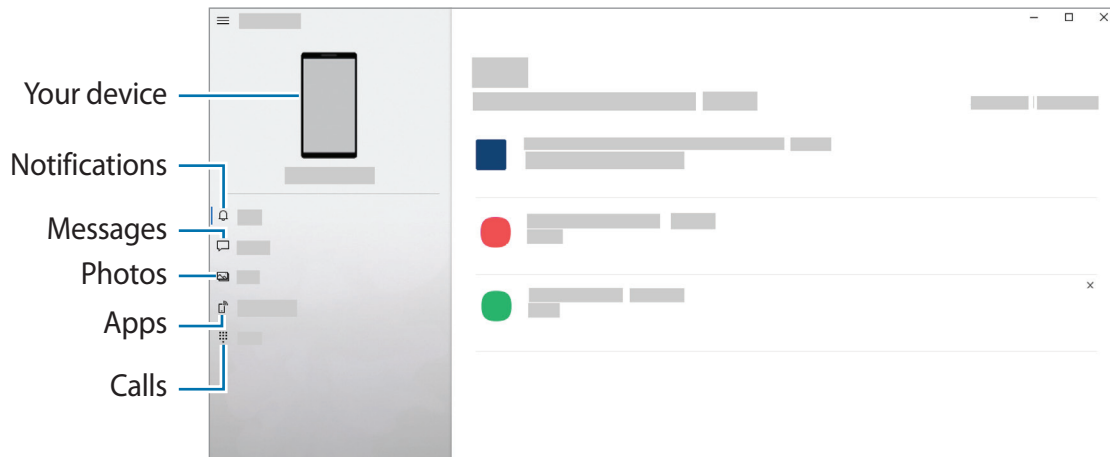


Viewing data and notifications from your device on the computer

Launch the **Your Phone** app on the computer and select a category you want.



 Available features and menus may vary depending on the software version or model.

Samsung Global Goals

The Global Goals, which were established by the United Nations General Assembly in 2015, consist of goals that aim to create a sustainable society. These goals have the power to end poverty, fight inequality, and stop climate change.

With Samsung Global Goals, learn more about the global goals and join the movement for a better future.

Google apps

Google provides entertainment, social network, and business apps. You may require a Google account to access some apps.

To view more app information, access each app's help menu.

- **Chrome:** Search for information and browse webpages.
- **Gmail:** Send or receive emails via the Google Mail service.
- **Maps:** Find your location on the map, search the world map, and view location information for various places around you.
- **YT Music:** Enjoy various music and videos provided by YouTube Music. You can also view the music collections stored on your device and play them.
- **Play Movies & TV:** Purchase or rent videos, such as movies and TV programmes, from **Play Store**.
- **Drive:** Store your content on the cloud, access it from anywhere, and share it with others.
- **YouTube:** Watch or create videos and share them with others.
- **Photos:** Search for, manage, and edit all your pictures and videos from various sources in one place.
- **Google:** Search quickly for items on the Internet or your device.
- **Duo:** Make a simple video call.
- **Messages:** Send and receive messages on your device or computer, and share various content, such as images and videos.



Some apps may not be available depending on the service provider or model.

Settings

Introduction

Customise device settings.

Launch the **Settings** app.

To search for settings by entering keywords, tap **Q**.

Samsung account

Sign in to your Samsung account and manage it.

On the Settings screen, tap **Samsung account**.

Connections

Options

Change settings for various connections, such as the Wi-Fi feature and Bluetooth.

On the Settings screen, tap **Connections**.

- **Wi-Fi:** Activate the Wi-Fi feature to connect to a Wi-Fi network and access the Internet or other network devices. Refer to [Wi-Fi](#) for more information.
- **Bluetooth:** Use Bluetooth to exchange data or media files with other Bluetooth-enabled devices. Refer to [Bluetooth](#) for more information.
- **NFC and contactless payments:** Set the device to allow you to read near field communication (NFC) tags that contain information about products. You can also use this feature to make payments and buy tickets for transportation or events after downloading the required apps. Refer to [NFC and contactless payments](#) for more information.
- **Flight mode:** Set the device to disable all wireless functions on your device. You can use only non-network services.
 - ⚠ Follow the regulations provided by the airline and the instructions of aircraft personnel. In cases where it is allowed to use the device, always use it in flight mode.

- **Mobile networks:** Configure your mobile network settings.
- **Data usage:** Keep track of your data usage amount and customise the settings for the limitation. Set the device to automatically disable the mobile data connection when the amount of mobile data you have used reaches your specified limit.

You can activate the data saver feature to prevent some apps running in the background from sending or receiving data. Refer to [Data saver](#) for more information.

You can also select apps to always use the mobile data even when your device is connected to a Wi-Fi network. Refer to [Mobile data only apps](#) for more information.

- **SIM card manager** (dual SIM models): Activate your SIM or USIM cards and customise the SIM card settings. Refer to [SIM card manager \(dual SIM models\)](#) for more information.
- **Mobile Hotspot and Tethering:** Use the device as a mobile hotspot to share the device's mobile data connection with other devices. For more information about the mobile hotspot, refer to [Mobile Hotspot](#).



You may incur additional charges when using this feature.

- **More connection settings:** Customise settings to control other features. Refer to [More connection settings](#) for more information.

Wi-Fi

Activate the Wi-Fi feature to connect to a Wi-Fi network and access the Internet or other network devices.


Connecting to a Wi-Fi network

1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Wi-Fi** and tap the switch to activate it.

2 Select a network from the Wi-Fi networks list.

Networks with a lock icon require a password.



- Once the device connects to a Wi-Fi network, the device will reconnect to that network each time it is available without requiring a password. To prevent the device from connecting to the network automatically, tap  next to the network and tap the **Auto reconnect** switch to deactivate it.
- If you cannot connect to a Wi-Fi network properly, restart your device's Wi-Fi feature or the wireless router.

Viewing the Wi-Fi network quality information

View the Wi-Fi network quality information, such as the speed and stability.

On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Wi-Fi** and tap the switch to activate it. The network quality information will appear under the Wi-Fi networks. If it does not appear, tap **⋮** → **Advanced** and tap the **Show network quality info** switch to activate it.

 The quality information may not appear depending on the Wi-Fi network.

Sharing Wi-Fi network passwords

If you make a request to a person who is connected to a secured Wi-Fi network to share its password, you can connect to the network without entering the password. This feature is available between the devices which have contacts each other and the screen of the other device must be turned on.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Wi-Fi** and tap the switch to activate it.
- 2 Select a network from the Wi-Fi networks list.
- 3 Tap **Request password**.
- 4 Accept the share request on the other device.
The Wi-Fi password is entered on your device and it is connected to the network.

Wi-Fi Direct

Wi-Fi Direct connects devices directly via a Wi-Fi network without requiring an access point.



- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Wi-Fi** and tap the switch to activate it.
- 2 Tap **⋮** → **Wi-Fi Direct**.
The detected devices are listed.
If the device you want to connect to is not in the list, request that the device turns on its Wi-Fi Direct feature.
- 3 Select a device to connect to.
The devices will be connected when the other device accepts the Wi-Fi Direct connection request.
To end the device connection, select the device to disconnect from the list.

Bluetooth

Use Bluetooth to exchange data or media files with other Bluetooth-enabled devices.


