



Accessibility Features in iOS

iPhone, iPad, Mac

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Objectives

- Explore accessibility features for Vision
- Explore accessibility features for Hearing
- Explore accessibility features for Mobility
- Explore accessibility features for Learning



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Apple Phones & Tablets

iPhone, iPad



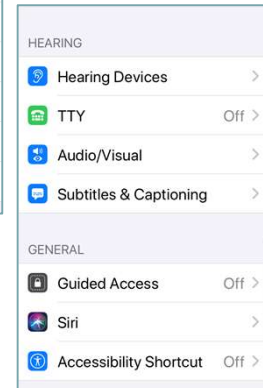
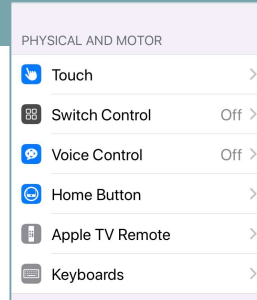
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Accessibility Features

- Settings – Accessibility

- Vision
- Physical & Motor
- Hearing
- General

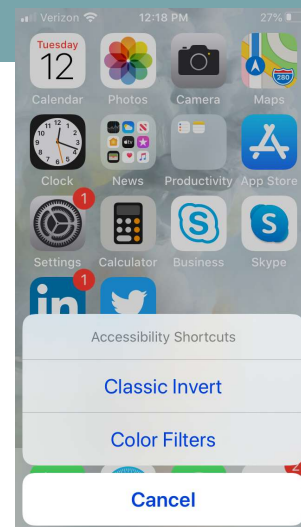


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Accessibility Shortcut

- Turn on accessibility shortcut
 - Settings – Accessibility
- Triple-click Home button or Side Button (X or later)



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Vision

Voice Over, Magnifier, Font Size/Color

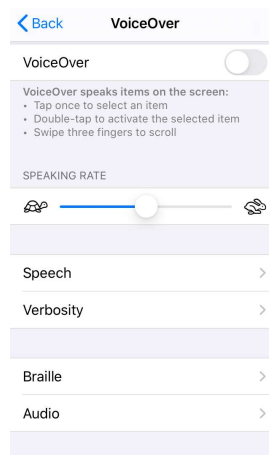


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VoiceOver

- [VoiceOver](#) - Screen Reader
 - Commands
 - Activities
 - Voice & Rate
 - Braille
 - Automatic Switching

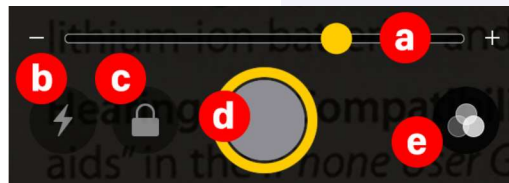


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Magnifier

- Magnifier uses the iPhone or iPad camera to become a digital magnifier
- Controls
 - Level Slider (a)
 - Flash/Flashlight Button (b)
 - Focus-lock Button (c)
 - Screen Capture Button (d)
 - Color Options (e)

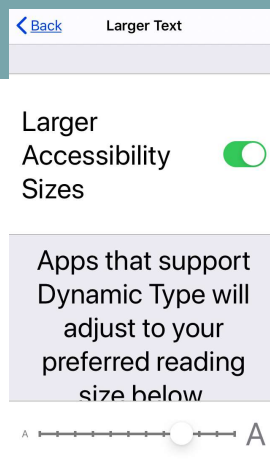


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Font Size/Color

- Set text size larger or smaller
 - Display & Brightness – Text Size
 - Accessibility - Display & Text Size
- Features Include:
 - Bold Text
 - Larger Text
 - Button Shapes
 - Contrast



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Physical & Motor

Voice Control, Switch Control, AssistiveTouch, Mouse



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Voice Control

- Hands-free control of iPhones and iPads
- Set Up Voice Control
- Commands
 - Navigate
 - Dictate
 - Edit Text
 - Set Language
 - Customize commands
 - Overlay

