

# Phishing Website Allowlisting - Microsoft Defender for Endpoint

If your organization uses Microsoft Defender for Endpoint, Microsoft Defender XDR, or other **Microsoft Web Protection** products, your employees may experience issues with loading our simulated phishing websites.

Either a red blocked screen, or a little pop-up from Windows Defender may when attempting to load our simulated phishing websites.

## Windows Defender Blocked Popup



## Microsoft SmartScreen Blocked Screen

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The reason access is blocked is due to the category Microsoft has marked these domains under. To allowlist GrintOps Phishing websites, please follow the below guide.

# Allowlisting GrintOps Phishing Websites

It's possible to override the blocked category in web content filtering to allow a single site by creating a custom indicator policy. The custom indicator policy will supersede the web content filtering policy when it's applied to the device group in question.

To define a custom indicator, follow these steps:

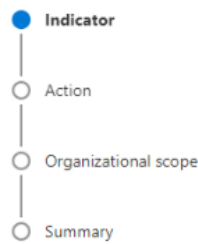
1. In the Microsoft Defender portal, go to Settings > Endpoints > Indicators > URL/Domain > Add Item. (Or click here -

[https://security.microsoft.com/securitysettings/endpoints/custom\\_ti\\_indicators?childviewid=url](https://security.microsoft.com/securitysettings/endpoints/custom_ti_indicators?childviewid=url))



2. **The following are examples of GrintOps phishing website domains to be added under the "Manage URLs to Not Rewrite" section.** One-by-one, enter the following GrintOps phishing website domains with an expiration of your choosing and ensuring the "Allow" action is specified for all devices in your organization:

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### Indicator

Indicator details

Specify the url and the expiration date. [Learn more](#)

URL/Domain \*

Indicator type Domain

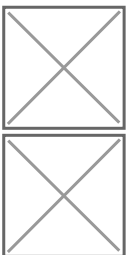
Title \*

Description \*

Expires on (UTC)

Never

Custom



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<input type="checkbox"/>	URL/Domain	Application	Action	Alert severity	Scope	Expires on (UTC)	Title
<input type="checkbox"/>			Allow	■■■■ Informational	All devices	Never	—
<input type="checkbox"/>			Allow	■■■■ Informational	All devices	Never	
<input type="checkbox"/>			Allow	■■■■ Informational	All devices	Never	
<input type="checkbox"/>			Allow	■■■■ Informational	All devices	Never	
<input type="checkbox"/>			Allow	■■■■ Informational	All devices	Never	

All done! It takes time for Microsoft to propogate these changes so please wait 1-2 hours for this policy to take effect.

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