



USER'S GUIDE

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Spotify

What is Spotify?

To whomever music may concern, Spotify should be an ultimate destination. Spotify is a music streaming platform that has millions of songs, podcasts from artists all over the world.

The Daily Mixes and the Discover Weekly are some popular recommendations offered by Spotify based on your listening.

Get started your day with Spotify's '**Morning vibes**' playlist.

Jam through traffic with '**Rock and Roll**'.

Make your workspace surrounded by the popular '**Lo-Fi Beats**' playlist.

Chill your evenings with Spotify's '**Chill Vibes**'.

Fill your bedroom ambient with a calm '**Night Jazz**' playlist. These can be only possible through Spotify.

Now, you are on the road to get Spotified!

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Getting Started

Get the app

Downloading Spotify is the only way to bring your music to your devices.

Spotify is available on platforms like

Android, **iOS**, and **Windows**

Spotify allows music lovers across the world to experience resist-free listening with millions of songs, and podcasts.

Though Spotify offers 'Spotify Web Player' but there is so much to love in the app.

Create an account

You would have installed the Spotify app from the previous instruction. It will take no time to create an account for you on Spotify.

For creating your account follow the steps.

1. Open your Spotify application from the downloaded device.
2. Click the **Sign-up for free** button, then fill in your information.

Note: Sign-up can be done two ways:

1. Sign-up with your email.
2. Sign-up with your Facebook.

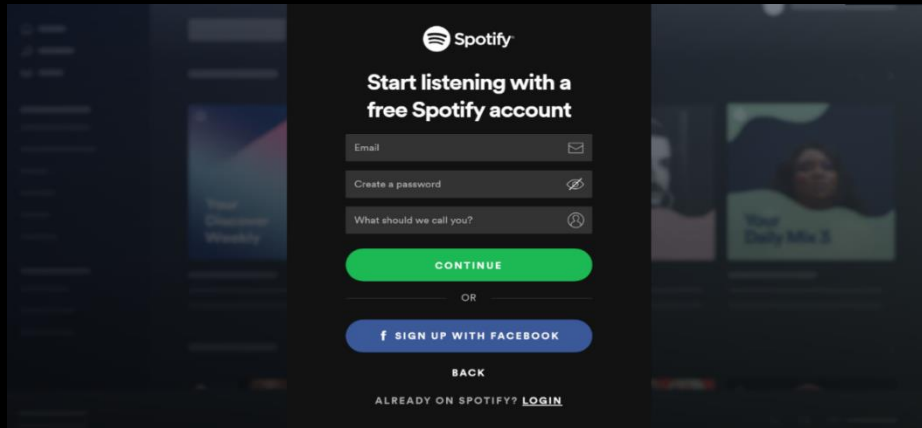


Figure 1 Sign-up page of Spotify

Sign-up with Email

Sign-up through email can be done through the following steps:

1. Click the **Sign-up with the email** button.
2. Enter your email address.
3. Enter a new password.
4. Click the **Continue** button.
5. Provide the required information that helps to know about your taste in music.

Sign-up with Facebook

Sign-up through Facebook can be done through the following steps:

1. Click the **Sign-up with the Facebook** button.
2. Enter your email address that is linked with your Facebook account.
3. Enter the password.
4. Click the **Continue** button.
5. Provide the required information that helps to know about your taste in music.

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Explore Spotify

Recommendations

At initial, Spotify offers some recommendations to user with different genres of music and artists in the homepage. Later, based on your taste of music, Spotify tunes its recommendations.

Dashboard

The dashboard of Spotify gives complete access to all the menus available on the application.