Show names



Show numbers

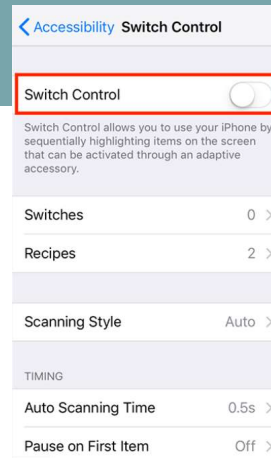


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Switch Control

- Switch Control
 - Number of switches
 - Scanning Style
 - Auto Scanning
 - Manual Scanning
 - Single Switch Step Scanning
 - Speed of scanning
 - Timing
 - Group Items
- Switches
 - Wired switch/Switch Interface
 - Bluetooth

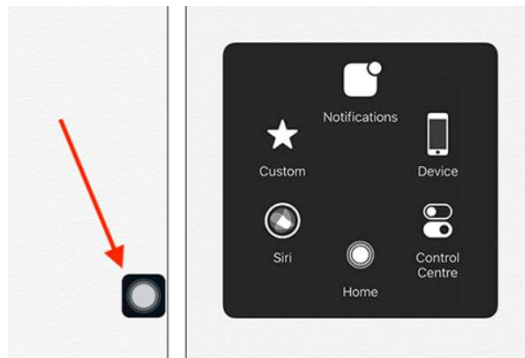


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AssistiveTouch

- On-screen button actions
- Easily perform
 - Swipe gestures
 - Taps
 - Switch apps
 - Adjust volume
 - Trigger shortcuts

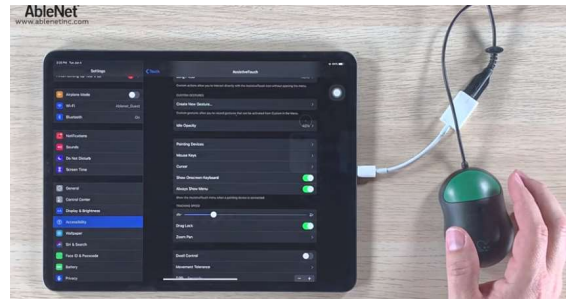


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Mouse Control

- New Mouse Support
 - Bluetooth
 - USB
- Accessibility – Touch – AssistiveTouch – Pointer Devices – Devices
 - Add Devices
 - Customize Mouse Buttons
 - Adjust tracking speed

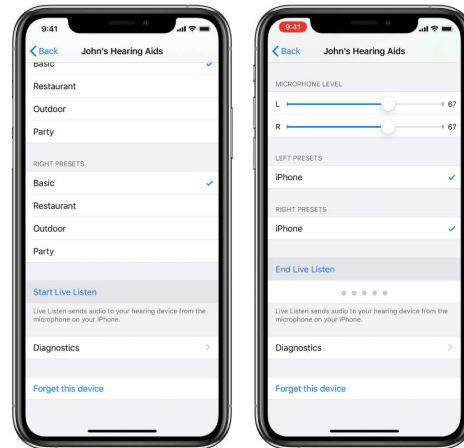


Hearing

Live Listen, Closed Captioning, Visual Alerts

Live Listen

- Live Listen makes hearing in loud atmospheres easier.
 - Pair hearing aids with an iPhone
 - Or use AirPods
- Amplify conversations using the phone's built-in microphone.

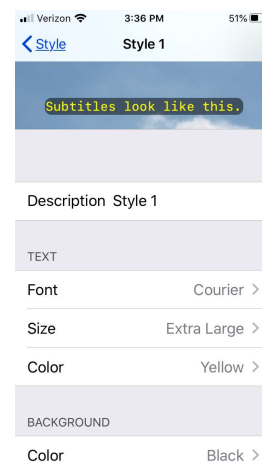


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Closed Captioning

- Subtitles & Captioning
 - + SDH – Subtitles for Deaf and HOH
 - Style
 - Background
 - Size
 - Customize
 - Text
 - Background
 - Opacity
 - Edge Style
 - Highlight

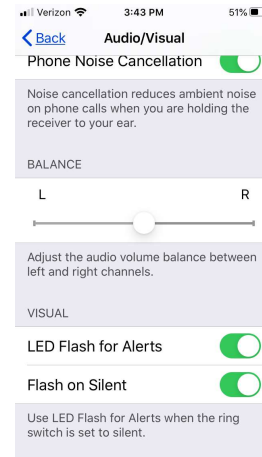


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Visual Alerts

- LED Visual Alerts
 - Camera flash on phone ring
 - Flash Alerts on Screen
 - Flash in Silent Mode



