



iPad Essentials

Quick start guide



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Welcome

The Smartbox iPad Essentials pack includes all you need to get started with touch based AAC.



What is in the box?

- iPad (Standard or Mini)
- iPad case (soft foam or tough shell)
- Lightning cable and Charging plug
- Bluetooth speaker and USB charging cable
- Carry case
- Shoulder strap (iPad Standard with tough shell only)

Software



Essentials options

Your iPad has been supplied with either a soft foam or tough shell case. Both are designed to help protect your iPad from knocks, bumps and drops.



iPad in soft foam case



iPad in tough shell case

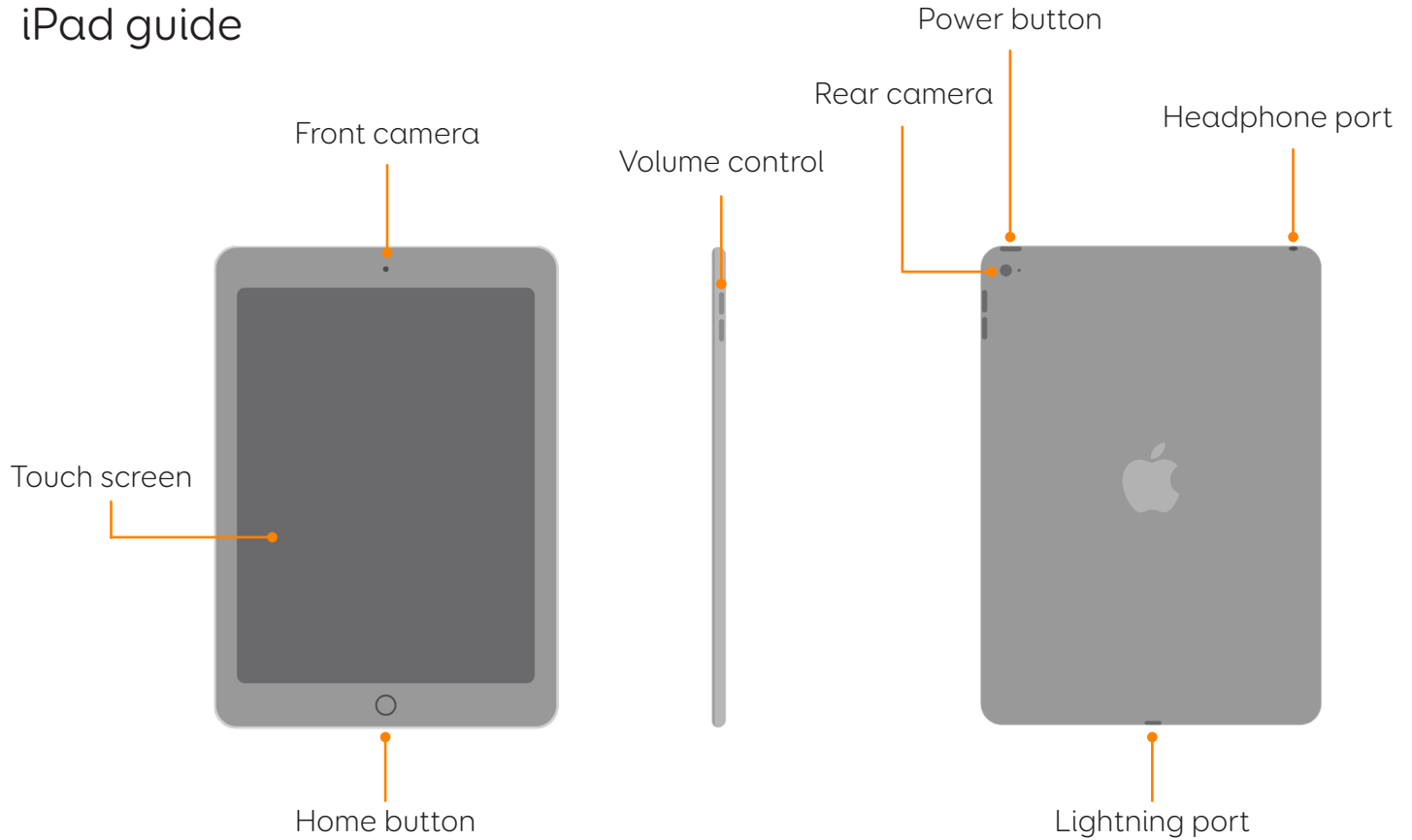


iPad Mini in soft foam case



iPad Mini in tough shell case

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All ports and buttons are accessible through hatches or cut outs on the case.

Setting up your iPad

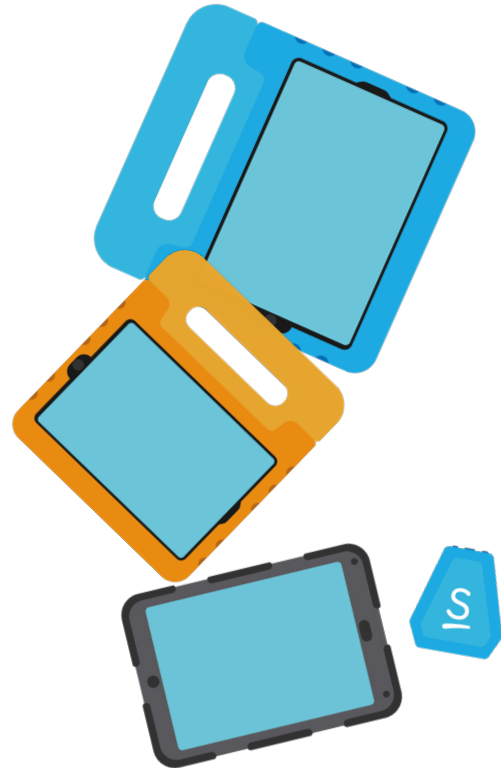
Press the power button to switch on the device and follow the on screen instructions.

