

ASUS ZenPad S 8.0 Speakers Replacement

This guide will assist you in carefully disassembling your device's and replacing the speakers.

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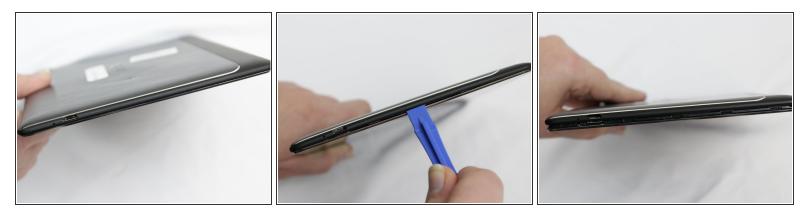
INTRODUCTION

After removing the Secondary Board on your device you should be exposed to the speaker. Now you are able to remove them. As a precautions ground yourself to prevent frying the internal components. Also make sure to keep track of screws and label them.

TOOLS:

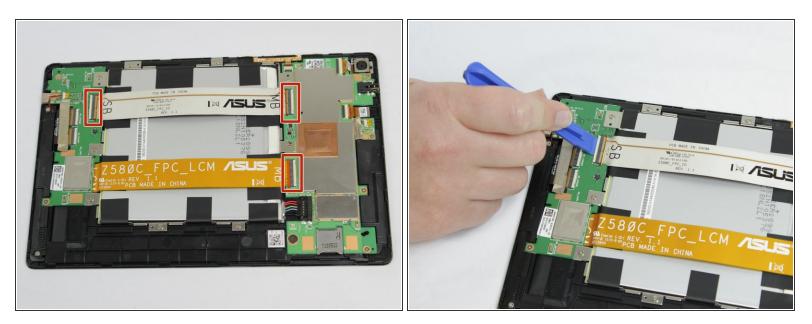
- Tweezers (1)
- iFixit Opening Tools (1)
- Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)

Step 1 — Rear Cover Removal



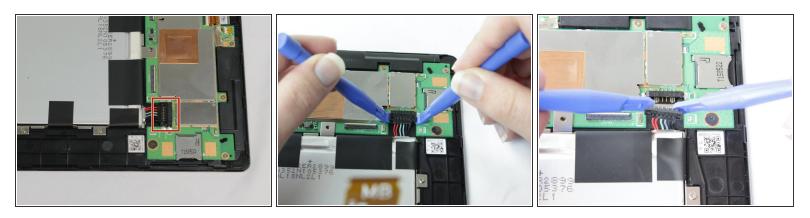
- if present, remove the MicroSD card before disassembly. Failure to remove could lead to damage to the MicroSD card , rear cover, or MicroSD card slot.
- Use the plastic tool to pry between the silver bezel and the back case
- Work the tool around the device to free the back case

Step 2



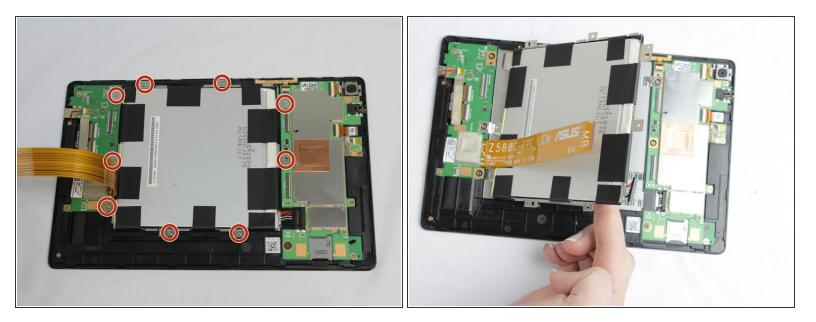
 Remove the ribbon cables by lifting up the white retaining flap on the ZIF connectors, then pulling the ribbon cable away.

