Blackdown Digital

Five basic protections. One certificate.

Cyber Essentials is the UK government-backed scheme showing your business has the basics in place against common cyber attacks.



5
simple controls, the same for every business

92%
fewer insurance claims from organisations with the controls in place

£25k
of free cyber insurance for eligible businesses

THE FIVE PROTECTIONS

Firewalls	Block anything from the internet you don't need.
Secure settings	Change default passwords, remove what isn't used.
Security updates	Use supported software and install fixes within 14 days.
User access	The right access for each person, with two-step sign-in.
Malware protection	Anti-malware on and up to date on every device.

HOW IT WORKS WITH US

1. **Free call** — No obligation
2. **We check** — With our own tools
3. **You fix** — With our help
4. **You apply** — A director signs
5. **Certified** — Valid for 12 months

A fixed price, agreed before we start. A typical year for a small business, including the certification fee.

£900 to £3,000

Not sure where you stand?

Book a free 20 to 30 minute call, no obligation.

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