

Setting up and using iPad Zoom and Magnifier, for a visually impaired user.

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Enable Zoom

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- Open up iPad **Settings**, then **Accessibility**, then **Zoom**. Turn the following on:
 - Zoom
 - Follow focus
 - Smart typing
 - Turn the **zoom controller** on, then within zoom controller you can set the colour to suit the iPad user
 - change **Idle opacity** to 100%.

Improve iPad visual appearance

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- Open up **Accessibility**, then **Display & Text size** menu. Turn on the following:
 - Bolt text
 - Larger text. (When you turn on **larger text**, there is a **slider control** to alter the text size)
 - Button shapes
 - on/off labels
 - Reduce transparency
 - Increase contrast
- Open up **Settings**, then select **Home screen and app library** and turn on **Use large app icons**

Enable Magnifier

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- Open up **Settings**, then **Accessibility**, then **Accessibility shortcut**, make sure **Magnifier** is selected (when you **triple press** the **iPad home button**, the magnifier will opens)

How to use Zoom:

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- Temporary Zoom
 - Press **one finger** on the **zoom controller** and **move it around the screen**, zoom window should open, when you take finger off zoom controller window will close (this is a temporary zoom)
- Constant Zoom
 - Turn zoom on and off (there are two ways to do this)
 1. tap twice on the zoom controller
 2. tap twice on the screen with three fingers
- To increase & decrease magnification (there are three ways to do this)
 1. **Tap once** on the **zoom controller** and **use the slider control**, sliding it right or left, to adjust magnification
 2. **3 finger double tap** (Tap twice on the screen with 3 fingers), hold fingers on after second tap, **slide upwards or downwards** on the screen to adjust magnification
 3. **Tap twice** on **Zoom controller**, holding finger on the second tap, **slide finger upwards or downwards** to adjust magnification.
- Tap once on the zoom controller, various menu options appear, including:
 - choice of **zoom region** (try out each region and find the most suitable)
 - Ability to **Resize** the window zoom

How to use Magnifier

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- **Press the iPad Home button three times**
- This should open the camera
- Press the **round circle to take images**
- **Pinch zoom to alter image magnification**
- When finished with the image press once on it with one finger, press the x to delete it and go back to the magnifier
- Press home button to exit magnifier