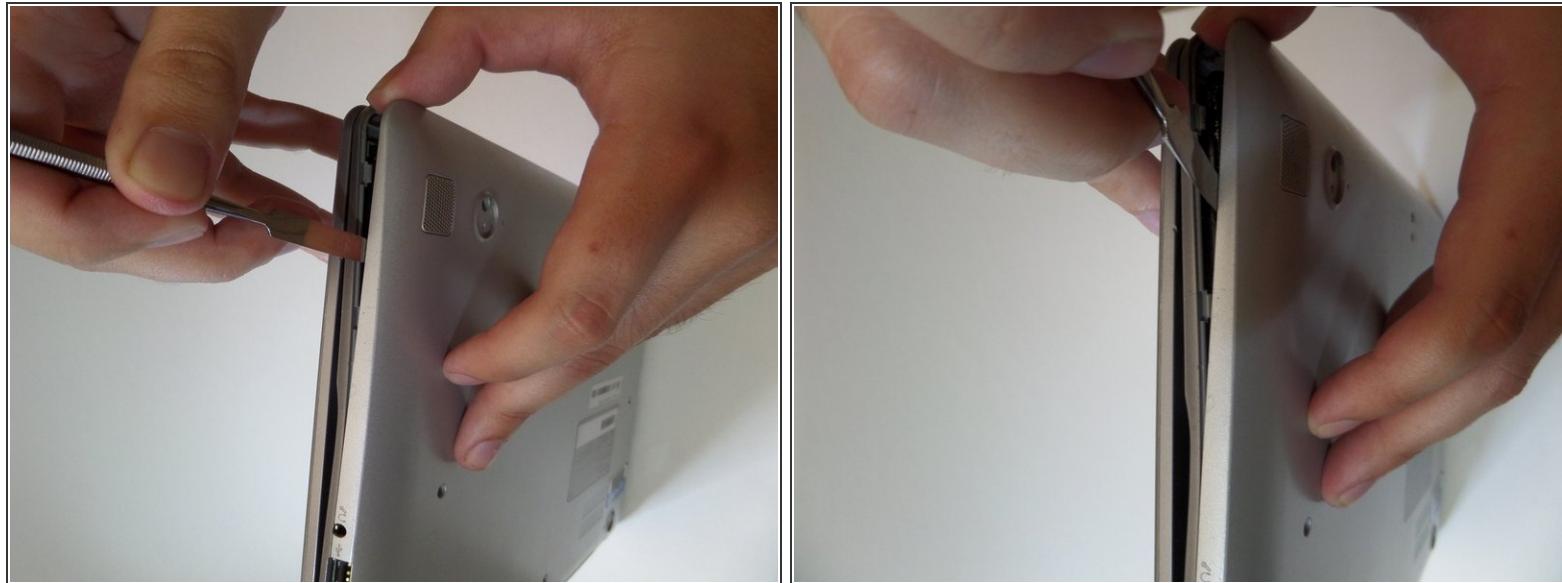
- Remove the eight 7mm screws using the J0 Screwdriver.

## Step 3



- Starting at the center front of the laptop, insert the metal spudger between the keyboard panel and the bottom panel, separating the bottom panel from the laptop.
- Continue prying around the sides to release more brackets.