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Learning

Speak Screen, Guided Access, Safari Reader



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Speak Screen

- **Speak Screen = Text-to-Speech**

- iPhone or iPad
- Speak Selection or Screen
- Reads text
 - Webpages
 - Books
 - Emails
- Options
 - Highlight
 - Voice
 - Speed



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Guided Access

- Guided Access limits the user to one app at a time.
- Limits the amount of time spend in an app.
- Helps user to focus on the app
 - Useful for AAC apps
 - Schools
 - Parents



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Mac OS X

Laptop, Desktop

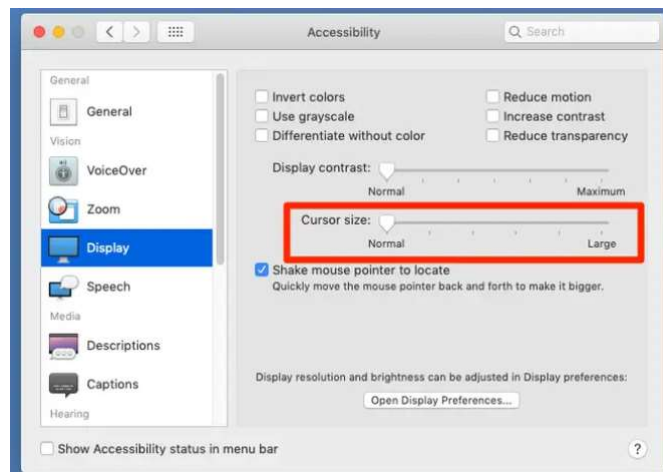


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Mac OS X

- Vision
 - VoiceOver
 - Zoom
 - Scalable Cursor
 - Display Adjustment

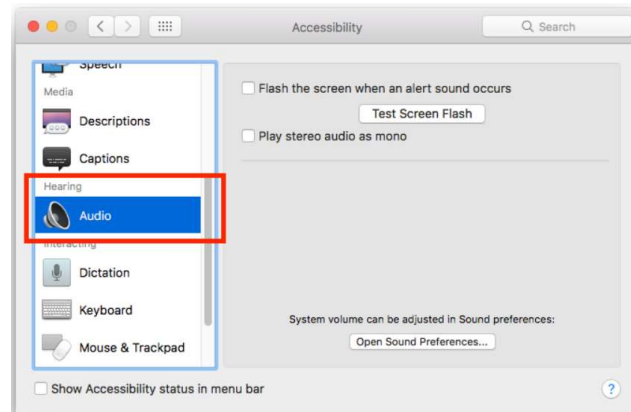


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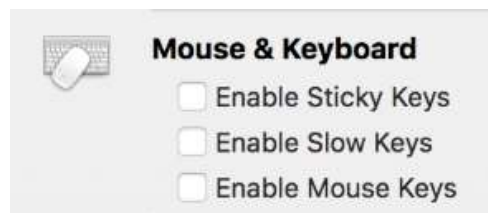
- Hearing
 - Visual Alerts
 - FaceTime or iMessage
 - Closed Captions



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Mac OS X

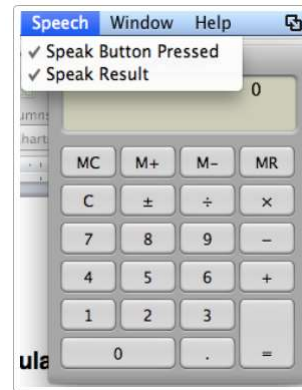
- Physical
 - Slow Keys
 - Sticky Keys
 - Mouse Keys
 - Speech Recognition



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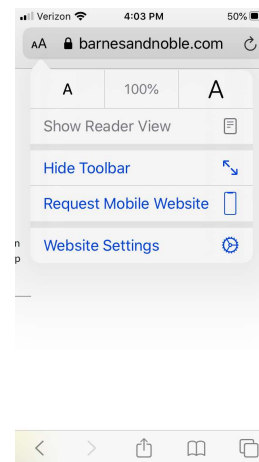
Mac OS X

- Learning
 - Speak Text (Hover)
 - Text-to-Speech
 - Audible Calculator



Safari Reader

- Safari Reader
 - Reduces visual clutter
 - Removes extraneous
 - Ads
 - Buttons
 - Navigation Bars
 - Focus on just the content
 - Devices
 - iPad
 - iPhone
 - Mac Laptop/Desktop



Questions

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