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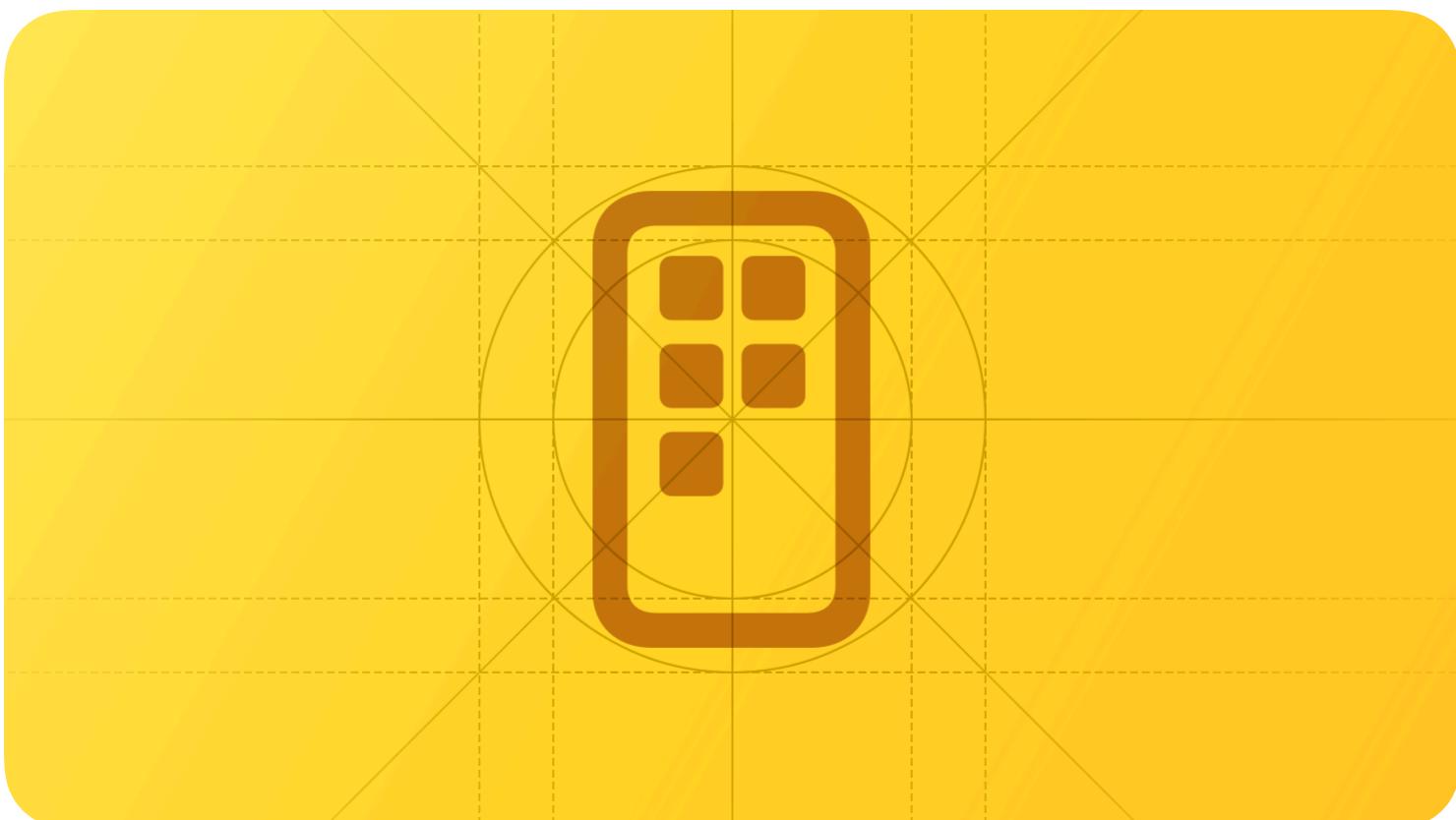
Assistive Technology

# Assistive Access

A mode that tailors the iOS and iPadOS experience for people with cognitive disabilities.

## Overview

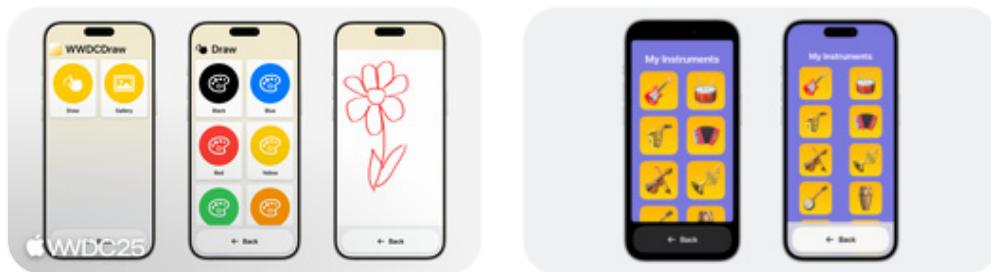
Assistive Access is an accessibility feature that tailors the iOS and iPadOS experience for people with cognitive disabilities. A trusted supporter, such as a family member or caregiver, sets up this feature in Settings > Accessibility > Assistive Access. They choose the system and third-party apps to make available in Assistive Access.



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## Topics

### Develop for Assistive Access

#### Optimizing your app for Assistive Access

Adjust your app's UI to make sure it works well for people who use Assistive Access.

#### Performing accessibility testing for your app

Test your app with accessibility settings and assistive technologies to discover and address accessibility issues.

`static var isAssistiveAccessEnabled: Bool`

A Boolean value that indicates whether Assistive Access is running.

`var accessibilityAssistiveAccessEnabled: Bool { get }`

A Boolean value that indicates whether Assistive Access is in use.

`UISupportsFullScreenInAssistiveAccess`

A Boolean value that indicates if an iOS or iPadOS app appears as full screen in Assistive Access.

## See Also

# Assistive technologies

## ☰ VoiceOver

A gesture-based screen reader that provides an auditory description of the content onscreen.

## ☰ Voice Control

An interface for navigating a device using voice commands to tap, swipe, type, and more.

## ☰ Switch Control

An interface for navigating a device with a variety of adaptive switch hardware, wireless game controllers, or sounds such as a click or a pop.