

Full Connection Schematics for Kiko

1. MAX98357A to XIAO ESP32-S3 Sense

- **Vin:** XIAO **VUSB / 5V** Pin (Provides maximum power to the amplifier)
- **GND:** XIAO **GND** Pin
- **LRC (Left/Right Clock):** GPIO 7
- **BCLK (Bit Clock):** GPIO 5
- **DIN (Data In):** GPIO 6
- **Gain Logic: 100kΩ Resistor** between **GAIN** and **GND**
 - *Effect:* This sets the gain to **15dB**. It's a perfect "middle-ground" setting that prevents the speaker from distorting (clipping) while keeping Kiko's voice loud enough to hear across a room.

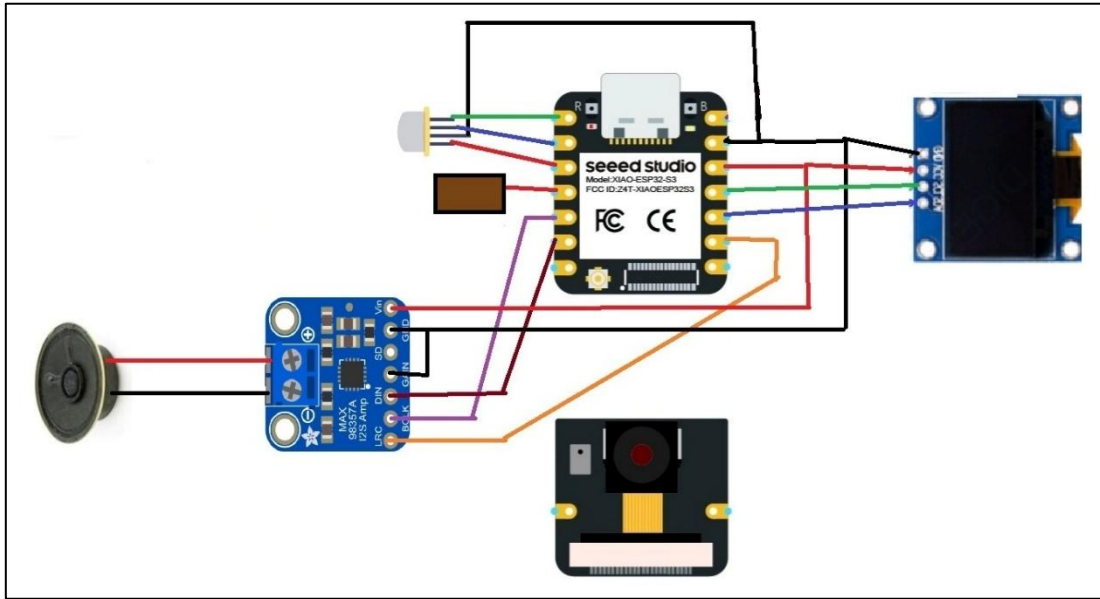
2. Speaker to MAX98357A

- **Speaker (+):** MAX98357A **OUT+**
- **Speaker (-):** MAX98357A **OUT-**

3. Interaction & Visuals (OLED, LED, Touch)

- **OLED Screen (SSD1306/SH1106):**
 - **SDA:** GPIO 8
 - **SCL:** GPIO 9
 - **VCC:** XIAO **3.3V** Pin
 - **GND:** XIAO **GND** Pin
- **RGB LED:**
 - **Red:** GPIO 2
 - **Green:** GPIO 1
 - **Blue:** GPIO 3
 - **GND:** XIAO **GND** Pin
- **Touch Pad:**
 - **Pin:** GPIO 4 (Connect a single wire to a metal pad or foil)

Connection diagram



Flowchart

