

# Before Buying a DMR Radio.

## Things you will need to know -

1. You need a Windows Computer!!!
2. How to UN-Zip files on Windows.
3. How to install software on Windows.
4. You will need to have a Facebook account to join groups for information and help.
5. Homework, Homework is required. DMR is not plug and play.
6. What DMR repeaters you will be using.
7. The DMR Network the repeaters use.
8. You need to know what Talk Group goes on each Slot.
9. Reflectors only work on Slot 2.
10. What type of DMR radio meets your needs.
11. Understand how your DMR Radio works.
12. Hotspots differ to repeaters. Simplex or Duplex.
13. Know what a Codeplug is and how to add/edit channels, zones etc.
14. Know the difference between a Talk Groups and Reflectors. Also how they work.

If you do not know the above info **DO NOT BUY A DMR RADIO !!**

If and when you know the info above and can get your head around it.  
**Then and only then, buy a DMR Radio.**

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<http://tiny.cc/Anytone-DMR>