↑ Do not kink the ribbon cables as they can break easily



Remove the battery connector by prying it up away from the device using 2 plastic pry tools

Step 4



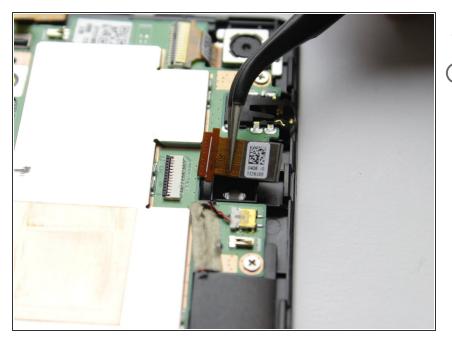
- Remove all 9 of the 1.5mm #00 Philips screws
- Gently lift the battery out of the device
- Use an opening pick or similar tool to separate the adhesive on the bottom and top of the battery.

Step 5 — Front Facing Camera



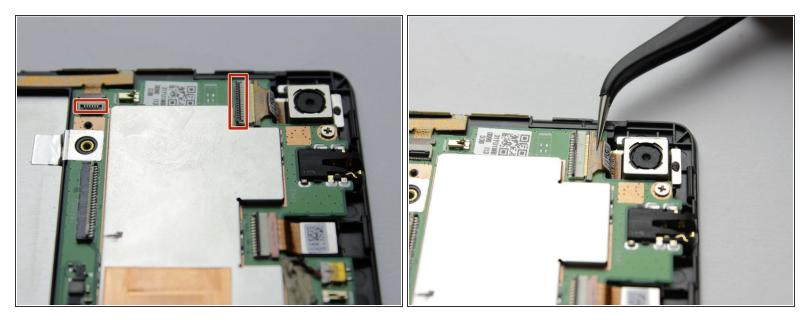
• Use a plastic opening tool to lift the black retaining flap on the ZIF Connector

Step 6



- Use a tweezers to lift out the camera
- *i* If you lifted the latch for the ribbon cable then it should come out with little resistance.

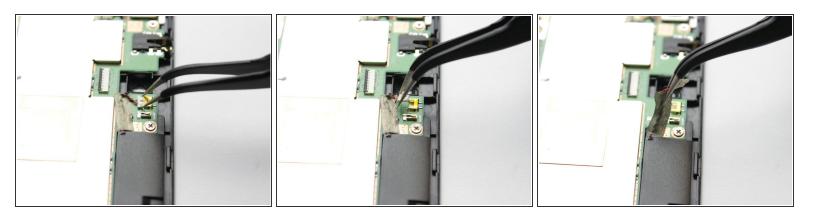
Step 7 — Motherboard



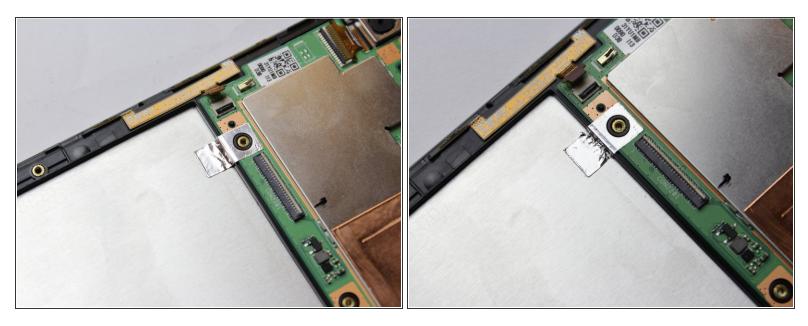
 Using the plastic prying tool, lift the small retaining flap on the ZIF Connectors holding the ribbon cables to the motherboard

(i) The removing of the ribbon cable is done in the same way as the front facing camera.