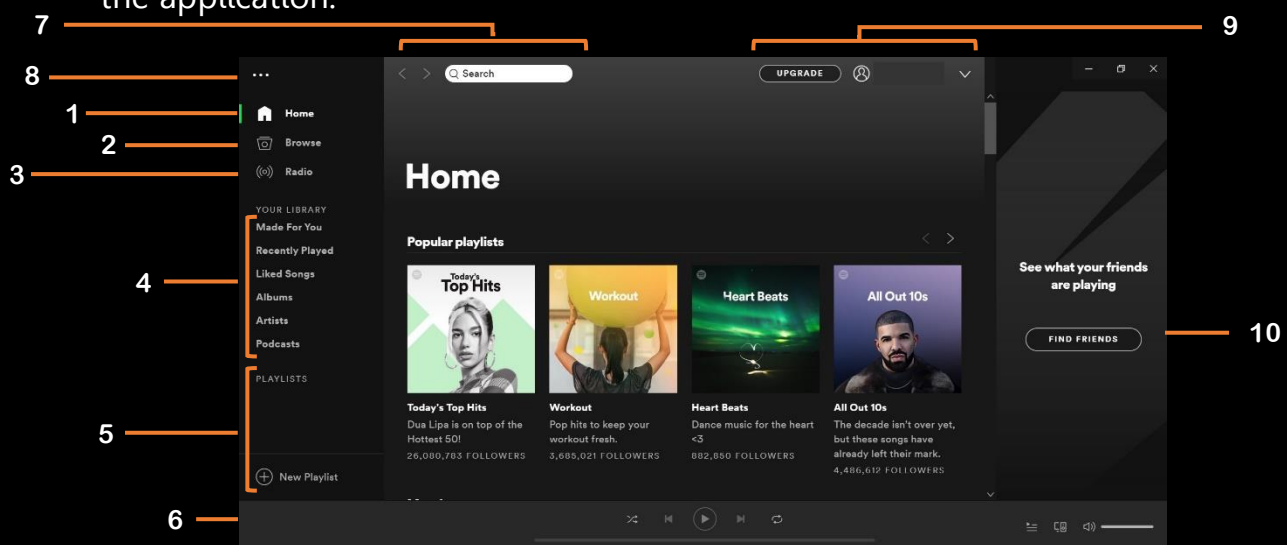


Figure 2 Home dashboard of Spotify

1. Home

6. Play ribbon

2. Browse

7. Title ribbon and search

3. Radio

8. More

4. Your Library

9. Premium and Profile

5. Playlist

10. Find friends

Home

The **Home** menu helps to show all the recommended, personalized, and latest released tracks. It helps you to have updated and latest chartbusters.

Browse

The **Browse** menu allows users to have direct access to various languages, genres, upcoming concerts, other contents and categories that are related to music.

Radio

The **Radio** has some recommendations on radio stations that are based on popular artists and other genres of music.

Your Library

The **Your library** section will auto-personalize based on your listening. There will be different categories like Made for You, Recently Played, Liked Songs.

Made of You


Daily Mixes, Discover Weekly Mixes, Release Radar are a few playlist mixes that are entirely compiled for you which is based on your taste of listening and choice of music.

Recently Played

Once you play a song it automatically comes under the **Recently Played** library.

Liked Songs


Like your favorite songs from any genre. It can be done by the following steps:

1. Click the **Like**  button to make it available under this library.

Albums

Your favorite albums of different artists can be saved in this library:

Adding an album to the library can be done by the following steps:

1. Open an album that has to be saved in the library.
2. Click the **More**  button.
3. Click the **Save to your library** button.

Artists

You can follow your favorite artists to get their songs.

The below steps can help the user to follow the artist:

1. Search your favorite artist.
2. Click the **Follow** button in the page.

The followed artist profile will be displayed under this

library.

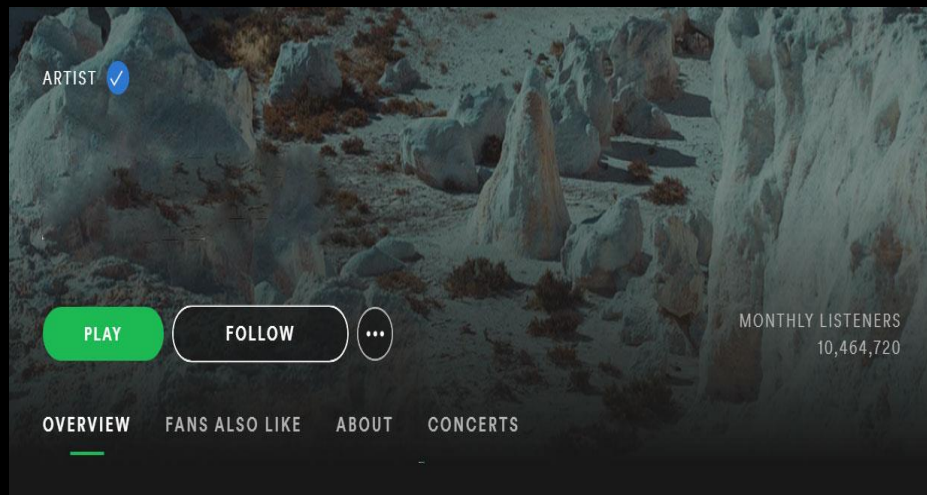


Figure 3 Artist Page from Spotify

Podcast

You can follow your favorite podcasts by the following steps:

