



Malware Definition Match

Match each term on the left with the definition on the right.



Worms

A bad code or program that attaches itself to a host to harm your device. Your device can get infected through dangerous downloads, links, or attachments.

Spyware

Software that copies itself to infect your device. It can spread copies to other devices, and does not need a host to cause damage.

Ransomware

This program appears to be helpful, but once it's downloaded it attacks your device. The name comes from a Greek story.

Viruses

This software installs itself on your device and can steal your passwords, email addresses and personal information.

Trojan Horse

This software uses false advertisements online to infect your computer and steal your information.

Adware

This software takes control of your computer and won't release your data until money is paid to get it back. Often times the data is never recovered.