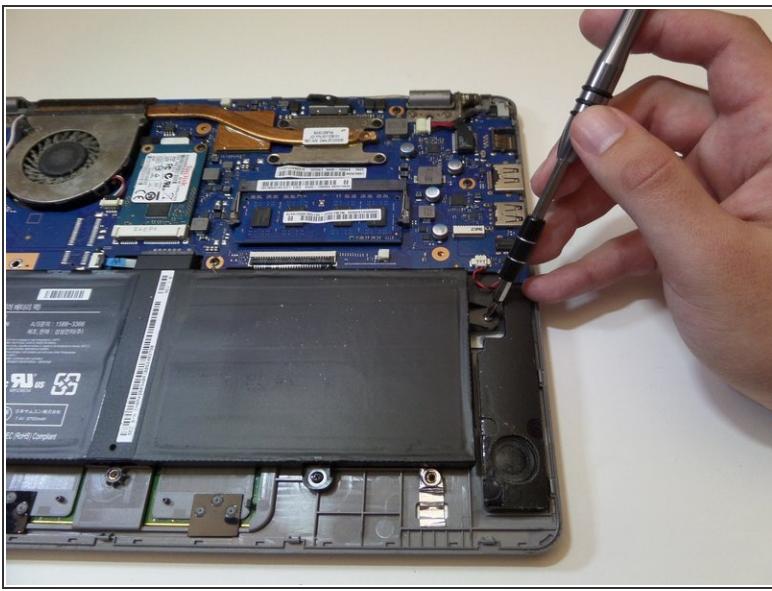
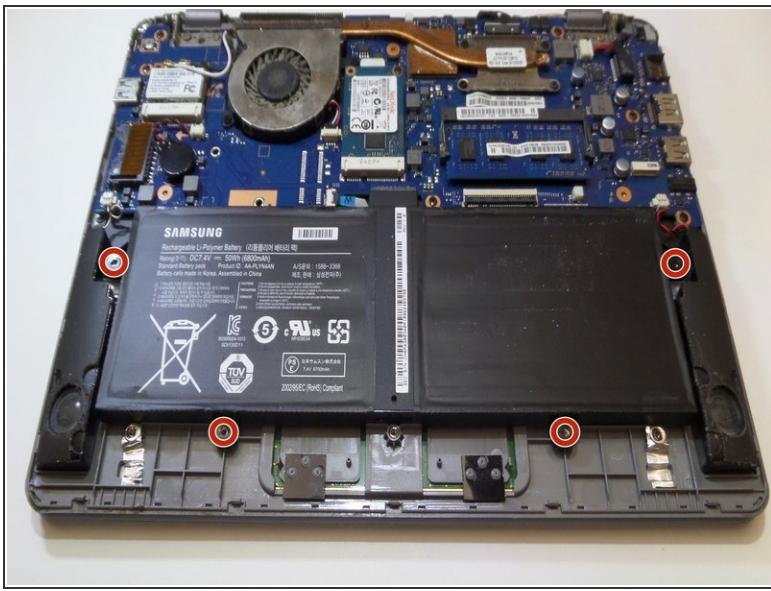
## Step 4



- After disconnecting all the brackets, pull the back panel away from the laptop.

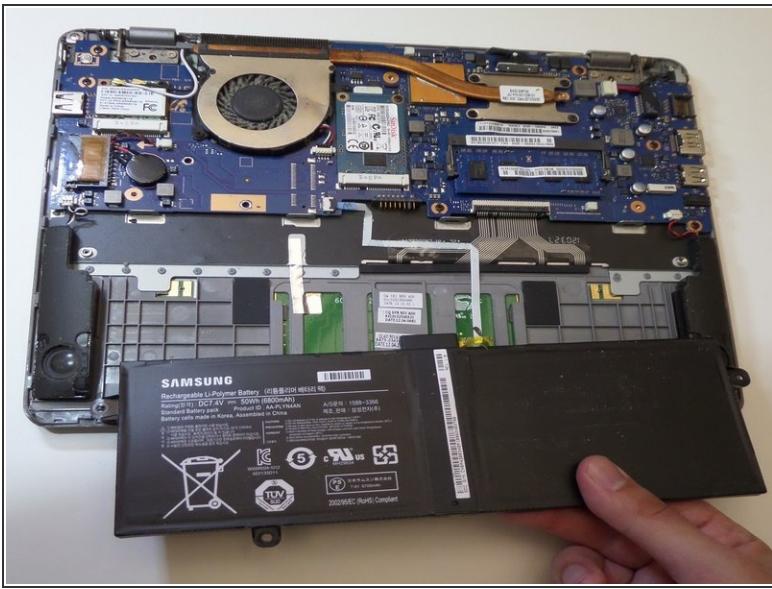
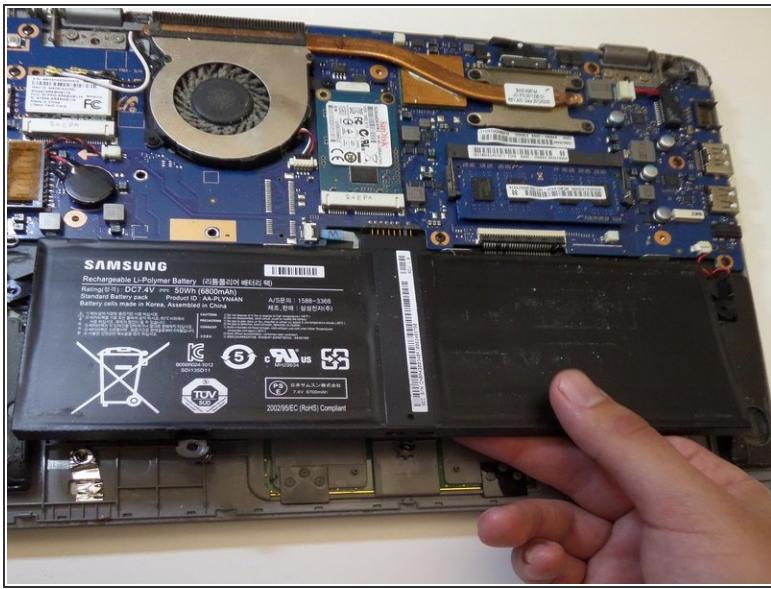
*(i)* Note: The back panel has some flex to it, don't be afraid to use some force.