- ❗ • Samsung is not responsible for the loss, interception, or misuse of data sent or received via Bluetooth.
- Always ensure that you share and receive data with devices that are trusted and properly secured. If there are obstacles between the devices, the operating distance may be reduced.
- Some devices, especially those that are not tested or approved by the Bluetooth SIG, may be incompatible with your device.
- Do not use the Bluetooth feature for illegal purposes (for example, pirating copies of files or illegally tapping communications for commercial purposes). Samsung is not responsible for the repercussion of illegal use of the Bluetooth feature.

Pairing with other Bluetooth devices

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Bluetooth** and tap the switch to activate it. The detected devices will be listed.
- 2 Select a device to pair with.
If the device you want to pair with is not on the list, set the device to enter Bluetooth pairing mode. Refer to the other device's user manuals.
 Your device is visible to other devices while the Bluetooth settings screen is open.
- 3 Accept the Bluetooth connection request on your device to confirm. The devices will be connected when the other device accepts the Bluetooth connection request.
To unpair the devices, tap  next to the device name to unpair and tap **Unpair**.

Sending and receiving data

Many apps support data transfer via Bluetooth. You can share data, such as contacts or media files, with other Bluetooth devices. The following actions are an example of sending an image to another device.

- 1 Launch the **Gallery** app and select an image.
- 2 Tap  → **Bluetooth** and select a device to transfer the image to.
If the device you want to pair with is not in the list, request that the device turns on its visibility option.
- 3 Accept the Bluetooth connection request on the other device.

NFC and contactless payments

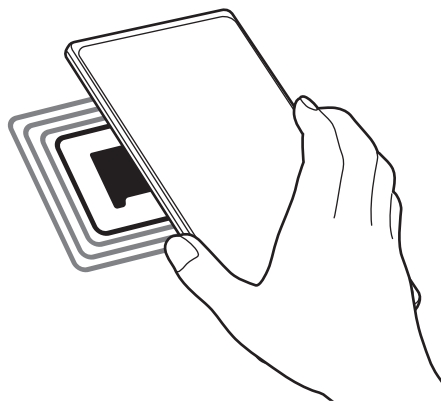
Your device allows you to read near field communication (NFC) tags that contain information about products. You can also use this feature to make payments and buy tickets for transportation or events after downloading the required apps.


-  The device contains a built-in NFC antenna. Handle the device carefully to avoid damaging the NFC antenna.

Reading information from NFC tags

Use the NFC feature to read product information from NFC tags.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** and tap the **NFC and contactless payments** switch to activate it.
- 2 Place the NFC antenna area on the back of your device near an NFC tag.
The information from the tag appears.




-  Ensure that the device's screen is turned on and unlocked. Otherwise, the device will not read NFC tags or receive data.

Making payments with the NFC feature

Before you can use the NFC feature to make payments, you must register for the mobile payment service. To register or get more information about the service, contact your service provider.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** and tap the **NFC and contactless payments** switch to activate it.
- 2 Touch the NFC antenna area on the back of your device to the NFC card reader.


To set the default payment app, open the Settings screen and tap **Connections** → **NFC and contactless payments** → **Contactless payments** → **Payment**, and then select an app.

 The payment services list may not include all available payment apps.

Data saver

Reduce your data usage by preventing some apps running in the background from sending or receiving data.

On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Data usage** → **Data saver** and tap the switch to activate it.

When the data saver feature is activated, the  icon will appear on the status bar.



 To select apps to use data without restriction, tap **Allowed to use data while Data saver is on** and select apps.

Mobile data only apps

Select apps to always use the mobile data even when your device is connected to a Wi-Fi network.


For example, you can set the device to use only mobile data for apps that you want to keep secure or streaming apps that can be disconnected. Even if you do not deactivate the Wi-Fi feature, the apps will launch using the mobile data.


On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Data usage** → **Mobile data only apps**, tap the switch to activate it, and then tap the switches next to the apps you want.

 You may incur additional charges when using this feature.

Mobile Hotspot

Use your device as a mobile hotspot to share your device's mobile data connection with other devices.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **Mobile Hotspot and Tethering** → **Mobile Hotspot**.
- 2 Tap the switch to activate it.
The  icon appears on the status bar.
You can change the level of security and the password by tapping **Configure**.
- 3 On the other device's screen, search for and select your device from the Wi-Fi networks list. Alternatively, tap **QR code** on the mobile hotspot screen and scan the QR code with the other device.

-  • If the mobile hotspot is not found, on your device, tap **Configure** and set **Band** to **2.4 GHz**, tap **Advanced**, and then tap the **Hidden network** switch to deactivate it.
- If you activate the **Auto Hotspot** feature, you can share your device's mobile data connection with other devices signed in to your Samsung account.

More connection settings


Customise settings to control other connection features.

On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **More connection settings**.

- **Nearby device scanning:** Set the device to scan for nearby devices to connect to.
- **Printing:** Configure settings for printer plug-ins installed on the device. You can search for available printers or add one manually to print files. Refer to [Printing](#) for more information.
- **VPN:** Set up virtual private networks (VPNs) on your device to connect to a school or company's private network.
- **Private DNS:** Set the device to use the security enhanced private DNS.
- **Ethernet:** When you connect an Ethernet adaptor, you can use a wired network and configure network settings.

Printing


Configure settings for printer plug-ins installed on the device. You can connect the device to a printer via Wi-Fi or Wi-Fi Direct, and print images or documents.

 Some printers may not be compatible with the device.


Adding printer plug-ins


Add printer plug-ins for printers you want to connect the device to.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Connections** → **More connection settings** → **Printing** → **Download plugin**.
- 2 Select a printer plug-in and install it.
- 3 Select the installed printer plug-in.
The device will automatically search for printers that are connected to the same Wi-Fi network as your device.
- 4 Select a printer to add.

 To add printers manually, tap  → **Add printer**.

Printing content

While viewing content, such as images or documents, access the options list, tap **Print** →  → **All printers...**, and then select a printer.

 Printing methods may vary depending on the content type.

Sounds and vibration

Options

Change settings for various sounds on the device.

On the Settings screen, tap **Sounds and vibration**.

- **Sound mode:** Set the device to use sound mode, vibration mode, or silent mode.
- **Vibrate while ringing:** Set the device to vibrate and play a ringtone for incoming calls.
- **Temporary mute:** Set the device to use silent mode for a certain period.
- **Ringtone:** Change the call ringtone.
- **Notification sound:** Change the notification sound.
- **System sound:** Change the sound to use for certain actions, such as charging the device.
- **Volume:** Adjust the device's volume level.
- **Call vibration pattern:** Change the call vibration pattern.
- **Notification vibration pattern:** Change the notification vibration pattern.
- **Vibration intensity:** Adjust the force of the vibration notification.
- **System sound/vibration control:** Set the device to sound or vibrate for actions, such as controlling the touchscreen.
- **Sound quality and effects:** Set the device's sound quality and effects. Refer to [Sound quality and effects](#) for more information.
- **Separate app sound:** Set the device to play media sound from a specific app separately on the other audio device. Refer to [Separate app sound](#) for more information.



Some features may not be available depending on the model.

Sound quality and effects

Set the device's sound quality and effects.

On the Settings screen, tap **Sounds and vibration** → **Sound quality and effects**.