Be sure to be in a location where you have access to wi-fi.

If this is your first iPad you will need to create an Apple ID. You can do this as part of the iPad setup. If you already have an Apple ID you will be able to sign in as part of the setup.

Note: Without an Apple ID you will not be able to redeem the code for Grid for iPad!

During setup, you will have several options regarding settings and services, many of these are optional and you can set them up at a later time in Settings if you need them.



Getting started with Grid for iPad

Step 1

Follow the instructions on your Grid for iPad card to redeem your Grid for iPad code.

Step 2

Start the app by selecting its icon.



Step 3

Select **Get Started** on the Grid for iPad start page to begin setup.

Tip: If you already have a Smartbox Account you can sign in here to restore your grid sets

Step 4

Follow the setup choosing your language and voice as well as privacy options.

Step 5

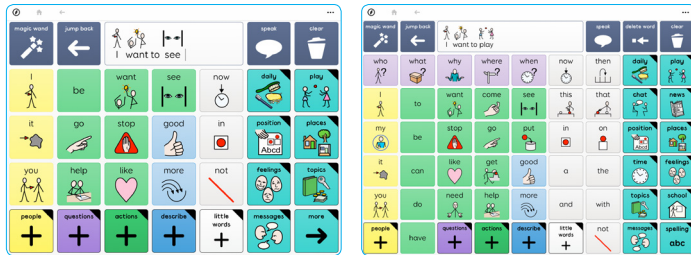
Depending on your privacy settings, you may get a few notifications when you complete the setup. Choose Allow to confirm these.

Step 6

Welcome to Grid for iPad! You are now ready to add some grid sets to start chatting. To begin adding grid sets follow the on screen instructions to open the menu and select **Add grid sets**. You will need to be connected to a wi-fi network to download new grid sets.

Choosing your grids

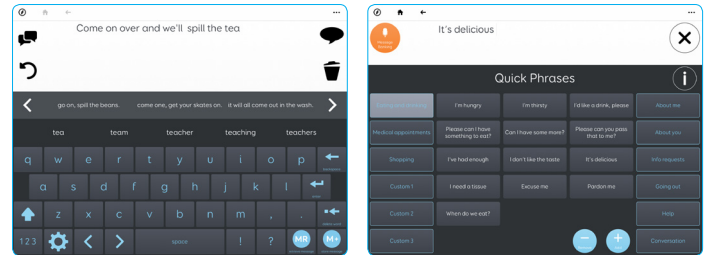
Grid sets are flexible communication packages that have unique features to build your sentences. Below are two popular grid sets, but there are many more available. Grid for iPad also has a complete suite of creation and editing tools to let you design and build your own custom grids!



Super Core

Super Core is a symbol-based core vocabulary, designed to help AAC users experience success with symbol communication.

You'll find lots of vocabulary relating to daily and play activities, making it easier to learn and explore language with activities that are fun and familiar - and encourage AAC to be used all day, every day!



Text Talker

Text Talker is a fast way to type what you want to say. The grid set combines a series of innovative features to make communication for literate users intuitive.

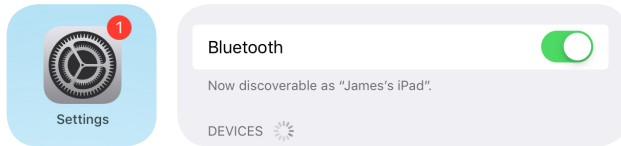
Features such as SwiftKey prediction and Chat history make building the message you want to say even simpler.

Bluetooth speaker

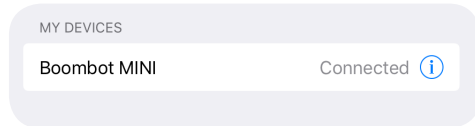
The Bluetooth speaker will need to be paired to your iPad before you can use it.

Step 1: Press and hold the On/Off button on the speaker until the LED begins to blink.

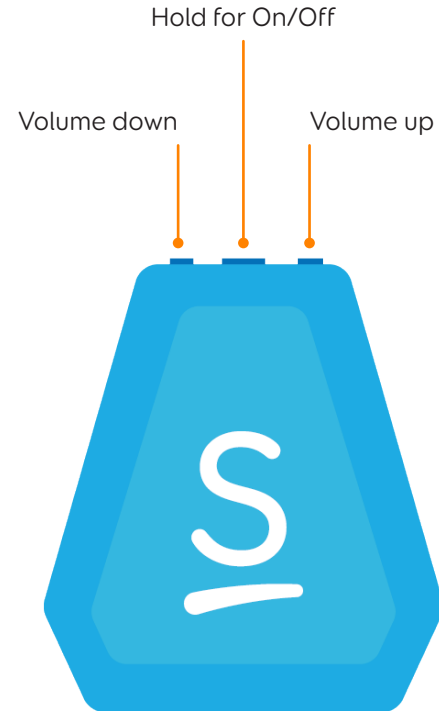
Step 2: On your iPad go to Settings, then Bluetooth and make sure it is switched on.



Step 3: Boombot MINI will appear in the list of devices. Tap this to connect.



The speaker will then pair and make a chime to signal it is ready to use. For more information on the Bluetooth speaker visit thinksmartbox.com.



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Online support

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iPad Essentials is covered by a standard warranty of 2 years from the date of purchase.

Repairs

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