Step 8



- Using the tweezers remove the connector gently from the yellow slot
- Gently peel up the tape until is is completely released from the motherboard

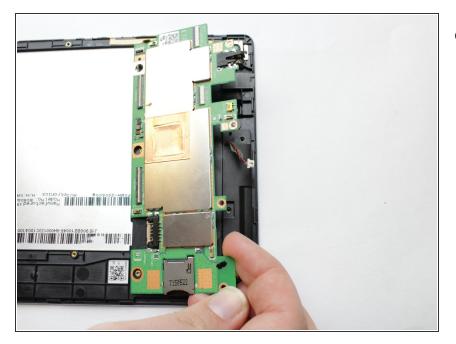


• Cut the warranty tape connecting the motherboard to the metal plate under the battery

Step 10

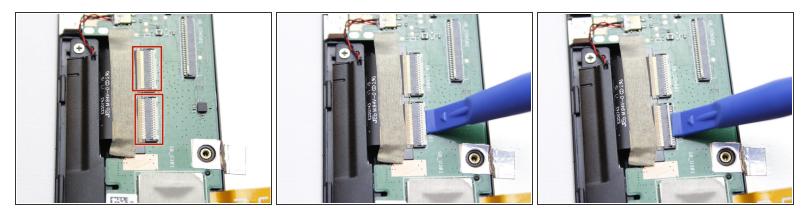


 Using the #00 Phillips head screwdriver, remove the remaining 1.5mm screws in the motherboard



 Gently lift the motherboard from your device

Step 12 — Daughter Board

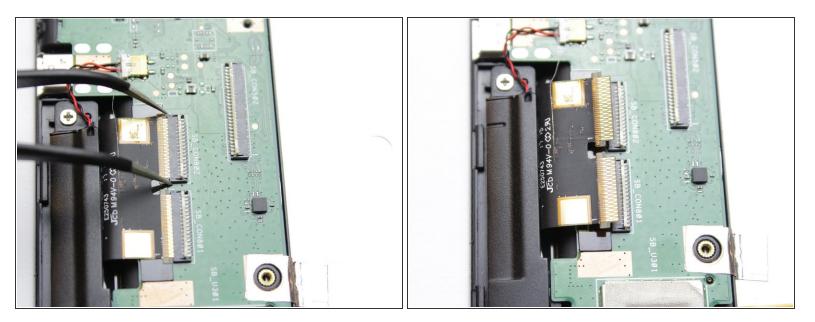


 To remove the ribbon cables, lift up the white retaining flap on the ZIF Connectors with a plastic pry tool



• Using the tweezers gently pull off the tape over the ribbon cable

Step 14

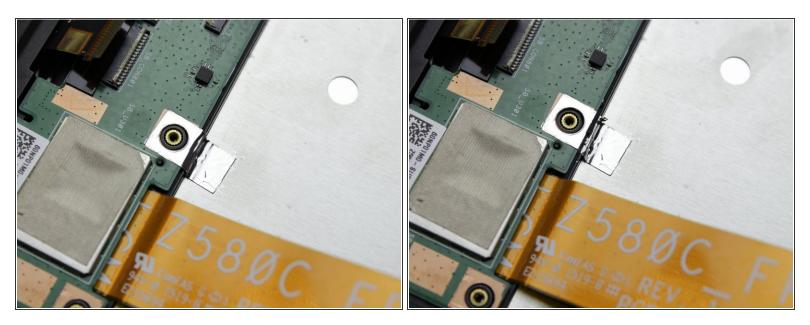


• Using the tweezers gently pull the ribbon cable out from from the connector.



• Using the tweezers gently remove the connector from the yellow slot

Step 16



• Cut the warranty tape connecting the daughter board to the metal plate under the battery



- Using the #00 Phillips head screwdriver, remove the remaining 1.5mm screws in the daughter board
- Gently lift the daughter board from the device

Step 18 — Speakers



• Gently lift up the speaker to remove it from the device



- Using the #00 Phillips head screwdriver, remove the 1.5mm screws
- Gently lift up the second speaker to remove it from the device

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.