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Back Up Your iPhone or Android

This guide shows how to turn on automatic backup and run a manual one, on iPhone with iCloud Backup and Android with Google Backup, both free and already built into the phone.

Why it matters

A backup is the difference between a replaced phone and a replaced life.

Everything could be gone
A lost, stolen, or broken phone takes your photos, messages, and contacts with it.

It's already free
No extra app; it's a setting that's already on your phone.

Takes under a minute
Set it once, and it happens automatically after that.

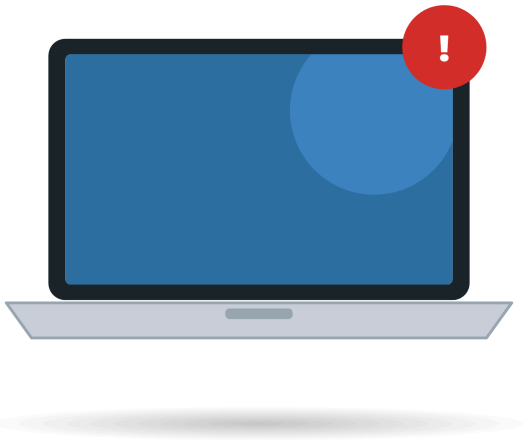
Step by step

BACK UP YOUR PHONE

Ever lost everything on a phone?

Turning on backup takes under a minute, on iPhone or Android.

WHAT TO DO
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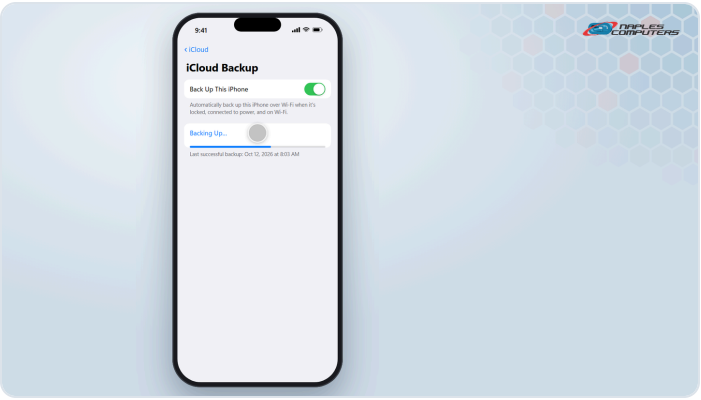
IPHONE

1 iPhone: turn on iCloud Backup

Settings → your name → iCloud → iCloud Backup. Switch it on.

WHAT TO DO

Tap Back Up Now for an immediate copy, over Wi-Fi.



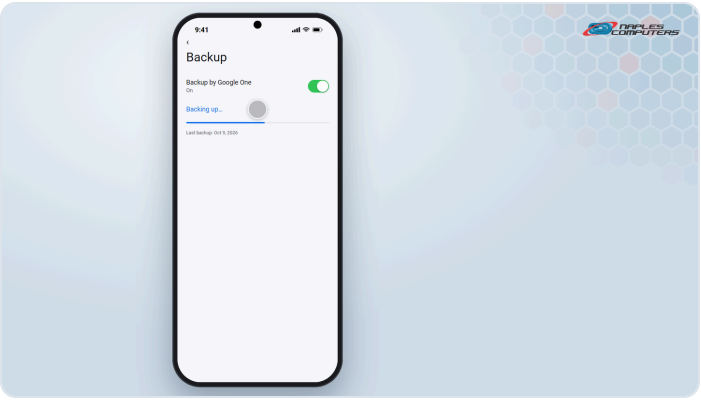
ANDROID

2 Android: turn on Google Backup

Settings → Google → Backup. Turn it on.

WHAT TO DO

Tap Back up now for a manual backup.



A few things to know

- [ ] Automatic needs Wi-Fi, power, and locked
  That's when the phone does it quietly in the background
- [ ] Manual works anytime
  Back Up Now, or Back up now, works right away over Wi-Fi
- [ ] Check the date once in a while
  An old last-backup date usually means something's not working

Recap: back up your phone

- [ ] iPhone: Settings, your name, iCloud, iCloud Backup
- [ ] Android: Settings, Google, Backup
- [ ] Turn it on, then tap Back Up Now (or Back up now)
- [ ] Check the last backup date now and then

Automatic backup only runs when the phone is on Wi-Fi, connected to power, and locked; a manual backup works anytime you're on Wi-Fi, which is worth remembering right before a trip.

Not sure it's backed up?

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