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Is there a way to turn OFF the new emoji suggestions in Sonoma?

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In Sonoma, if you bring up the emoji viewer (or "Character Viewer" as I have learned today) via the Globe key or the good old control-command-space and the last word you typed has a "relevant" emoji associated with it, it will only show those emoji and you need to use the down arrow to get the full Character Viewer.

So far, this has never been what I wanted. I often use some kind of face emoji to add emotion to the previous sentence, so even if that sentence ends on a particular word, it usually doesn't mean I want an emoji related to that.

I have not been able to figure out how to disable this. In fact, it took me a while to even find references to this feature at all (there's nothing about it in System Settings). Any ideas? Maybe some kind of defaults command?

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This feature (along with many other things in Sonoma) is driving me nuts.

I haven't found a way to disable it, but I have found that if you press the "down" arrow when the suggestions pop up, it'll reveal the old panel (with focus in the search box).

So now I'm working on retraining my "control-command-space" to "control-command-space-down"

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BetterTouchTool to the rescue, here's my keyboard settings for this (all apps). I've always used fn+e btw, you can set it to replace the globe key if you want.

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It is driving me insane. It suggests literal emojis and it is beyond pathetic. Apple development team, what were you guys thinking?

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I can't believe there isn't a way to turn this off, it is driving me insane. Have to regress to emoticons now >:P

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(This is it's exactly the sort of thing that Google fails at, and increasingly so it seems - the search results are getting ever more useless).

So thank god for Reddit, the only source of actual help on the internet.

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Glad to know I'm not alone in this 😊

I have had a pretty good experience with Sonoma so far, but this new emoji recommendation is something I am not a fan of. I found that using "tab" will prompt the standard emoji selection window, but I have had an issue where when I select one, it is not inserted into my text field (specifically when using it with Messages).

I reported it to Apple back during the beta, but still have yet to have a resolution. One of the comments here suggested using the "down arrow", and that seems to work! 🤔

Anyways.. I recommend people give feedback via the [assistant app](#).. hopefully that reaches someone who can make improvements.

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