## Step 5 — Battery



- Remove the four 3mm screws holding the battery with the J0 screwdriver.

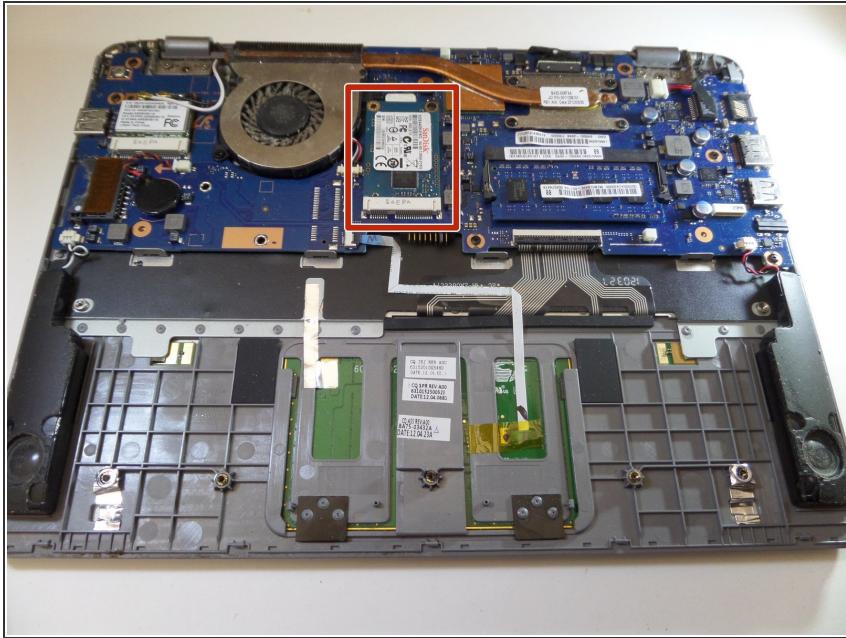
## Step 6



- Lift the battery up at an angle to disconnect the battery from the motherboard, then pull it away from the laptop.

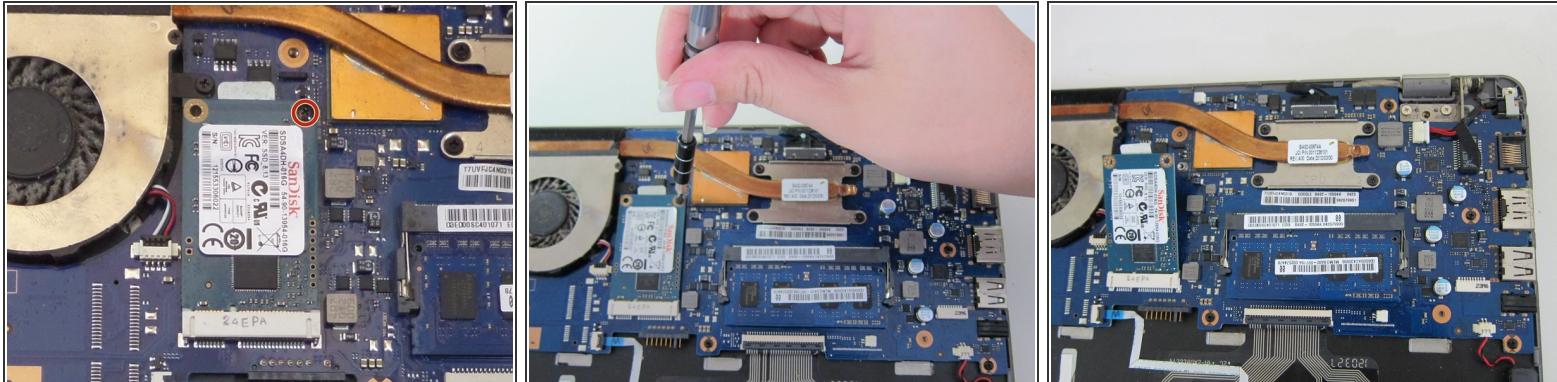
 Do not lift the battery straight up. This will damage the battery's connectors.