- **Dolby Atmos:** Select a surround sound mode optimised for various types of audio, such as movies, music, and voice. With Dolby Atmos, you can experience moving audio sounds that flow all around you.
- **Dolby Atmos for gaming:** Experience the Dolby Atmos sound optimised for games while playing games.

- **Equaliser:** Select an option for a specific music genre and enjoy optimised sound.
- **UHQ upscaler:** Enhance the sound resolution of music and videos.
- **Adapt sound:** Set the best sound for you.



Depending on the model, you must connect an earphone to use some features.

Separate app sound

Set the device to play media sound from a specific app on the connected Bluetooth speaker or headset.

For example, you can listen to the Navigation app through your device's speaker while listening to playback from the Music app through the vehicle's Bluetooth speaker.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Sounds and vibration** → **Separate app sound** and tap the switch to activate it.
- 2 Select an app to play media sounds separately and tap the Back button.
- 3 Select a device for playing the selected app's media sound.

Notifications

Change the notification settings.

On the Settings screen, tap **Notifications**.


- **Notification pop-up style:** Select a notification pop-up style and change the settings.
- **Recently sent:** View the apps that received recent notifications and change the notification settings. To customise notification settings for more apps, tap **More** → ▼ → **All** and select an app from the apps list.
- **Do not disturb:** Set the device to mute all sounds except for allowed exceptions.
- **Advanced settings:** Configure advanced settings for notifications.

Display

Options

Change the display and the Home screen settings.

On the Settings screen, tap **Display**.

- **Light / Dark:** Activate or deactivate dark mode.
- **Dark mode settings:** Reduce eye strain by applying the dark theme when using the device at night or in a dark place. You can set a schedule for applying dark mode.
 The dark theme may not be applied in some apps.
- **Brightness:** Adjust the brightness of the display.
- **Adaptive brightness:** Set the device to keep track of your brightness adjustments and apply them automatically in similar lighting conditions.
- **Motion smoothness:** Change the refresh rate of the screen. When a high refresh rate is set, the screen will scroll more smoothly. Refer to [Motion smoothness](#) for more information.
- **Eye comfort shield:** Reduce eye strain by limiting the amount of blue light emitted by the screen. You can set a schedule for applying this feature.
- **Screen mode:** Change the screen mode to adjust the display's colour and contrast. Refer to [Changing the screen mode or adjusting the display colour](#) for more information.
- **Font size and style:** Change the font size and style.
- **Screen zoom:** Make the items on the screen larger or smaller.
- **Full screen apps:** Select apps to use with the full screen aspect ratio.
- **Screen timeout:** Set the length of time the device waits before turning off the display's backlight.
- **Easy mode:** Switch to easy mode to display larger icons and apply a simpler layout to the Home screen.
- **Edge panels:** Change the settings for the Edge panel.
- **Navigation bar:** Change the navigation bar settings. Refer to [Navigation bar \(soft buttons\)](#) for more information.

- **Accidental touch protection:** Set the device to prevent the screen from detecting touch input when it is in a dark place, such as a pocket or bag.
- **Touch sensitivity:** Increase the touch sensitivity of the screen for use with screen protectors.
- **Show charging information:** Set the device to display the charging information, such as the remaining battery percentage when the screen is off.
- **Screensaver:** Set the device to launch a screensaver when the device is charging.



Some features may not be available depending on the model.

Motion smoothness

The refresh rate is the number of times the screen is refreshed every second. Use a high refresh rate to prevent the screen from flickering when switching between screens. The screen will scroll more smoothly. When you select a standard refresh rate, you can use the battery longer.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Display** → **Motion smoothness**.
- 2 Select a refresh rate.
 - **High:** Get smoother animations and scrolling by automatically adjusting your screen refresh rate up to 90 Hz (SM-A525F, SM-A725F) / 120 Hz (SM-A526B).
 - **Standard:** Use a standard refresh rate in normal situations to conserve battery power.

Changing the screen mode or adjusting the display colour

Change the screen mode or adjust the display colour to your preference.

Changing the screen mode

On the Settings screen, tap **Display** → **Screen mode** and select a mode you want.

- **Vivid:** This optimises the colour range, saturation, and sharpness of your display. You can also adjust the display colour balance by colour value.
- **Natural:** This adjusts the screen to a natural tone.



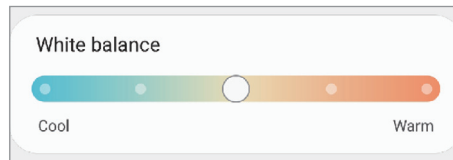
- You can adjust the display colour only in **Vivid** mode.
- **Vivid** mode may not be compatible with third-party apps.
- You cannot change the screen mode while applying the blue light filter.

Optimising the full screen colour balance

Optimise the display colour by adjusting the colour tones to your preference.

On the Settings screen, tap **Display** → **Screen mode** → **Vivid** and adjust the colour adjustment bar under **White balance**.

When you drag the colour adjustment bar towards **Cool**, the blue colour tone will increase. When you drag the bar towards **Warm**, the red colour tone will increase.



Adjusting the screen tone by colour value

Increase or lower certain colour tones by adjusting the Red, Green, or Blue value individually.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Display** → **Screen mode** → **Vivid**.
- 2 Tap **Advanced settings**.
- 3 Adjust the **R** (Red), **G** (Green), or **B** (Blue) colour bar to your preference. The screen tone will be adjusted.

Wallpaper

Change the wallpaper settings for the Home screen and the locked screen.

On the Settings screen, tap **Wallpaper**.

Themes

Apply various themes to the device to change the visual elements of the Home screen, locked screen, and icons.

On the Settings screen, tap **Themes**.

Home screen

Configure settings for the Home screen, such as the screen layout.

On the Settings screen, tap **Home screen**.

Lock screen

Options

Change the settings for the locked screen.

On the Settings screen, tap **Lock screen**.

- **Screen lock type:** Change the screen lock method.
- **Smart Lock:** Set the device to unlock itself when trusted locations or devices are detected. Refer to [Smart Lock](#) for more information.
- **Secure lock settings:** Change screen lock settings for the selected lock method.
- **Always On Display:** Set the device to display information while the screen is turned off. Refer to [Always On Display](#) for more information.
- **Wallpaper services:** Set the device to use wallpaper services such as Dynamic Lock screen.
- **Clock style:** Change the type and colour of the clock on the locked screen.
- **Roaming clock:** Change the clock to show both the local and home time zones on the locked screen when roaming.
- **Widgets:** Change the settings of the items displayed on the locked screen.
- **Contact information:** Set the device to show contact information, such as your email address, on the locked screen.
- **Notifications:** Set how to show notifications on the locked screen.
- **Shortcuts:** Select apps to display shortcuts to them on the locked screen.
- **About Lock screen:** View the Lock screen version and legal information.



The available options may vary depending on the screen lock method selected.

Smart Lock

You can set the device to unlock itself and remain unlocked when trusted locations or devices are detected.

For example, if you have set your home as a trusted location, when you get home your device will detect the location and automatically unlock itself.

On the Settings screen, tap **Lock screen** → **Smart Lock** and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the setup.

- This feature will be available to use after you set a screen lock method.
- If you do not use your device for four hours or when you turn on the device, you must unlock the screen using the pattern, PIN, or password you set.

