iPhone/iPad Essential Training

Resources, Siri, Security, Privacy, Battery life & Troubleshooting

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Resources

- Tips (the app)
- Manuals
 - Books
 - Bookstore
 - Free Apple User Guides

Resources

- Web Sites
 - * https://support.apple.com/en_US/manuals a second source of Apple manuals
 - https://support.apple.com/en_US/downloads/ios gives features of iOS update
 - * 9to5mac.com
 - * macworld.com
 - macrumors.com

Siri

- * Settings
 - * Settings→Siri & Search; to set up when, how and with what voice Siri runs
 - * Input "my information" so Siri knows something about you.
- Invoking Siri
 - * Say "Hey Siri", if set up in settings
 - Hold down on Home button
 - On an iPhone without Home button, hold down on side button

* Make Calls or FaceTime * Run Apps * Messages * Email * Sports * Show Photos * Maps-Directions * Reminders * Movie information * Make Reservations * Stocks * Clock * Especially the timer * Contacts * Notes * Q&A * Fun

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Settings

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Settings

Storage optimization

* Settings>General>iPhone Storage

Offload Unused Apps (retains data)

Review Large Attachments

App by App storage

Settings

* Share your home Wi-Fi

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receive a prompt that lets you send the password by tapping "Send
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Security

- Passcode Lock
 - Settings→Touch ID (or Face ID) & Passcode
 - Passcode settings
- Auto-Lock
 - Settings→Display & Brightness→Auto-Lock

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Find My

- * People
 - Sharing location
- Devices
- Items
- Me

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Privacy

- Location Services
 - Settings → Privacy → Location Services
- Access to Hardware and Software
 - ♦ Settings → Privacy
 - Contacts, Calendar and many others

Optimize Battery Life

- Big usage of battery
 - Constant refresh of the screen (games)
 - * GPS
 - WiFi (in and out during marginal strength)
 - * 5G

Optimize Battery Life

- Screen Brightness
 - Control Center
 - ◆ or Settings → Display & Brightness
- * Bluetooth
 - Control Center or Settings → Bluetooth

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Optimize Battery Life

- WiFi
 - * Control Center to suspend current WiFi
 - Settings→WiFi to turn it off

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Optimize Battery Life

- Location Services
 - Settings→Privacy→Location Services (overall or by app)
 - * Close app currently using location services (Especially if it is using GPS) by double clicking the Home button and flicking up on the app
 - Frequent Locations
 - Settings→Privacy→Location Services→ Frequent Locations

Optimize Battery Life

- * Low Power mode
 - Notification shows starting at 20% battery level
 - * Turns on at 5%
 - Limits the Following:
 - * Auto mail fetching
 - * Background App refresh
 - * Auto downloads
 - Some visual effects

Optimize Battery Life

- Settings → Battery
 - * Low Power Mode switch
 - Battery Health
 - Battery Usage
 - Last 24 Hours
 - Last 10 Days

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Optimize Battery Life

- Settings → General → Background App Refresh
 - Off, Wi-Fi or Wi-Fi & Cellular Data
 - By app

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Troubleshooting

- Force-Quit Apps
 - Double click Home button (or drag from below the screen half way up) and flick up on the app you wish to close
 - If no Home button
 - * Slide finger up from below the screen and pause mid screen, then flick up on the app you wish to close.

Troubleshooting

- * Restarting
 - Most older devices
 - Hold sleep awake and slide bar to shut down.
 - * Hold sleep awake to start up.
 - * iPhone X & newer
 - Click up volume, click down volume, then hold side button

Troubleshooting

- * Soft Reset
 - Most devices
 - Hold down on Sleep Awake and Home button until Apple icon appears
 - * iPhone X & newer
 - Click up volume, click down volume, then hold side button for 10 seconds

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Troubleshooting

- Resetting
 - Settings→General→Reset→Reset all
 Settings
 - Settings→General→Reset→ResetNetwork Settings
- Check for updates

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Troubleshooting

Erase & Restoring (seek help if you are at all squeamish)

(Do this when you give or sell your device)

- Settings→General→Reset→Erase all Content and Settings (This is a major step. Be sure you have a backup first.)
- Sometimes (but rarely anymore) requires plugging into PC or Mac and from iTunes clicking restore

Deleting an App you can't see?

- From a home page
 - * Swipe down from somewhere on the screen
 - * In the spotlight search window
 - Type the name of the app
 - Hold down your finger on the app icon
 - * Tap the delete app icon in the drop down menu