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Parental Controls: Windows Family Safety and iPhone Screen Time

A new laptop or phone for your kid is a good time to set up parental controls. This guide covers Microsoft Family Safety on Windows, and Screen Time on an iPhone or iPad, including screen time limits, content filters, and activity reports.

What parental controls actually do

Set it up once, and it just runs in the background.

Screen time limits
Daily limits, by device or by app, so devices turn off on their own.

Content filters
Block age-inappropriate sites and content automatically.

Activity reports
See what they're doing, without checking their device by hand.

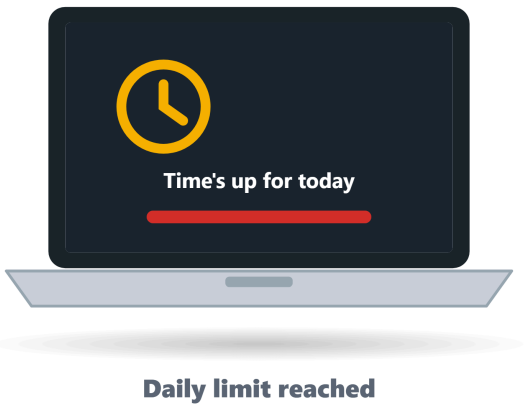
How to set up parental controls

WINDOWS

Windows: Microsoft Family Safety

Create a family group with your account and your child's, at family.microsoft.com or in the Family Safety app.

WHAT TO DO
Your child needs their own Microsoft account, not a local account, or limits can't be enforced.



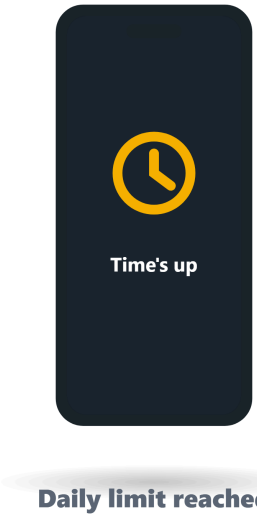
IPHONE & IPAD

iPhone and iPad: Screen Time

Set up Family Sharing, with your child on their own Child Account, not a shared one.

WHAT TO DO

From your device: Settings, Family, your child's name, Screen Time.



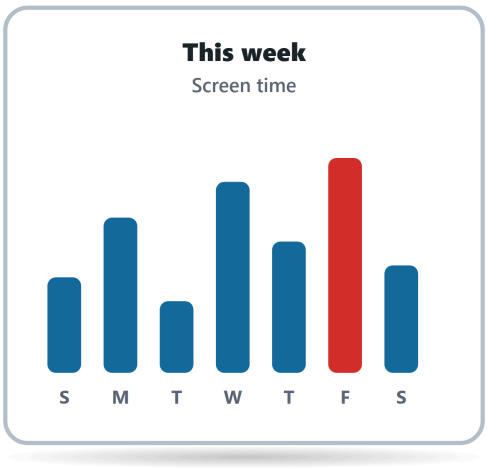
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Want help setting it up?

We'll set up the family group, the limits, and the filters, on every device your kid actually uses.

WHAT TO DO

Call 239-513-1960, especially helpful before a new school year or a new device.



What you can set on Windows

- [ ] **Screen time, by day or by device**
  Set limits for each day of the week, and each device they use
- [ ] **Content filters**
  Block specific sites, and set a maximum age rating for content
- [ ] **Weekly activity reports**
  See the sites and apps they used, without opening their device

What you can set on iPhone

- [ ] **App limits and Downtime**
  A daily limit per app, and a scheduled device-free time, like bedtime
- [ ] **Content and Privacy Restrictions**
  Block mature content, app downloads, and certain settings changes
- [ ] **Communication Limits**
  Choose who they can call, message, or face-time, and when

Recap: parental controls

- [ ] Screen time limits, content filters, and activity reports, all in one place
- [ ] Windows: Microsoft Family Safety, child needs their own Microsoft account
- [ ] iPhone or iPad: Family Sharing, with a Child Account
- [ ] Set app limits, Downtime, and who they can communicate with
- [ ] Want help setting it up? Call Naples Computers

On Windows, your child needs their own Microsoft account, not a local account, or screen time and content limits can't be reliably enforced. On iPhone or iPad, they need their own Child Account within Family Sharing, not a shared account.

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