Always On Display

You can view information, such as the clock or calendar, or control music playback on the screen when it is turned off.

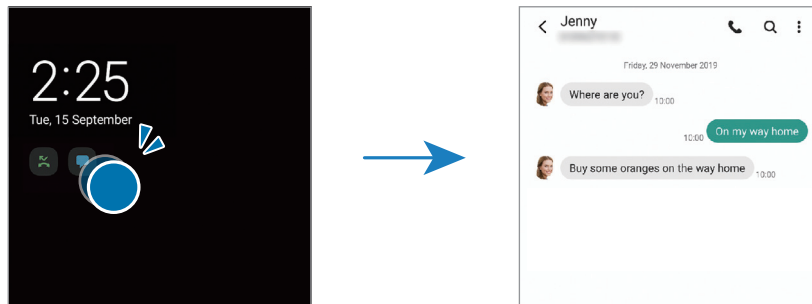
You can also check notifications for new messages or missed calls.

The Always On Display is set to appear only when you tap the screen. To change the settings to make it appear continuously or during a set time, on the Settings screen, tap **Lock screen** → **Always On Display**, and then select a mode you want.

- The brightness of the Always On Display may change automatically depending on the lighting conditions.


Opening notifications on the Always On Display

When you receive message, missed call, or app notifications, notification icons will appear on the Always On Display. Double-tap a notification icon to view its notification.



- If the screen is locked, you must unlock it to view notifications.

Deactivating the Always On Display feature

Open the notification panel, swipe downwards, and then tap  (**Always On Display**) to deactivate it. Alternatively, on the Settings screen, tap **Lock screen**, and then tap the **Always On Display** switch to deactivate it.

Biometrics and security

Options

Change the settings for securing the device.

On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security**.

- **Face recognition:** Set the device to unlock the screen by recognising your face. Refer to [Face recognition](#) for more information.
- **Fingerprints:** Register your fingerprints to unlock the screen. Refer to [Fingerprint recognition](#) for more information.
- **More biometrics settings:** Change the settings for biometric data. You can also view the version of the biometrics security patch and check for updates.
- **Google Play Protect:** Set the device to check for harmful apps and behaviour and warn about potential harm and remove them.
- **Security update:** View the version of your device's software and check for updates.
- **Find My Mobile:** Activate or deactivate the Find My Mobile feature. Access the Find My Mobile website (findmymobile.samsung.com) to track and control your lost or stolen device.
- **Samsung Pass:** Verify your identity easily and securely via your biometric data. Refer to [Samsung Pass](#) for more information.
- **Secure Folder:** Create a secure folder to protect your private content and apps from others. Refer to [Secure Folder](#) for more information.
- **Secure Wi-Fi:** Set the device to protect your data while using unsecured Wi-Fi networks. Refer to [Secure Wi-Fi \(Galaxy A52\)](#) for more information. (Galaxy A52)
- **Private Share:** Share files with others securely using blockchain technology.
- **Install unknown apps:** Set the device to allow the installation of apps from unknown sources.
- **Encrypt SD card:** Set the device to encrypt files on a memory card.
 - ⚠ If you reset your device to the factory defaults with this setting enabled, the device will not be able to read your encrypted files. Disable this setting before resetting the device.
- **Other security settings:** Configure additional security settings.



Some features may not be available depending on the service provider or model.

Face recognition

You can set the device to unlock the screen by recognising your face.



- If you use your face as a screen lock method, your face cannot be used to unlock the screen for the first time after turning on the device. To use the device, you must unlock the screen using the pattern, PIN, or password you set when registering the face. Be careful not to forget your pattern, PIN, or password.
- If you change the screen lock method to **Swipe** or **None**, which are not secure, all of your biometric data will be deleted. If you want to use your biometric data in apps or features, you must register your biometric data again.

Precautions for using face recognition

Before using the face recognition to unlock your device, keep the following precautions in mind.

- Your device could be unlocked by someone or something that looks like your image.
- Face recognition is less secure than Pattern, PIN, or Password.

For better face recognition

Consider the following when using face recognition:

- Consider the conditions when registering, such as wearing glasses, hats, masks, beards, or heavy makeup
- Ensure that you are in a well-lit area and that the camera lens is clean when registering
- Ensure your image is not blurry for better match results

Registering your face

For better face registration, register your face indoors and out of direct sunlight.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Face recognition**.
- 2 Read the on-screen instructions and tap **Continue**.
- 3 Set a screen lock method.

4 Select whether you are wearing glasses or not and tap **Continue**.

5 Position your face inside the frame on the screen.

The camera will scan your face.



- If unlocking the screen with your face is not working properly, tap **Remove face data** to remove your registered face and register your face again.
- To enhance the face recognition, tap **Add alternative look** and add an alternate appearance.

Unlocking the screen with your face

You can unlock the screen with your face instead of using a pattern, PIN, or password.

1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Face recognition**.

2 Unlock the screen using the preset screen lock method.

3 Tap the **Face unlock** switch to activate it.

4 On the locked screen, look at the screen.

When your face is recognised, you can unlock the screen without using any additional screen lock method. If your face is not recognised, use the preset screen lock method.

Deleting the registered face data

You can delete face data that you have registered.

1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Face recognition**.

2 Unlock the screen using the preset screen lock method.

3 Tap **Remove face data** → **Remove**.

Once the registered face is deleted, all the related features will also be deactivated.

Fingerprint recognition

In order for fingerprint recognition to function, your fingerprint information needs to be registered and stored in your device.



- This feature may not be available depending on the service provider or model.
- Fingerprint recognition uses the unique characteristics of each fingerprint to enhance the security of your device. The likelihood of the fingerprint sensor confusing two different fingerprints is very low. However, in rare cases where separate fingerprints are very similar the sensor may recognise them as identical.
- If you use a screen protector, make sure it allows for use of the On-screen fingerprint sensor.
- If you use your fingerprint as a screen lock method, your fingerprint cannot be used to unlock the screen for the first time after turning on the device. To use the device, you must unlock the screen using the pattern, PIN, or password you set when registering the fingerprint. Be careful not to forget your pattern, PIN, or password.
- If your fingerprint is not recognised, unlock the device using the pattern, PIN, or password you set when registering the fingerprint, and then re-register your fingerprints. If your pattern, PIN, or password is forgotten, you will not be able to use the device if you do not reset it. Samsung is not responsible for any data loss or inconvenience caused by forgotten unlock codes.
- If you change the screen lock method to **Swipe** or **None**, which are not secure, all of your biometric data will be deleted. If you want to use your biometric data in apps or features, you must register your biometric data again.

