

Welcome to *TEKTOK*
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*"It takes 20 years to build a reputation and 5 minutes to ruin it.
If you think about that, you will do things differently"*
-Warren Buffett

Web Sites

[PBS: Who Made America?: Innovators: Henry Ford](#)

One-page profile of influential innovator, Henry Ford, whose vision and ideas created low-cost forms of production that made cars affordable to the average American.

http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/theymadeamerica/whomade/ford_hi.html

[History Channel: Henry Ford](#)

Although Ford is an important figure in the history of America, he is also ! controversial one. Read about his accomplishments as well as his altercations.

<http://www.history.com/topics/henry-ford>

[Henry Ford Museum: The Innovator and Ford Motor Company](#)

This resource briefly explains how, with the development of the Model T, the Ford Motor Company became the largest automobile manufacturer in the world during the early 20th century.

<https://www.thehenryford.org/explore/stories-of-innovation/visionaries/henry-ford/>

Hardware/Software

How to speed up Sierra

Many people who have bought the new OS are probably worried that it is very slow on their Macs. There are a few solutions that can help you determine whether your machine will work with macOS.

Free up the memory

It has become expected of most macOS packages to be memory hungry and uses more RAM than others and like El Capitan, Sierra is no different. Basically, this is why macOS Sierra will only run on Macs made in 2009 and later. If the macOS is compatible with your Mac, then there is no need to worry. Apple says such cases may often require simple fixes as freeing up the disk space by cleaning the macOS partitions.

There are various ways to do this although the simplest involves installing disk-clean software. Cleanmymac 3 is one of the most popular software used to free up macOS partitions and create more space. It simply finds and frees unnecessary occupied disk space converting it to usable memory. This added memory reduces the load on your RAM making it faster. It is important to find the recently upgraded cleaning software. The ones designed for macOS Sierra may present different challenges but you can update them to include recent upgrades. CleanmyMac 3 is a freely available disk cleaning software you can download online. If your disk partitions are fully packed, your Sierra will be very slow and you may need to find external storage or upgrade your internal memory to create more disk space.

Famous People from American History

Henry Ford (1864–1947) Founder of Ford motor company. Ford pioneered the use of the assembly line for making cars, helping to reduce the price and make cars affordable for the average American consumer

Riddles You Can Tell in Class

A nickel, dime and quarter were on the table. The nickel and dime jumped off. Why didn't the quarter?

It had more cents

Why did the high jumper check the calendar?

To see if it was a leap year

Why did Humpty Dumpty have a great fall?

To make up for a bad summer

This Day in History

Birthdates which occurred on October 14:

---- Grover muppet (Sesame Street)

1633 James II king of England (1685–88)

1644 William Penn English Quaker & founder of PA

1890 Dwight D Eisenhower Denison, Tx (R) 34th Pres (1953–1961)

1894 e e cummings Cambridge Mass, poet (Tulips & Chimneys)

1896 Lillian Gish silent film/stage actress (Birth of a Nation)

1910 John Wooden basketball coach (UCLA–10 national championships)

1916 C Everett Koop surgeon general (1981–89)

1927 Roger Moore London England, actor (Alaskans, Maverick, Saint)

1928 Marjorie Painter Yonce Los Angeles, Mom

1938 John Dean III former White House counsel, Watergate figure

1939 Ralph Lauren fashion designer (Chaps)

1940 Cliff Richards [Harry Webb], England, rocker (Suddenly)

1943 Lance Rentzel NFL receiver (Minn, LA)/ex-husband of Joey Heatherton

1947 Charlie Joiner Many La, NFL receiver (Houston, Cincinnati, San Diego)

1953 Greg Evigan South Amboy NJ, actor (BJ-BJ & the Bear)

On this day...

1066 Battle of Hastings, in which William the Conqueror wins England

1586 Mary Queen of Scots goes on trial for conspiracy against Elizabeth

1774 1st Continental Congress is 1st to declare colonial rights (Phila)

1884 George Eastman patents paper-strip photographic film

1912 Bull Moose Teddy Roosevelt shot while campaigning in Milwaukee

1933 Nazi Germany announces withdrawal from League of Nations

1939 BMI (Broadcast Music Incorporated) formed

1947 Chuck Yeager in Bell XS-1 makes 1st supersonic flight (Mach 1.015)

1964 Martin Luther King Jr wins Nobel Peace Prize

1965 Sandy Koufax hurls his 2nd shutout of world series beating Twins 2-0
(World Series #62)

1978 1st TV movie from a TV series—"Rescue from Gilligan's Island"

1980 Bob Marley's last concert

1980 Pres nominee Ronald Reagan promises to name a woman to Supreme Court

1986 The IOC decides to stagger the Winter & Summer Olympic schedule

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