

Subject: More Unicode Emoji Glyph changes
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These are based on suggestions by Jeremy Burge from [Emojipedia.org](#), and I propose that Unicode accept these changes.

See also [Recommended Unicode Glyph / Nameslist changes](#)

U+1F624 () FACE WITH LOOK OF TRIUMPH

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f624>

- a. Fix glyph to appear like it is winning, not angry / fed up.
 - b. Is there an language issue in the naming of this as a winning/triumphant, but the glyph (and common usage of this) displaying what appears to be extreme frustration or being fed up.
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U+1F626 () FROWNING FACE WITH OPEN MOUTH

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f626>

- a. Fix glyph to appear less shocked, and more frowning.
 - b. A frown with an ‘open mouth’ is difficult to achieve. Twitter achieves a clearer version of this than the glyph.
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U+1F633 () FLUSHED FACE

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f633>

- a. Fix glyph to appear with eyes open, and a straight mouth, to clarify embarrassment more clearly. Use 1F610 (Neutral Face) and add shading for red cheeks to achieve this.
 - b. This emoji is difficult to use at present due to the wide variety of implementations: Apple (alarmed), Google (resigned), or Microsoft (happy go lucky, but with sheepish eyes)
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U+1F483 () DANCER

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f483>

- a. Fix glyph to use a woman instead of a man dancing.
- b. Apple’s dancing woman image has become very iconic, and seems to imply a different meaning to the disco-dancing man.
- c. A gender-neutral image like Android or Windows might be a noble goal, but it removes some aspect of how this is used. Generally as “let’s party” or “let’s forget our worries and have a good time”.
- d. Add to nameslist annotation: “party” or “partying”

Mark: I agree that it takes a lot of the flavor out of this to make it gender neutral. Perhaps add another dancer so that we can have both genders?

U+1F48F () KISS

U+1F491 () COUPLE WITH HEART

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f48f>

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f491>

- a. Make the glyph be gender-neutral using smiley faces.

U+1F47B () GHOST

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f47b>

- a. Fix glyph to use an identifiable face on the ghost.
- b. Commonly used for Halloween, and light-hearted matters. The glyph at present is a scarier-looking ghost than most interpretations.

U+1F33B () SUNFLOWER

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f33b>

- a. Fix glyph to include stem and leaves on the sunflower.
- b. This is how sunflowers are generally drawn, the leaves being an important part of identification. Apple, Windows and Twitter are good examples.

U+1F335 () CACTUS

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f335>

- a. Fix glyph of cactus to use three-prong cactus (Saguaro), easily identifiable by more people.
- b. All platforms already use this style.

U+1F35C () STEAMING BOWL

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f35c>

- a. Fix glyph to tilt the bowl to show that the contents are food, and not beverage.
- b. Makes this distinct from 1F375 Teacup Without Handle.

U+1F373 () COOKING

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f373>

- a. Fix glyph to use top-down image of frypan with egg.
- b. Current glyph is difficult to see.

U+1F69C () TRACTOR

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f69c>

- a. Fix glyph to appear like a modern tractor, without a driver. See the vendor glyphs from the link.



U+1F4DE () TELEPHONE RECEIVER

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f4de>

- a. Fix glyph to flip horizontal orientation of phone receiver.
- b. Receiver faces left at present, whereas all platforms except Android show this the opposite way.



U+1F4DC () SCROLL

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f4dc>

- a. Fix glyph to show as a traditional scroll with a roll at the top and bottom, *like the Apple or Twitter images*.



U+1F4B1 () CURRENCY EXCHANGE

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f4b1>

- a. Fix glyph to appear more similar to iOS, Windows, or Twitter versions with an arrow pointing between currencies. This shows an exchange, whereas the current glyph looks like “multiple currencies” or “money” without any indication of exchange.



U+1F4E7 () E-MAIL SYMBOL

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f4e7>

- a. Consider using a glyph of an envelope with @ symbol on it, instead of the letter E. Like Google uses in the Android image, *or Windows uses*. Few people would equate “E” with email more than than @ symbol.



U+1F621 () POUTING FACE

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f621>



U+1F63E () POUTING CAT FACE

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f63e>



U+1F64E () PERSON WITH POUTING FACE

<http://www.unicode.org/Public/emoji/1.0/full-emoji-list.html#1f64e>

- a. If changes are made from **L2/15-015R** to make the pouting face look less furious and more pouting, make sure the others are aligned.