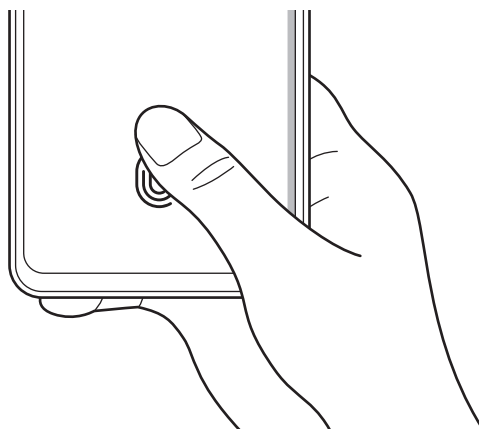
For better fingerprint recognition

When you scan your fingerprints on the device, be aware of the following conditions that may affect the feature's performance:

- The device may not recognise fingerprints that are affected by wrinkles or scars.
- The device may not recognise fingerprints from small or thin fingers.
- To improve recognition performance, register fingerprints of the hand used most often to perform tasks on the device.
- Your device has a built-in fingerprint recognition sensor at the bottom centre of the screen. Ensure that the screen protector or the touchscreen on the fingerprint recognition sensor area is not scratched or damaged by objects, such as coins, keys, pens, and necklaces.
- Ensure that the fingerprint recognition sensor area at the bottom centre of the screen and your fingers are clean and dry.
- If you bend your finger or use a fingertip, the device may not recognise your fingerprints. Press the screen so that your fingertip spreads over the wide surface of the fingerprint recognition area.

Registering fingerprints

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Fingerprints**.
- 2 Read the on-screen instructions and tap **Continue**.
- 3 Set a screen lock method.
- 4 Place your finger on the fingerprint recognition sensor. After the device detects your finger, lift it up and place it on the fingerprint recognition sensor again. Repeat this action until the fingerprint is registered.



- 5 When you are finished registering your fingerprints, tap **Done**.
You can check whether your fingerprint is registered by tapping **Check added fingerprints**.

Unlocking the screen with your fingerprints

You can unlock the screen with your fingerprint instead of using a pattern, PIN, or password.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Fingerprints**.
- 2 Unlock the screen using the preset screen lock method.
- 3 Tap the **Fingerprint unlock** switch to activate it.
- 4 On the locked screen, place your finger on the fingerprint recognition sensor and scan your fingerprint.

Changing the fingerprint recognition icon setting

Set the device to show or hide the fingerprint recognition icon when you tap the screen while the screen is turned off.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Fingerprints**.
- 2 Unlock the screen using the preset screen lock method.
- 3 Tap **Show icon when screen is off** and select an option.

Deleting registered fingerprints

You can delete registered fingerprints.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Fingerprints**.
- 2 Unlock the screen using the preset screen lock method.
- 3 Select a fingerprint to delete and tap **Remove**.

Samsung Pass

Register your biometric data to Samsung Pass and easily verify your identity when using services which require your login or personal information.



- The website sign-in feature is only available for websites that you access via the **Internet** app. Some websites may not support this feature.
- Registered biometric data is only saved to your device and is not synced with other devices or servers.


Registering Samsung Pass

Before using Samsung Pass, register your biometric data to Samsung Pass.

On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Samsung Pass**. Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the setup.

Verifying the Samsung account password

You can use your registered biometric data to verify your identity instead of entering your Samsung account password when, for example, you purchase content from **Galaxy Store**.

On the Samsung Pass main screen, tap  → **Settings** → **Account and syncing**, and then tap the **Verify with Samsung Pass** switch to activate it.

Using Samsung Pass to sign in to websites

You can use Samsung Pass to easily sign in to websites that support ID and password autofill.

- 1 On the sign-in page of the website, enter your ID and password, and then tap the website's sign-in button.
- 2 When a pop-up window asking whether you want to save the sign-in information appears, tick **Sign in with Samsung Pass** and tap **Remember**.

Using Samsung Pass to sign in to apps

You can use Samsung Pass to easily sign in to apps that support ID and password autofill.

- 1 On the sign-in page of the app, enter your ID and password, and then tap the app's sign-in button.
- 2 When a pop-up window asking whether you want to save the sign-in information appears, tap **Save**.


Managing sign-in information

View the list of websites and apps you have set to use Samsung Pass and manage your sign-in information.

- 1 On the Samsung Pass main screen, select an option under **IDs and passwords** and select a website or app from the list.
- 2 Tap **Edit** and modify your ID, password, and the website's or app's name.
To delete your sign-in information, tap **Delete**.

Using Samsung Pass with websites and apps

When using websites or apps that support Samsung Pass, you can easily sign in with Samsung Pass.

To see the list of websites and apps that support Samsung Pass, on the Samsung Pass main screen, tap  → **Partners**. If there are no websites or apps that support Samsung Pass, **Partners** will not appear.



- Available websites and apps may vary depending on the service provider or model.
- Samsung is not responsible for any loss or inconvenience caused by signing in to websites or apps via Samsung Pass.

Entering your personal information automatically

You can use Samsung Pass to easily enter your personal information, such as your address or payment card information, on apps that support autofill.

- 1 On the Samsung Pass main screen, select an option under **Private info**.
- 2 Enter the information and tap **Save**.
You can now use the biometric data you registered to Samsung Pass when entering the personal information automatically on supported apps.

Deleting your Samsung Pass data

You can delete your biometric data, sign-in information, and app data registered to Samsung Pass.

On the Samsung Pass main screen, tap  → **Settings** → **See all devices using Samsung Pass** →  → **Leave Samsung Pass**.



- Your Samsung account will remain active.
- The Samsung Pass data on other devices signed in to your Samsung account will also be deleted.

Secure Folder

Secure Folder protects your private content and apps, such as pictures and contacts, from being accessed by others. You can keep your private content and apps secure even when the device is unlocked.

- ❗ Secure Folder is a separate, secured storage area. The data in Secure Folder cannot be transferred to other devices via unapproved sharing methods, such as USB or Wi-Fi Direct. Attempting to customise the operating system or modifying software will cause Secure Folder to be automatically locked and inaccessible. Before saving data in Secure Folder, make sure to back up a copy of the data in another secure location.

Setting up Secure Folder

- 1 Launch the **Settings** app and tap **Biometrics and security** → **Secure Folder**.
- 2 Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the setup.
The Secure Folder screen will appear and the Secure Folder app icon (🔒) will be added to the Apps screen.
To change the name or icon colour of Secure Folder, tap ⋮ → **Customise**.

- 👉 • When you launch the **Secure Folder** app, you must unlock the app using your preset lock method.
- If you forget your Secure Folder unlock code, you can reset it using your Samsung account. Tap the button at the bottom of the locked screen, and enter your Samsung account password.


Setting an auto lock condition for Secure Folder


- 1 Launch the **Secure Folder** app and tap ⋮ → **Settings** → **Auto lock Secure Folder**.
- 2 Select a lock option.

- 👉 To manually lock your Secure Folder, tap ⋮ → **Lock and exit**.

Moving content to Secure Folder


Move content, such as pictures and videos, to Secure Folder. The following actions are an example of moving an image from the default storage to Secure Folder.

- 1 Launch the **Secure Folder** app and tap  → **Add files**.
- 2 Tap **Images**, tick images to move, and then tap **Done**.
- 3 Tap **Move**.
The selected items will be deleted from the original folder and moved to Secure Folder. To copy items, tap **Copy**.

 The method for moving content may vary depending on the content type.

Moving content from Secure Folder

Move content from Secure Folder to the corresponding app in the default storage. The following actions are an example of moving an image from Secure Folder to the default storage.

- 1 Launch the **Secure Folder** app and tap **Gallery**.
- 2 Select an image and tap  → **Move out of Secure Folder**.
The selected items will be moved to **Gallery** in the default storage.

Adding apps

Add an app to use in Secure Folder.