## Step 7 — SSD



- Locate the SSD in the center of the Chromebook.

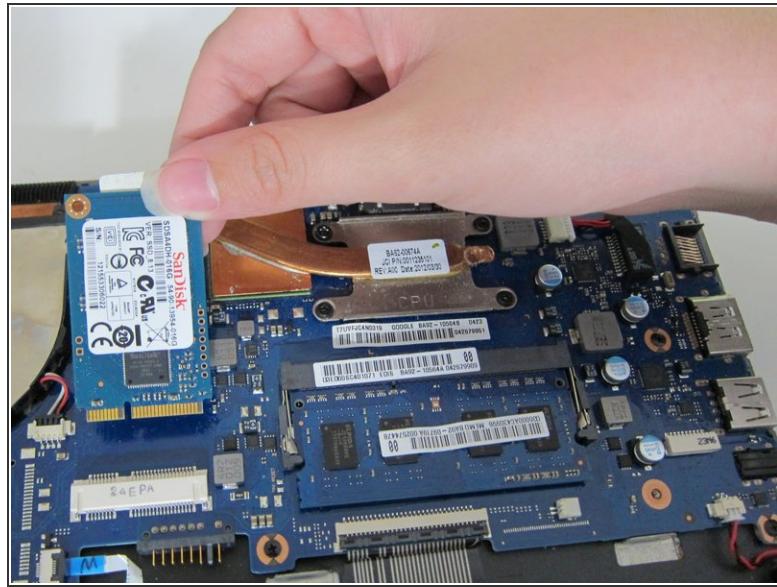
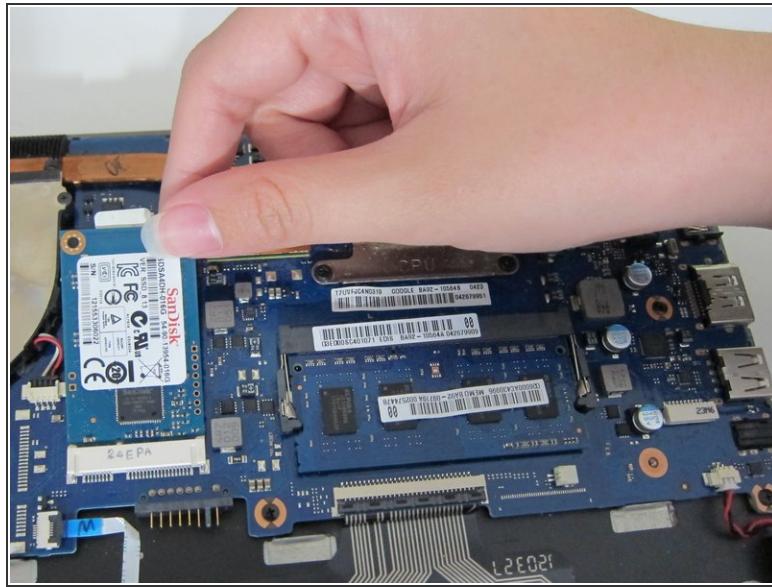
## Step 8



- Remove the single 3.5mm screw using the J0 screwdriver.

*(i)* The SSD should "pop-up" on its own after it's unscrewed.

## Step 9



- Pull the SSD up and away from the Chromebook

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