

Hotmail – HOW TO ADD SENDERS TO YOUR INBOX

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To get autoresponder emails from spam to your Hotmail inbox (now Outlook.com), move a sample email from Junk to Inbox and mark it "Not Junk," then add the sender's email or domain to your Safe Senders list in Settings (Mail > Junk email) to train the filter for future delivery, ensuring the sender also has good practices like an easy unsubscribe link.

Steps to Allow Specific Senders

1. **Move from Junk**: Go to your Junk Email folder, select the email, and click "Not junk" or "Move to Inbox" (the exact wording varies slightly) to teach the filter.
2. **Add to Safe Senders:**
 1. Go to Outlook.com Settings (gear icon) > **Mail > Junk email**.
 2. Under **Safe senders and domains**, click **Add** and enter the sender's email address or the entire domain (e.g., `@example.com`).
 3. Click **Save**.

Other Tips

- **Check Rules:** Ensure you don't have a custom rule sending these messages to junk (Settings > Mail > Rules).
- **Sender's Role:** For autoresponders, the sender should have an obvious unsubscribe link and maintain list hygiene to avoid spam traps, which helps them get delivered.
- **Be Mindful:** Be careful where you share your email to reduce unwanted sign-ups that lead to spam.