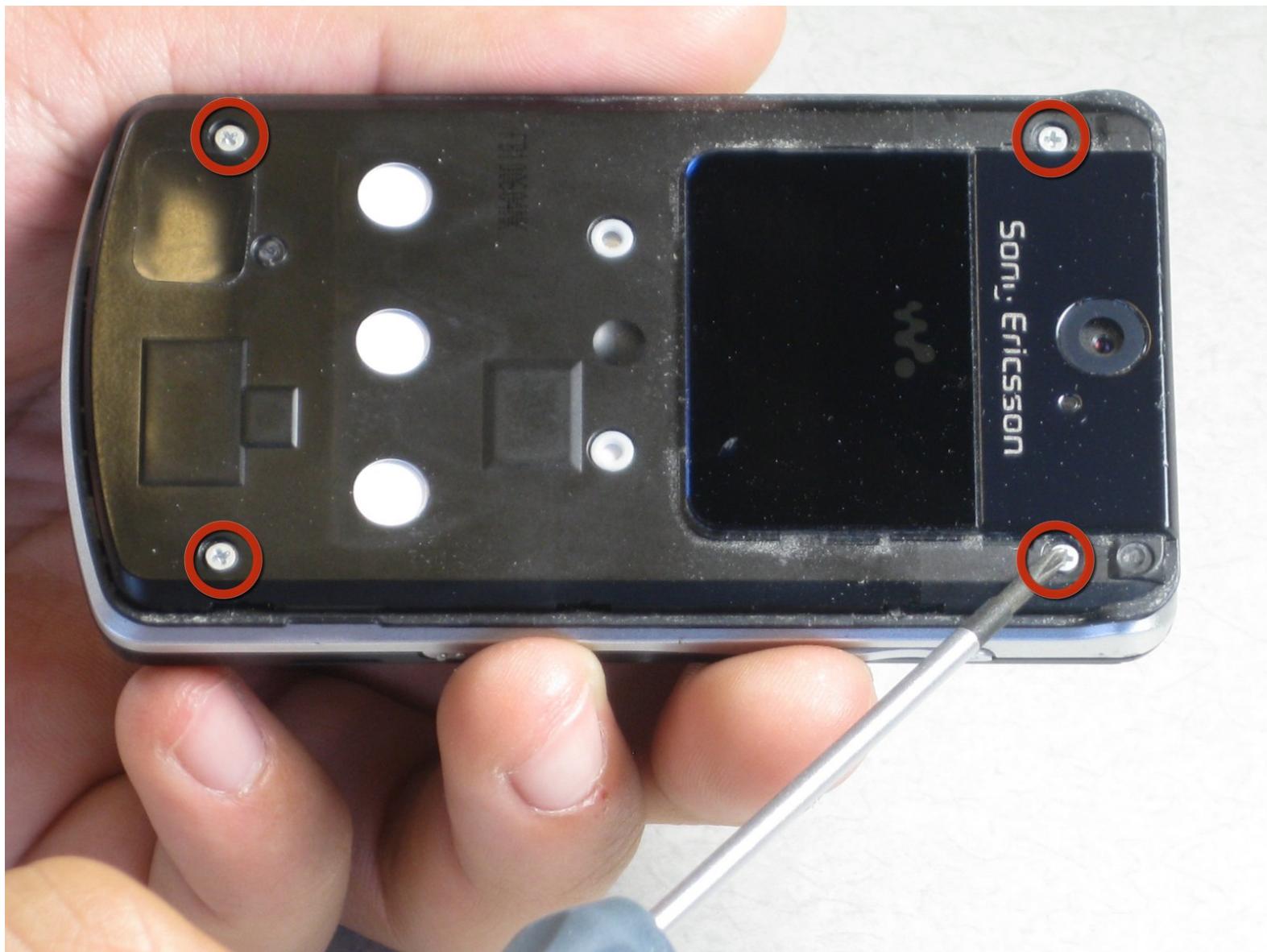




Sony Ericsson W518a Camera Lens Replacement

How to Remove and replace the camera lens of the Sony Ericsson w518a.

