

Apple Device Setup Guide

Simple step-by-step instructions for setting up the most common Apple devices.

Before You Start

- 1 Make sure your device is fully charged or plugged in.
- 2 Have your Wi-Fi password ready.
- 3 Have your Apple ID email address and password ready.
- 4 If you do not have an Apple ID, you can create one during setup.
- 5 Keep any old device nearby if you want to transfer your information.

1. Setting Up an iPhone or iPad

- 1 Turn on your device by pressing and holding the side button until the Apple logo appears.
- 2 Choose your language.
- 3 Select your country or region.
- 4 Connect to your home Wi-Fi network.
- 5 Set up Face ID or Touch ID if your device offers it.
- 6 Create a passcode that you can remember.
- 7 Choose whether to transfer information from another device or set up as a new device.
- 8 Sign in with your Apple ID.
- 9 Agree to the terms and conditions.
- 10 Turn on iCloud so your photos and information are backed up.
- 11 Turn on automatic updates.
- 12 Tap 'Get Started' to finish setup.

2. Setting Up a Mac (MacBook or iMac)

- 1 Turn on your Mac using the power button.
- 2 Choose your language and country.
- 3 Connect to your Wi-Fi network.
- 4 Transfer information from another Mac if needed, or skip this step.
- 5 Sign in with your Apple ID.
- 6 Agree to the terms and conditions.
- 7 Create your user account with your name and password.
- 8 Set up Touch ID if available.
- 9 Turn on iCloud.
- 10 Choose your preferred settings and finish setup.

3. Setting Up an Apple Watch

- 1 Turn on the Apple Watch by pressing and holding the side button.
- 2 Bring your iPhone close to the Apple Watch.
- 3 Tap 'Continue' on your iPhone.
- 4 Use your iPhone camera to scan the animation on the Apple Watch screen.
- 5 Choose to set up as a new watch or restore from backup.
- 6 Sign in with your Apple ID.
- 7 Create a passcode for the watch.
- 8 Choose your settings such as Siri and location services.
- 9 Wait for the watch to sync with your iPhone.
- 10 Start using your Apple Watch.

4. Setting Up AirPods

- 1 Turn on Bluetooth on your iPhone.
- 2 Open the AirPods case near your iPhone.
- 3 Tap 'Connect' on the screen.
- 4 Follow the instructions shown on your iPhone.
- 5 Tap 'Done' to finish setup.

5. Setting Up Apple TV

- 1 Plug your Apple TV into power and connect it to your television using an HDMI cable.
- 2 Turn on your TV and choose the correct HDMI input.
- 3 Pair the Apple TV remote.
- 4 Choose your language and region.
- 5 Connect to Wi-Fi.
- 6 Sign in with your Apple ID.
- 7 Choose your settings such as Siri and location services.
- 8 Finish setup and start using Apple TV.

Helpful Tip

If you forget your Apple ID password, visit Apple's password reset page or ask a trusted friend or family member for help.

You may also want to print this guide so you can tick off each step as you complete it.