



Sony Vaio PCG-4K1L Keyboard Replacement

This guide will show you how to replace the keyboard on your Sony Vaio.

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 **TOOLS:**

- [iFixit Opening Tools \(1\)](#)
- [64 Bit Driver Kit \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — Keyboard



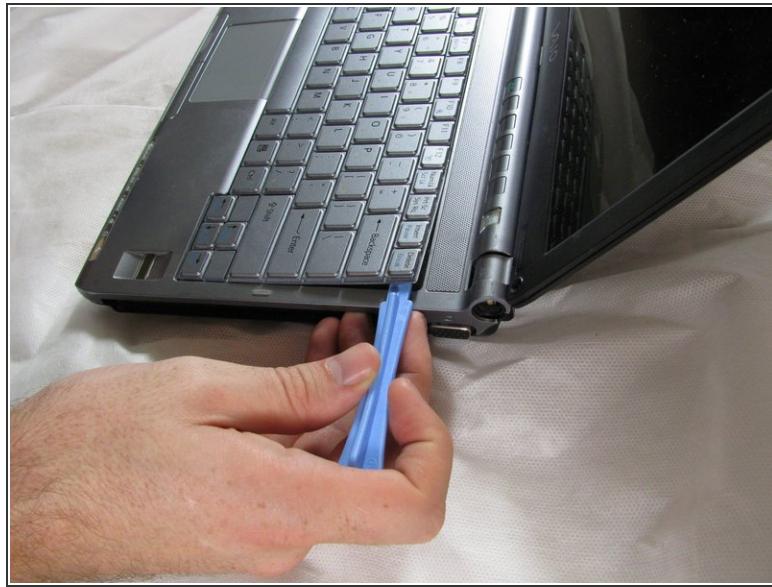
- Take out the screw in the center of the computer.

Step 2



- Flip the computer right side up.
- Open screen so that keyboard is visible.

Step 3



- Use a plastic opening tool to gently lift the keyboard at a corner.
- ⚠ Make sure you get below the keyboard itself and not just the keys.
- Slide the tool around the perimeter of the keyboard and it will start to lift.

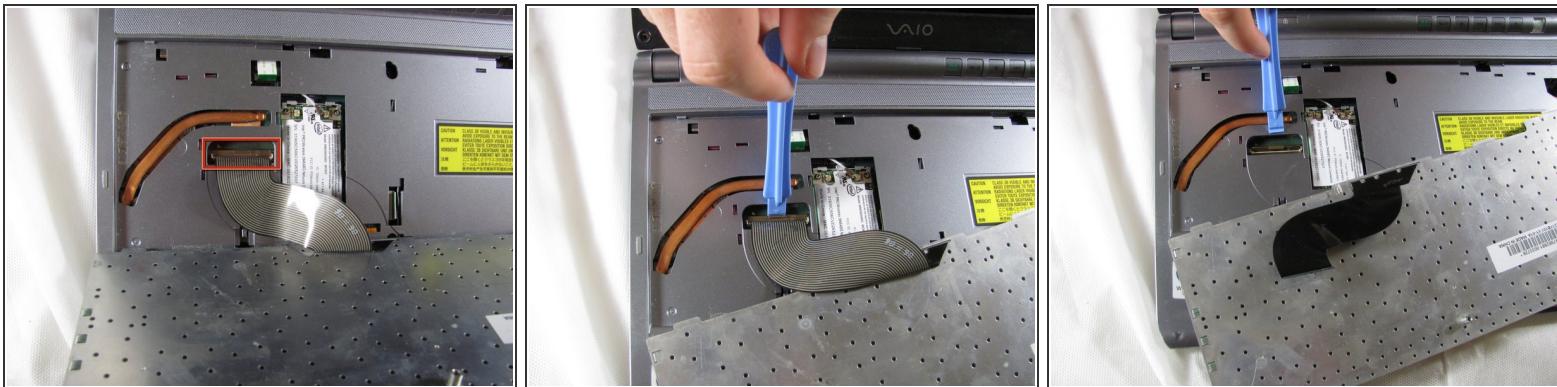
Step 4



⚠ Do not pull the keyboard away from the computer. There is a ribbon cord attaching the keyboard to the computer.

- Once the keyboard has been lifted at a few edges, lift the keyboard with both hands.

Step 5



- Locate the ribbon cord behind the keyboard.
- Locate a brown clamp attaching the keyboard to the computer.
- Use a plastic opening tool to lift the clamp and release the cable.

(i) Now the keyboard can be pulled away entirely.

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