# Web Browser Hygiene

# Cayenne Hot Tips!

### How are these tips useful?

We believe the following information will be highly beneficial in helping you protect sensitive information, reduce the risk of data breaches, and optimize the performance of your web browser.

### Do you have any questions?

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to us at Support@cayennecorp.com.

If you have any suggestions on the next tip topic you would like to would like to see, please let us know.

We highly value your input and would greatly appreciate any feedback. Whether it's a suggestion for improvement, or a specific tip you found particularly useful, your opinion matters to us.

Have a great day!

## What Are Cache Files?

Browsers store temporary files from websites (Cache) to load them faster upon visiting a site.

Over time, this cache can accumulate, taking up disk space and potentially slowing down your browser. Clearing the cache removes these temporary files, freeing up space and potentially speeding up your computer.

## What Are Cookies?

Cookies are small data files stored on your computer by websites to remember your preferences and login status. Over time, an accumulation of cookies can also slow down your browser. Clearing cookies can help improve browser speed

## Does Clearing cookies and Cache Enhance Security & Privacy?

**Security**: Some cookies can track your browsing activity across multiple sites, which can be a privacy concern. Clearing cookies can help prevent tracking and reduce the risk of privacy breaches.
**Privacy**: Clearing cookies ensures that any stored personal information, such as login credentials, is removed. This is particularly important on shared or public computers to prevent unauthorized access to your account.

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## How to clear cookies and Cache?

The process for clearing cache and cookies varies slightly between different browsers, but generally, you can find this option in the browser's settings or preferences menu under "Privacy" or "History".

**Instructions for Google Chrome web browser:** https://support.google.com/accounts/answer/32050?hl=en&co=GENIE.Platform%3DDesktop

**Instructions for Firefox web browser:** https://support.mozilla.org/en-US/kb/clear-cookies-and-site-data-firefox

**Instructions for Microsoft Edge web browser:** https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/manage-cookies-in-microsoft-edge-view-allow-block-delete-and-use-168dab11-0753-043d-7c16-ede5947fc64d

## How can clearing cookies and cache fix certain issues?

**Display and Functionality Problems**: Sometimes websites do not load correctly, or certain features don't work due to outdated or corrupted cached files and cookies. Clearing them can resolve these issues, ensuring that websites display and function correctly.

**Loading New Content:** Websites update their content regularly. If your browser loads outdated cached versions of a site, you might miss out on new content or updates. Clearing the cache forces the browser to fetch the latest version of the website.

## Freeing up storage space

Cached files and cookies take up storage space on your device. Regularly clearing them can help free up space, especially on devices with limited storage.

## Bottom Line

Overall, regularly clearing cache and cookies can help maintain optimal performance, security, and functionality of your computer and browser.

## Fixing login issues

Sometimes, cookies related to login sessions can get corrupted or outdated, causing login issues. Clearing cookies can resolve problems with staying logged in or logging in to websites.