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INTRODUCTION

In this guide the back housing of the phone will be removed and the camera lens will be removed from the housing.

TOOLS:

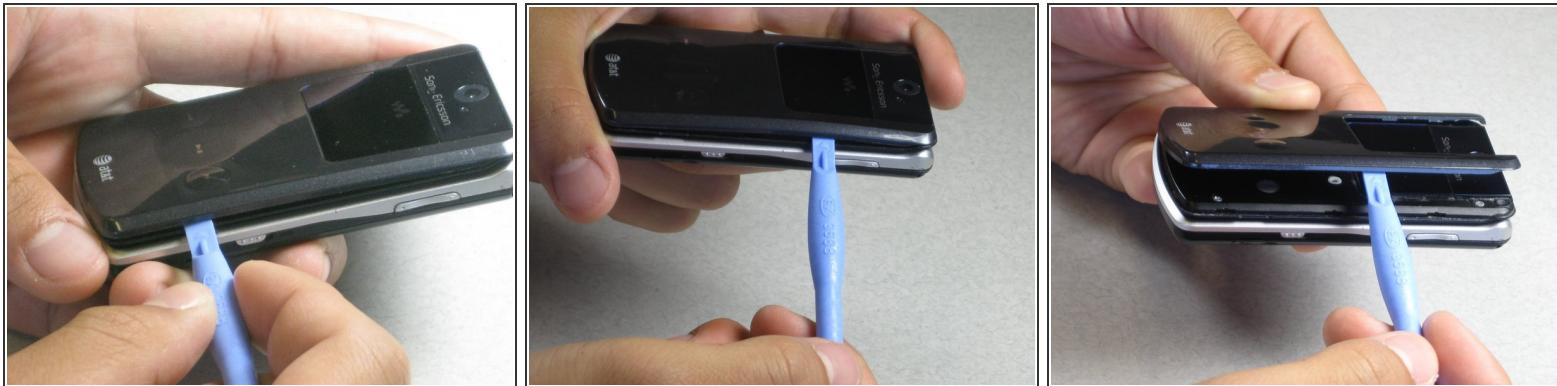
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)

Step 1 — Faceplate



- Find the small notch on the side of the phone. The notch is located by the "fast-forward" button and the "lock" switch.

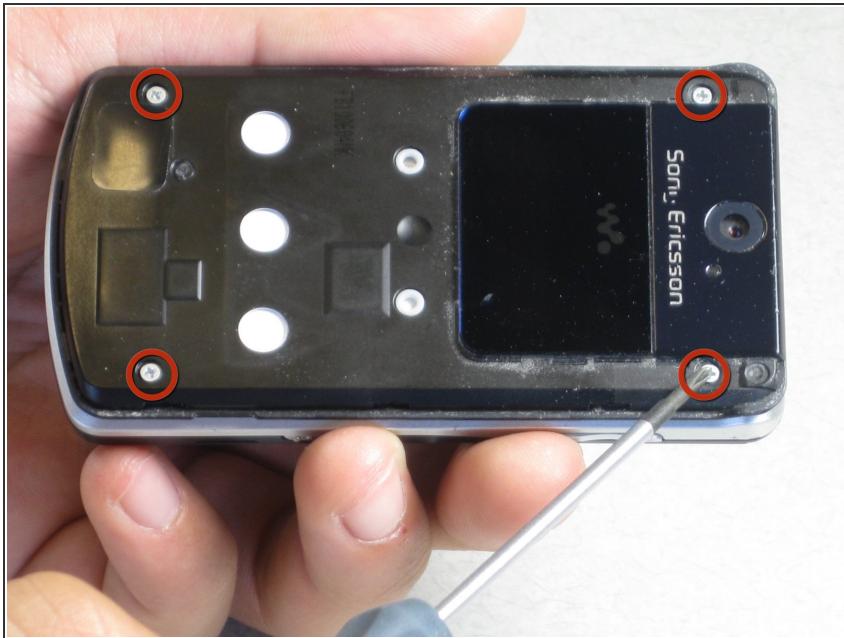
Step 2



- Insert your plastic opening tool into the notch.
- Pry off the faceplate by gently sliding the plastic opening tool around the phone while still keeping the tool under the edge of the phone.
- When enough of the faceplate has been lifted it can be easily removed.