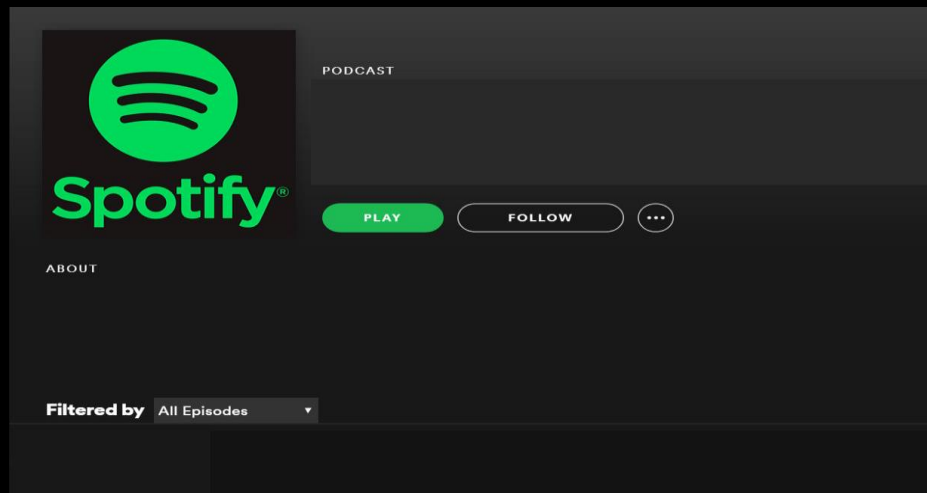


Figure 4 Podcast

1. Browse your favorite podcast from the Search bar or Go to **Browse**.
2. Click the **Follow** button on the page.

The following podcast will be displayed under this Podcast section.

Playlist

You can either create your own playlist or add an existing playlist to your profile.

Custom playlist

The custom playlist allows you to add your favorite songs. You can do it by the following steps:

1. Click the New Playlist option under the **Playlist** section.
2. Enter a name, description, and upload an image for your playlist.
3. Click the **Create** button.

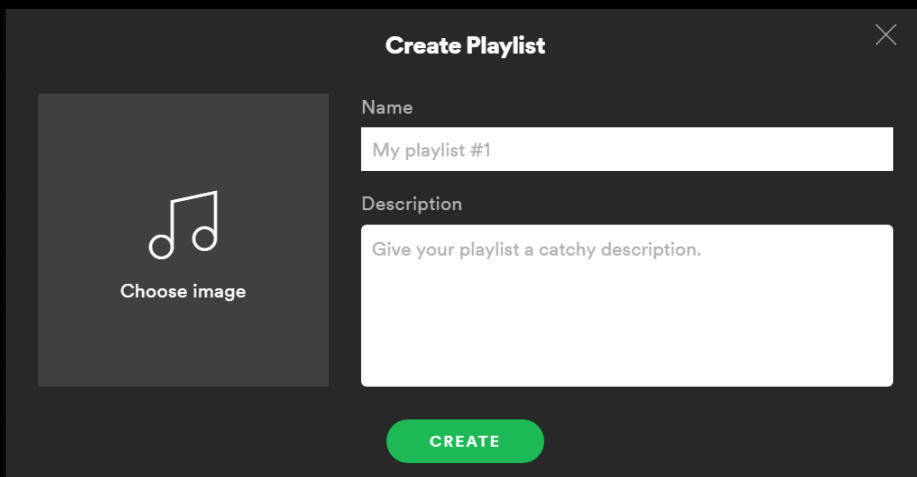



Figure 5 Create New Playlist

A new playlist is created. You can access it under the Playlist section.

Add created playlist

You can add other playlists created either by Spotify or other users.

To add the playlist, follow the steps:

1. Go to an album or a playlist.
2. Click the **Like** button,  the album or playlist will be added.

Play ribbon

Play ribbon is at the bottom of the dashboard. It holds with a few essential controls like play, pause next, previous, volume control, etc.

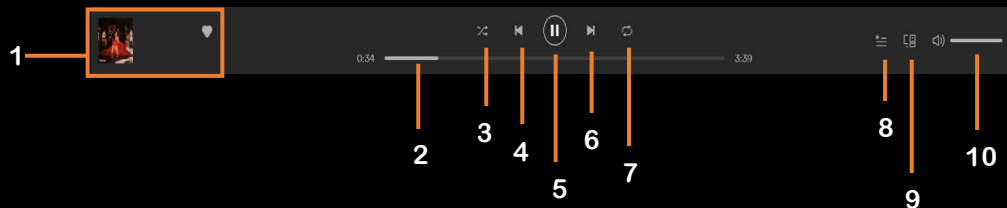


Figure 6 Play Ribbon

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|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1. Song info | 6. Next |
| 2. Slide bar | 7. Repeat |
| 3. Shuffle | 8. Queue |
| 4. Previous | 9. Spotify connect |
| 5. Play / pause | 10. Volume |

Song info




It shows the details of the song that is played.

