













**Having problems with your laptop or desktop computer? See if any of these instructions will help you.**


Procedures for rebuilding your desktop of your laptop or desktop computer:

1. From the Apple menubar drag down to the program named **TechTool**.
2. **Double-click** on the line that reads **Desktop**.
3. **Double-click** on the button that reads **Check/Repair Desktop**.
4. Click the **OK** button. This might take a minute or two to run.
5. After the test has run it will want you to do one of two things. One is to go to the **File menubar** and drag down to **Quit** or it will warn you that it has performed a repair, click the OK button. Now when you go to **File** on the menubar and drag down to **Quit** it will inform you that they strongly recommend that you restart your computer. You should click on the **RESTART** button instead of choosing Exit.

### Getting out of freezes

A plus sign (+) means keys are held down together.

Press these keys	To do this
 + 	Cancel an operation in progress.
 +  + 	Force a program to quit. Unsaved work will be lost.
 +  +  + 	Restart or shut down the computer (on some models). Unsaved work will be lost.
 +  + 	Force the computer to restart (on some models). Unsaved work will be lost.

If the above commands do not work try holding the startup button  for 10 seconds or until your screen goes black just like in the iMac lab.

### **Important:**

At the end of each school day please remember to shut your computer down by clicking on **Special** from the menubar and dragging down to **Shutdown**.