 In order to replace the faceplate, simply press and snap the faceplate back onto the front of the phone.

Step 3 — Camera Lens



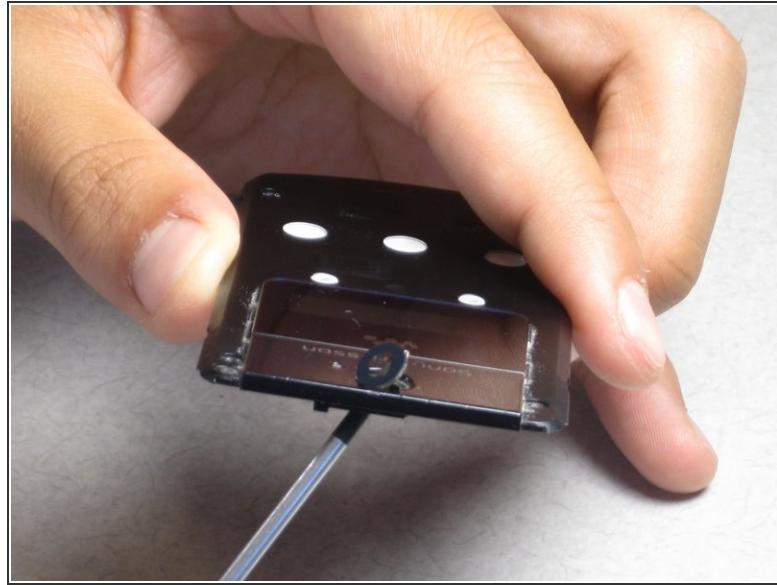
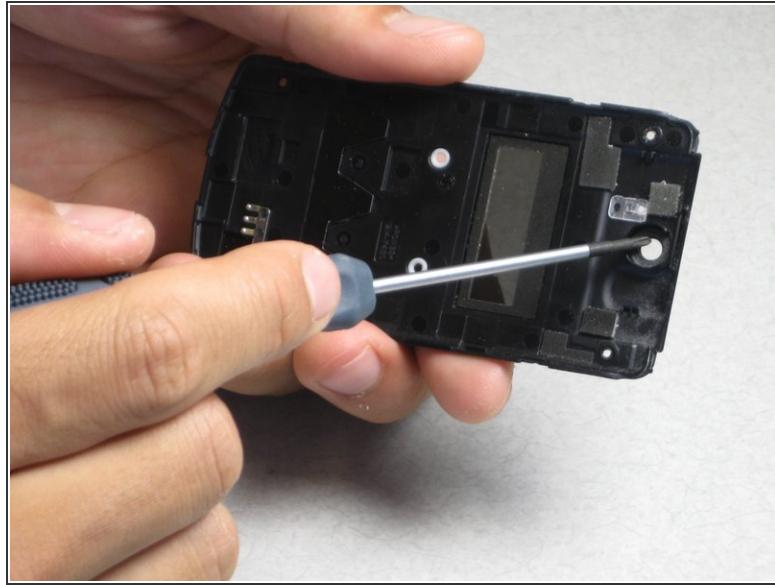
- Remove the four 2mm Phillips screws from the back housing of the phone.

Step 4



- Insert the plastic opening tool in the notch at the top corner of the phone.
- Lift the corner and run the plastic opening tool around the phone until the back housing can easily be removed.

Step 5



- Remove the lenses by pushing the lens from the inside of the housing.

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