- 1 Launch the **Secure Folder** app and tap **+**.
- 2 Tick one or more apps installed on the device and tap **Add**.

Removing apps from Secure Folder

Tap and hold an app to delete, and tap **Uninstall**.

Adding accounts


Add your Samsung and Google accounts, or other accounts, to sync with the apps in Secure Folder.

- 1 Launch the **Secure Folder** app and tap  → **Settings** → **Manage accounts** → **Add account**.
- 2 Select an account service.
- 3 Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the account setup.

Hiding Secure Folder

You can hide the Secure Folder shortcut from the Apps screen.


Launch the **Secure Folder** app, tap  → **Settings**, and then tap the **Show icon on Apps screen** switch to deactivate it.

Alternatively, open the notification panel, swipe downwards, and then tap  (**Secure Folder**) to deactivate the feature.

If you want to show the Secure Folder again, launch the **Settings** app, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Secure Folder**, and then tap the **Show icon on Apps screen** switch to activate it.

Uninstalling Secure Folder

You can uninstall Secure Folder, including the content and apps in it.

Launch the **Secure Folder** app and tap  → **Settings** → **More settings** → **Uninstall**.

To back up content before uninstalling Secure Folder, tick **Move media files out of Secure Folder** and tap **Uninstall**. To access data backed up from Secure Folder, launch the **My Files** app and tap **Internal storage** → **Secure Folder**.


 Notes saved in **Samsung Notes** will not be backed up.

Secure Wi-Fi (Galaxy A52)

Secure Wi-Fi is a service that secures your Wi-Fi network connection. It encrypts data using Wi-Fi networks and disables tracking apps and websites so that you can use Wi-Fi networks safely. For example, when using an unsecure Wi-Fi network in public places, such as cafes or airports, Secure Wi-Fi is automatically activated so that no one can hack your login information or monitor your activity in apps and websites.

On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Secure Wi-Fi** and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the setup.


When Secure Wi-Fi is activated, the  icon will appear on the status bar.

-  • Using this feature may result in a slower Wi-Fi network speed.
- This feature may not be available depending on the Wi-Fi network, service provider, or model.

Selecting apps to protect using Secure Wi-Fi

Select apps to protect using Secure Wi-Fi so that you can safely protect data, such as your password or your activity in apps, from being accessed by others.

On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Secure Wi-Fi** → **Protected apps** and tap the switches next to the apps you want to protect using Secure Wi-Fi.


-  Some apps may not support this feature.

Purchasing protection plan

You are provided with a free protection plan for Wi-Fi networks every month. You can also purchase paid protection plans and have unlimited bandwidth protection for a limited time.

1 On the Settings screen, tap **Biometrics and security** → **Secure Wi-Fi**.

2 Tap **Protection plan** and select the plan you want.

-  For certain protection plans, you can transfer the protection plan to another device signed in to your Samsung account.

3 Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the purchase.

Privacy

Change the settings for privacy.

On the Settings screen, tap **Privacy**.

- **Permission manager:** View the list of features and apps that have permission to use them. You can also edit the permission settings.
- **Samsung:** Manage personal data related to your Samsung account and change the settings for Customisation Service.
- **Google:** Configure advanced settings for privacy.



Some features may not be available depending on the service provider or model.

Location

Change settings for location information permissions.

On the Settings screen, tap **Location**.

- **App permissions:** View the list of apps that have permission to access the device's location and edit the permission settings.
- **Improve accuracy:** Set the device to use the Wi-Fi or Bluetooth feature to increase the accuracy of your location information, even when the features are deactivated.
- **Recent location requests:** View which apps request your current location information.
- **Location services:** View the location services your device is using.

Google

Configure settings for some features provided by Google.

On the Settings screen, tap **Google**.

Accounts and backup

Options

Sync, back up, or restore your device's data using Samsung Cloud. You can also sign in to accounts, such as your Samsung account or Google account, or transfer data to or from other devices via Smart Switch.

On the Settings screen, tap **Accounts and backup**.

- **Manage accounts:** Add your Samsung and Google accounts, or other accounts, to sync with.
- **Samsung Cloud:** Back up your data and settings, and restore the previous device's data and settings even when you do not have it. Refer to [Samsung Cloud](#) for more information.
- **Google Drive:** Keep your personal information, app data, and settings safe on your device. You can back up your sensitive information. You must sign in to your Google account to back up data.
- **Smart Switch:** Launch Smart Switch and transfer data from your previous device. Refer to [Transferring data from your previous device \(Smart Switch\)](#) for more information.



Regularly back up your data to a safe location, such as Samsung Cloud or a computer, so that you can restore it if the data is corrupted or lost due to an unintended factory data reset.

Samsung Cloud

Back up your device's data to Samsung Cloud and restore it later.

Backing up data

You can back up your device's data to Samsung Cloud.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Accounts and backup** and tap **Back up data** under **Samsung Cloud**.
- 2 Tick items you want to back up and tap **Back up**.
- 3 Tap **Done**.



- Some data will not be backed up. To check which data will be backed up, on the Settings screen, tap **Accounts and backup** and tap **Back up data** under **Samsung Cloud**.
- To view the backup data for other devices in your Samsung Cloud, on the Settings screen, tap **Accounts and backup** → **Restore data** → ▼, and then select a device you want.

Restoring data

You can restore your backup data from Samsung Cloud to your device.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Accounts and backup**.
- 2 Tap **Restore data** → ▼ and select a device you want.
- 3 Tick items you want to restore and tap **Restore**.

Advanced features

Options

Activate advanced features and change the settings that control them.

On the Settings screen, tap **Advanced features**.

- **Call & text on other devices:** Use your device's calling and messaging features on other devices signed in to your Samsung account. (Galaxy A52)
- **Continue apps on other devices:** Use your device's apps on other devices signed in to your Samsung account.
- **Link to Windows:** Instantly access data saved in your device on your computer. Refer to [Link to Windows](#) for more information.
- **Android Auto:** Connect your device to a vehicle and control some of your device's features on the vehicle's display.
- **Side key:** Select an app or feature to launch using the Side key. Refer to [Setting the Side key](#) for more information.

- **Motions and gestures:** Activate the motion feature and configure settings. Refer to [Motions and gestures](#) for more information.
- **One-handed mode:** Activate one-handed operation mode for your convenience when using the device with one hand.
- **Bixby Routines:** Add routines to automate settings that you use repeatedly. The device also suggests useful routines according to your frequent situations. Refer to [Bixby Routines](#) for more information.
- **Screenshots and screen recorder:** Change the settings for screenshots and screen recorder.
- **Show contacts when sharing content:** Set the device to display the people you contacted on the sharing options panel to allow you to share content directly.
- **Game Launcher:** Activate the Game Launcher. Refer to [Game Launcher](#) for more information.
- **Dual Messenger:** Install the second app and use two separate accounts for the same messenger app. Refer to [Dual Messenger](#) for more information.
- **Send SOS messages:** Set the device to send help messages by pressing the Side key several times.



Some features may not be available depending on the service provider or model.

Motions and gestures

Activate the motion feature and configure settings.


On the Settings screen, tap **Advanced features** → **Motions and gestures**.

