Disable Local Auto Correct

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Sometimes AutoCorrect will not operate correctly. This can be words not correcting, words or letters being replaced with different letters/words or adding QZ to the end of the word (amongst other things). This can be because a different auto correct facility might be interfering with AutoCorrect. In these cases, disabling that local facility can help.

For Mac

To check this, open Notes and type "sosij" (without quotations) and if it corrects, disable the Mac auto correct using the guide at https://support.apple.com/en-gb/guide/mac-

help/mchlp2299/mac#:~:text=To%20turn%20off%20autocorrection%20for,has%20its%20own%20spell%20checker.

For Windows

Open the Start Menu/Search bar and type Settings



Inside **Settings** you can use the **Find a setting** bar to type "Autocorrect misspelt words"

This will take you to the Time & Language>Typing page, here you can toggle off the option to correct misspelt words.

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For Google

Open the settings menu by heading to the 3 dots in the top right corner and pressing Settings.

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You can then use the **Search** bar to search for Spell check, then you can untick the option **Check for spellings errors** when you type text on web pages.

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For Word

To check this, if you open Notepad and type "sosij" (without quotations) and if it corrects, follow the steps below.

Open Word and click **File**



You will need to navigate to **Options.**

Next, click on **Proofing>AutoCorrect Options...**

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In the next window, untick **Replace text as you type.**

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For Outlook

Open Outlook and open File > Options and then click on Editor Options



In the next window, select Proofing > AutoCorrect Options

The next screen will have an option to click on **Replace Text As You Type**

