



Whatsapp



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ABSTRACT

WhatsApp Messenger is a freeware and cross-platform messaging and Voice over IP service owned by Facebook. The application allows the sending of text messages and voice calls, as well as video calls, images and other media, documents, and user location.

WhatsApp seamlessly blends multimedia messaging to give you an easy-to-use platform wherein you create an account and you're off. Invite friends to join, and you can easily create group chats. If you've got friends that already use WhatsApp, it'll find them for you to make integration a breeze.

PURPOSE: The guide describes about how to install, create account and to get setup with WhatsApp.

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WhatsApp has lots of features, but it's easy to set up. Here's how to get started.

- **Install WhatsApp messenger**

1. Open Android's Google Play Store.
2. Tap magnifying glass icon.
3. Type **WhatsApp** into the search bar, then tap Go.
4. Tap the **WhatsApp Messenger** item.
5. Tap **INSTALL**.
6. Tap **ACCEPT**.
7. Wait for WhatsApp to finish downloading, then tap **OPEN**.
8. Tap **AGREE AND CONTINUE**.

- **Create Account**

1. Launch **WhatsApp** from Home screen or the app drawer. It's a green speech bubble with a white outline and a white telephone receiver inside.
2. Tap **Agree and continue**.
3. Type phone number in the dialog box.
4. Tap **OK** to confirm that it's okay for WhatsApp to verify your phone number.
5. Tap **SKIP**.
6. Tap **Continue**.

- **Invite People**

1. Launch **WhatsApp** from your Home screen or the app drawer.
2. Tap on **INVITE** to add someone from your phone's contact list.
3. Tap the **send** button to send the person you're inviting a text.
4. They will appear in contacts lists once they download and create an account for WhatsApp.



- Other options

1. Any WhatsApp user to see your [read receipts](#), [last seen](#), [about](#) and [profile photo](#).
2. Your contacts to see your [status updates](#).

To change settings go to WhatsApp > [Menu Button](#) > Settings > Account > Privacy.