- **Lift to wake:** Set the device to turn on the screen when you pick it up.
- **Double tap to turn on screen:** Set the device to turn on the screen by double-tapping anywhere on the screen while the screen is turned off.
- **Double tap to turn off screen:** Set the device to turn off the screen by double-tapping an empty area on the Home screen or the locked screen.
- **Keep screen on while viewing:** Set the device to prevent the display from turning off while you are looking at it.

- **Alert when phone picked up:** Set the device to alert you if you have missed calls or new messages when you pick up the device.
 - ☞ This feature may not work if the screen is turned on or the device is not on a flat surface.
- **Mute with gestures:** Set the device to mute certain sounds by using motions or gestures.
- **Palm swipe to capture:** Set the device to capture a screenshot when you swipe your hand to the left or right across the screen. You can view the captured images in **Gallery**. It is not possible to capture a screenshot while using some apps and features.
 - ☞ Excessive shaking or an impact to the device may cause an unintended input for some features using sensors.

Dual Messenger

Install the second app and use two separate accounts for the same messenger app.

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Advanced features** → **Dual Messenger**.
Supported apps will appear.
- 2 Tap the switch of an app to install the second app.
The second app will be installed. The second app's icon will be displayed with .



- ☞
 - The Dual Messenger feature may not be available depending on the app.
 - Some features of the app may be limited for the second app.

Uninstalling a second app

- 1 On the Settings screen, tap **Advanced features** → **Dual Messenger**.
- 2 Tap the switch of the app you want to uninstall and tap **Uninstall**.
All data related to the second app will be deleted.
 - ☞ If you uninstall the first app, the second app will also be deleted.

Digital Wellbeing and parental controls

View the history of your device usage and use features to prevent your device from interfering with your life. You can also set up parental controls for your children and manage their digital use.

On the Settings screen, tap **Digital Wellbeing and parental controls**.

- **Screen time:** Set goals for how much you use your device a day.
- **App timers:** Limit the daily usage time for each app by setting a timer. When you reach the limit, the app will be deactivated and you cannot use it.
- **Focus mode:** Activate focus mode to avoid distractions from your device and stay focused on what you want. You can use the apps you allowed to be used in focus mode.
- **Bedtime mode:** Activate bedtime mode to reduce eye strain before sleeping and prevent your sleep from being disturbed.
- **Parental controls:** Manage your children's digital use.

Battery and device care

Introduction

The device care feature provides an overview of the status of your device's battery, storage, memory, and system security. You can also automatically optimise the device with a tap of your finger.


Optimising your device

On the Settings screen, tap **Battery and device care** → **Optimise now**.

The quick optimisation feature improves device performance through the following actions.

- Closing apps running in the background.
- Managing abnormal battery usage.
- Scanning for crashed apps and malware.

Using the auto optimisation feature

You can set the device to perform auto optimisation when your device is not in use. Tap  → **Automation** → **Auto optimise daily** and tap the switch to activate it. If you want to set the time to perform auto optimisation, tap **Time**.

Battery

Check the remaining battery power and time to use the device. For devices with low battery levels, conserve battery power by activating power saving features.

On the Settings screen, tap **Battery and device care** → **Battery**.

- **Power saving mode:** Activate power saving mode to extend the battery's usage time.
- **Background usage limits:** Limit battery usage for apps that you do not use often.
- **More battery settings:** Configure advanced settings for the battery.



- The usage time left shows the time remaining before the battery power runs out. Usage time left may vary depending on your device settings and operating conditions.
- You may not receive notifications from some apps that use power saving mode.

Storage

Check the status of the used and available memory.

On the Settings screen, tap **Battery and device care** → **Storage**. To delete files or uninstall apps that you do not use any more, select a category. Then, tap and hold, or select an item and tap **Delete** or **Uninstall**.



- The actual available capacity of the internal memory is less than the specified capacity because the operating system and default apps occupy part of the memory. The available capacity may change when you update the device.
- You can view the available capacity of the internal memory in the Specification section for your device on the Samsung website.

Memory

On the Settings screen, tap **Battery and device care** → **Memory**.

To speed up your device by stopping apps running in the background, tick apps from the apps list, and tap **Clean now**.

Device protection

Check the device's security status. This feature scans your device for malware.

On the Settings screen, tap **Battery and device care** → **Device protection** → **Scan phone**.

Apps


Manage the device's apps and change their settings. You can view the apps' usage information, change their notification or permission settings, or uninstall or disable unnecessary apps.

On the Settings screen, tap **Apps**.

General management

Customise your device's system settings or reset the device.


On the Settings screen, tap **General management**.

- **Language:** Select device languages. Refer to [Adding device languages](#) for more information.
- **Text-to-speech output:** Change the settings for text-to-speech features used when TalkBack is activated, such as languages, speed, and more.
- **Date and time:** Access and alter the settings to control how the device displays the time and date.
 -  If the battery remains fully discharged, the time and date is reset.
- **Samsung Keyboard settings:** Change the settings for the Samsung keyboard.
- **Keyboard list and default:** Select a keyboard to use by default and change the keyboard settings.
- **Physical keyboard:** Change the settings for an external keyboard.
- **Mouse and trackpad:** Change the settings for an external mouse or trackpad.
- **Autofill service:** Select an autofill service to use.
- **Reset:** Reset your device's settings or perform a factory data reset.
- **Customisation Service:** Set to get personalised service based on your interests and how you use your device.
- **Contact us:** Ask questions or view frequently asked questions.

Adding device languages

You can add languages to use on your device.

1 On the Settings screen, tap **General management** → **Language** → **Add language**.

To view all the languages that can be added, tap  → **All languages**.

2 Select a language to add.

3 To set the selected language as the default language, tap **Set as default**. To keep the current language setting, tap **Keep current**.

The selected language will be added to your languages list. If you changed the default language, the selected language will be added to the top of the list.

To change the default language from your languages list, select the language you want and tap **Apply**. If an app does not support the default language, the next supported language in the list will be used.

Accessibility

Configure various settings to improve accessibility to the device.

On the Settings screen, tap **Accessibility**.


- **Recommended for you:** Check the accessibility features you are currently using and see other recommended features.
- **TalkBack:** Activate TalkBack, which provides voice feedback. To view help information to learn how to use this feature, tap **TalkBack tutorial**.
- **Visibility enhancements:** Customise the settings to improve accessibility for visually impaired users.
- **Hearing enhancements:** Customise the settings to improve accessibility for users with hearing impairment.
- **Interaction and dexterity:** Customise the settings to improve accessibility for users who have reduced dexterity.
- **Advanced settings:** Configure settings for Direct access and notification features.
- **Installed services:** View accessibility services installed on the device.
- **About Accessibility:** View the Accessibility information.
- **Contact us:** Ask questions or view frequently asked questions.

Software update

Update your device's software via the firmware over-the-air (FOTA) service. You can also schedule software updates.

On the Settings screen, tap **Software update**.

- **Download and install:** Check for and install updates manually.
- **Auto download over Wi-Fi:** Set the device to download updates automatically when connected to a Wi-Fi network.
- **Last update:** View information about the last software update.

 If emergency software updates are released for your device's security and to block new types of security threats, they will be installed automatically without your agreement.

Security updates information

Security updates are provided to strengthen the security of your device and protect your personal information. For security updates for your model, visit security.samsungmobile.com.

 The website supports only some languages.

About phone

Access your device's information.

On the Settings screen, tap **About phone**.

To change your device's name, tap **Edit**.