Slide bar




The slide bar allows you to go to the desired portion of music.


Shuffle

The **shuffle** button  makes the queued songs play in a shuffling way.


Previous

The **Previous** button  in the play ribbon helps you to go to the previous song.


Play / Pause

The **Play / Pause** button  helps you to pause or play a song.


Next

The **Next** button  helps you to jump to the next song

Repeat


The **Repeat** button  helps you to play the song in a loop.

Queue

Click the **Queue** button  to make a song queue next to the current playing.

Spotify Connect



Spotify is available across a range of devices, including computers, phones, tablets, speakers, TVs, and cars, and you can easily transition from one to another with Spotify Connect.

Spotify allows to have an endless streaming through other devices. Open Spotify from other devices with your account it  appears here. This can be done by clicking this icon.

Volume


The Volume slider  helps you to control the volume of a song.

Title ribbon and search

The Title ribbon provides you the Forward  and the Back  buttons to do their respective actions.

Also, it provides a search bar that helps to search the songs, podcasts, and other contents easily.

More

The **More** button  has a set of simple options that helps to access a few other options.

Premium and Profile

Premium

Spotify Premium allows you to enjoy the music without any ad-interruptions. Also, you can listen to your favorite song offline. Just tap the **Upgrade** button to upgrade your account to premium. There are variety of plans that are cheaper. click

Profile

Account can be accessed from the dropdown menu



The setting option is available in the dropdown menu.

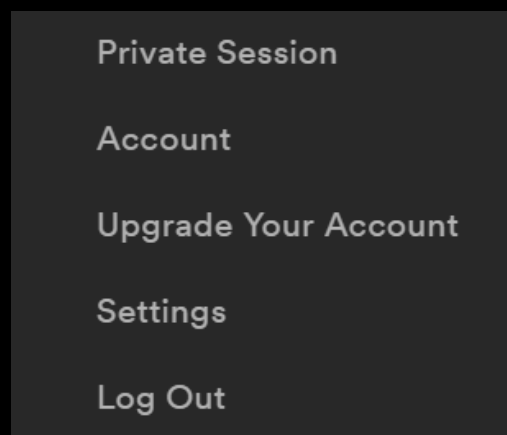


Figure 7 Drop-down menu to Settings

The Account allow the user to:

1. Change your username.
2. Change your registered email ID.
3. Change your password.
4. Your profile can be upgraded premium.

Find friends

You can find your friends by connecting your Spotify account with the social network. You can share your favorite music with your friends.

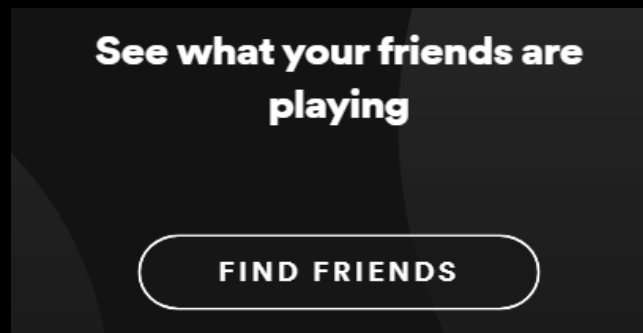


Figure 8 Connecting Spotify socially

To register your social account, follow the below steps:

1. Click the **Find friends** button form the right sidebar.
2. Click the **Connect to Facebook** button.
3. Enter the login information.

Settings

Settings can be accessed   from here.

This dropdown has set of commands in which setting is one of them.

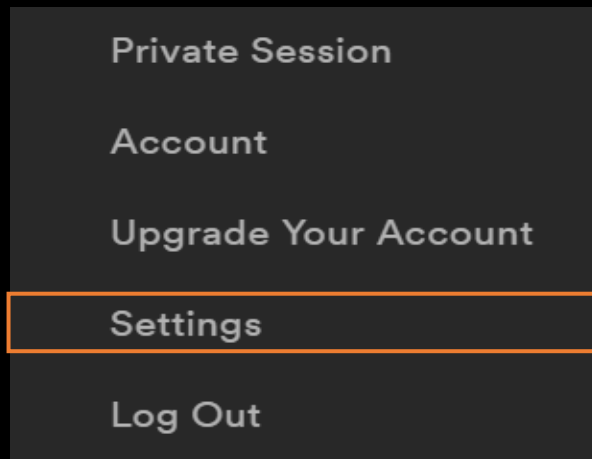


Figure 9 Access Settings from the drop-down menu

The setting allows the user to:

1. Change the language.
2. Control the playback option.
3. Import local audio files from the device.
4. Account can be upgraded to premium.
5. Log outting the session can also be done here.

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