



## How to install **Any** program to another Drive

(even if it is immovable)

1. Install your program normally and record the file path in **quotes** where it is installed by default an copy it to word or note pad.

Ex. For VLC Media Player its install path is

“C:\Program Files (x86)\VideoLAN\VLC”

2. Create file anywhere in your other drive with a similar install path and copy it to word or notepad

Ex. I am using this for VLC

“D:\Program Files (x86)\VideoLAN\VLC”

3. Uninstall the program you installed and delete the **last folder** only in the installation path so I am only going to delete **VLC** folder on my C drive and keep the **VideoLan** Folder (don't delete anything on the other drive)

4. Now we need to make a virtual link from the folder that we just deleted to the one on the other drive we just created. (alittle complex) To do this you need to open a command prompt with administrative privileges.

- Search cmd on window then press Ctrl+Shift+Enter at the same time
- Next type in the command:

`mklink /J "old install location" "new install location"`

- My example for VLC:

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mklink /J "C:\Program Files (x86)\VideoLAN\VLC" "D:\Program Files (x86)\VideoLAN\VLC"
```

5. Now reinstall the program as you did before and all data will be saved on the other drive and you're done!

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