



Adding a Child's iPhone to a Parent's iPhone

Parent iPhone Setup

- Open Settings, tap your Apple ID at the top
- Select Family Sharing > Set Up Your Family
- Tap Add Child
 - Use existing Apple ID

or


- Create a new Apple ID for child

Create a Child Apple ID (if needed)

- Enter child's name and birthday
- Choose a child Apple ID email address
- Set a password and security questions
- Agree to Parent Privacy Disclosure
- Confirm with your own Apple ID password

Set Up Child's iPhone

- On child's iPhone, sign in with child's Apple ID
- Make sure iCloud, Messages, and App Store are working

 **Turn on "Ask to Buy"** (this is important as it ensures all apps have to be approved before they are downloaded – even if they are free)

On parent iPhone: Settings > Family Sharing

Tap child's name > Enable Ask to Buy

Set Screen Time Controls

- Go to Settings > Screen Time > Family
- Tap child's name, configure:
 - Downtime
 - App Limits
 - Communication Limits
 - Content & Privacy Restrictions

Enable Location Sharing

- On both iPhones: Go to Settings > Apple ID > Find My
- Enable Share My Location
- Open Find My app on your phone, verify child is visible

☒ **Final Check**

- Family Sharing is active
- Child is listed under Family in Settings
- Ask to Buy works (test with free app)
- Screen Time restrictions apply
- Location tracking is visible in Find My app