- **Status information:** View various device information, such as the SIM card status, Wi-Fi MAC address, and serial number.
- **Legal information:** View legal information related to the device, such as safety information and the open source licence.
- **Software information:** View the device's software information, such as its operating system version and firmware version.
- **Battery information:** View the device's battery status and information.

Appendix

Troubleshooting

Before contacting a Samsung Service Centre, please attempt the following solutions. Some situations may not apply to your device.

You can also use Samsung Members to solve any problems you might encounter while using your device.

When you turn on your device or while you are using the device, it prompts you to enter one of the following codes:

- **Password:** When the device lock feature is enabled, you must enter the password you set for the device.
- **PIN:** When using the device for the first time or when the PIN requirement is enabled, you must enter the PIN supplied with the SIM or USIM card. You can disable this feature by using the Lock SIM card menu.
- **PUK:** Your SIM or USIM card is blocked, usually as a result of entering your PIN incorrectly several times. You must enter the PUK supplied by your service provider.
- **PIN2:** When you access a menu requiring the PIN2, you must enter the PIN2 supplied with the SIM or USIM card. For more information, contact your service provider.

Your device displays network or service error messages

- When you are in areas with weak signals or poor reception, you may lose reception. Move to another area and try again. While moving, error messages may appear repeatedly.
- You cannot access some options without a subscription. For more information, contact your service provider.

Your device does not turn on

When the battery is completely discharged, your device will not turn on. Fully charge the battery before turning on the device.

The touchscreen responds slowly or improperly

- If you attach a screen protector or optional accessories to the touchscreen, the touchscreen may not function properly.
- If you are wearing gloves, if your hands are not clean while touching the touchscreen, or if you tap the screen with sharp objects or your fingertips, the touchscreen may malfunction.
- The touchscreen may malfunction in humid conditions or when exposed to water.
- Restart your device to clear any temporary software bugs.
- Ensure that your device software is updated to the latest version.
- If the touchscreen is scratched or damaged, visit a Samsung Service Centre.

Your device freezes or encounters a fatal error

Try the following solutions. If the problem is still not resolved, contact a Samsung Service Centre.

Restarting the device

If your device freezes or hangs, you may need to close apps or turn off the device and turn it on again.

Forcing restart

If your device is frozen and unresponsive, press and hold the Side key and the Volume Down key simultaneously for more than 7 seconds to restart it.

Resetting the device

If the methods above do not solve your problem, perform a factory data reset.

Launch the **Settings** app and tap **General management** → **Reset** → **Factory data reset** → **Reset** → **Delete all**. Before performing the factory data reset, remember to make backup copies of all important data stored in the device.

Calls are not connected

- Ensure that you have accessed the right cellular network.
- Ensure that you have not set call barring for the phone number you are dialling.
- Ensure that you have not set call barring for the incoming phone number.

Others cannot hear you speaking on a call

- Ensure that you are not covering the built-in microphone.
- Ensure that the microphone is close to your mouth.
- If using an earphone, ensure that it is properly connected.

Sound echoes during a call

Adjust the volume by pressing the Volume key or move to another area.

A cellular network or the Internet is often disconnected or audio quality is poor

- Ensure that you are not blocking the device's internal antenna.
- When you are in areas with weak signals or poor reception, you may lose reception. You may have connectivity problems due to issues with the service provider's base station. Move to another area and try again.
- When using the device while moving, wireless network services may be disabled due to issues with the service provider's network.

The battery does not charge properly (For Samsung-approved chargers)

- Ensure that the charger is connected properly.
- Visit a Samsung Service Centre and have the battery replaced.

The battery depletes faster than when first purchased

- When you expose the device or the battery to very cold or very hot temperatures, the useful charge may be reduced.
- Battery consumption will increase when you use certain features or apps, such as GPS, games, or the Internet.
- The battery is consumable and the useful charge will get shorter over time.

Error messages appear when launching the camera

Your device must have sufficient available memory and battery power to operate the camera app. If you receive error messages when launching the camera, try the following:

- Charge the battery.
- Free some memory by transferring files to a computer or deleting files from your device.
- Restart the device. If you are still having trouble with the camera app after trying these tips, contact a Samsung Service Centre.

Picture quality is poorer than the preview

- The quality of your pictures may vary, depending on the surroundings and the photography techniques you use.
- If you take pictures in dark areas, at night, or indoors, image noise may occur or images may be out of focus.

Error messages appear when opening multimedia files

If you receive error messages or multimedia files do not play when you open them on your device, try the following:

- Free some memory by transferring files to a computer or deleting files from your device.
- Ensure that the music file is not Digital Rights Management (DRM)-protected. If the file is DRM-protected, ensure that you have the appropriate licence or key to play the file.
- Ensure that the file formats are supported by the device. If a file format is not supported, such as DivX or AC3, install an app that supports it. To confirm the file formats that your device supports, visit the Samsung website.
- Your device supports pictures and videos captured with the device. Pictures and videos captured by other devices may not work properly.
- Your device supports multimedia files that are authorised by your network service provider or providers of additional services. Some content circulated on the Internet, such as ringtones, videos, or wallpapers, may not work properly.


Bluetooth is not working well

If another Bluetooth device is not located or there are connection problems or performance malfunctions, try the following:

- Ensure that the device you wish to connect with is ready to be scanned or connected to.
- Ensure that your device and the other Bluetooth device are within the maximum Bluetooth range (10 m).
- On your device, launch the **Settings** app, tap **Connections**, and then tap the **Bluetooth** switch to re-activate it.
- On your device, launch the **Settings** app, tap **General management** → **Reset** → **Reset network settings** → **Reset settings** → **Reset** to reset network settings. You may lose registered information when performing the reset.

If the tips above do not solve the problem, contact a Samsung Service Centre.

The screen brightness adjustment bar does not appear on the notification panel

Open the notification panel by dragging the status bar downwards, and then drag the notification panel downwards. Tap  → **Quick panel layout** and tap the **Show brightness control above notifications** switch to activate it.

A connection is not established when you connect the device to a computer

- Ensure that the USB cable you are using is compatible with your device.
- Ensure that you have the proper driver installed and updated on your computer.

Your device cannot find your current location

GPS signals may be obstructed in some locations, such as indoors. Set the device to use Wi-Fi or a mobile network to find your current location in these situations.

Data stored in the device has been lost

Always make backup copies of all important data stored in the device. Otherwise, you cannot restore data if it is corrupted or lost. Samsung is not responsible for the loss of data stored in the device.

A small gap appears around the outside of the device case

- This gap is a necessary manufacturing feature and some minor rocking or vibration of parts may occur.
- Over time, friction between parts may cause this gap to expand slightly.

There is not enough space in the device's storage

Delete unnecessary data, such as cache, using the device care feature or manually delete unused apps or files to free up storage space.

The Home button does not appear

The navigation bar containing the Home button may disappear while using certain apps or features. To view the navigation bar, drag upwards from the bottom of the screen.

Removing the battery

- **To remove the battery, contact an authorised service centre. To obtain battery removal instructions, please visit www.samsung.com/global/ecodesign_energy.**
- For your safety, you **must not attempt to remove** the battery. If the battery is not properly removed, it may lead to damage to the battery and device, cause personal injury, and/or result in the device being unsafe.
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