

Make calls and send messages from your Galaxy tablet

Don't you hate it when your phone starts ringing once you're snuggled up and comfortable in bed? With the Call & text on other devices feature, you can make and receive calls on your tablet as long as it's signed into the same Samsung account as your phone. You can also send messages. However, the connected phone will need to have active service.



Note

Call & text on other devices currently does not work with Verizon and AT&T phones, and may not be available on all models from other carriers.

Call and text differences between LTE and Bluetooth tablets

You can send and receive calls and messages on LTE tablets that have an active SIM card or eSIM with active network service. The Call & text on other devices feature allows Bluetooth tablets and LTE tablets without an active network service to make and receive calls and messages when the following conditions are met:

- Connected to a Galaxy phone that has active service
- Connected to a Wi-Fi network
- Signed into the same Samsung account on both devices
- Call & text on other devices is enabled

If you have an LTE tablet with active service and you'd like to learn how to make calls and send messages, please see the sections "Use your tablet during a call" and "Use your tablet for messaging" in this article.

Call & text on other devices compatibility

Note

If your Call & text on other devices version is higher than 3.3.00, these features have changed. In order to make or receive calls, both the tablet and phone must be using the same Wi-Fi network. You can send and receive messages whether or not both devices are on the same Wi-Fi network.

The following Galaxy phones and tablets support Call & text on other devices:

Galaxy A

- A13 5G, A14 5G, A15 5G, A16 5G, A20, A23 5G, A25 5G, A26 5G, A32 5G, A35 5G, A36 5G, A42 5G, A50, A52 5G, A53 5G, A54 5G, and A56 5G

Galaxy Z

- Galaxy Z Fold, Z Fold2, Z Fold3, Z Fold4, Z Fold5, Z Fold6, Z Fold7, Z Flip, Z Flip 5G, Z Flip3, Z Flip4, Z Flip5, Z Flip6, Z Flip7, and Z Flip7 FE

Galaxy Note

- Note20 5G and Note20 Ultra 5G
- Note10, Note10+, Note10+ 5G, and Note9

Galaxy S

- S25 FE, S25, S25+, and S25 Ultra
- S24 FE, S24, S24+, and S24 Ultra
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- S22, S22+, and S22 Ultra
- S21, S21+, S21 FE, and S21 Ultra
- S20 FE, S20 5G, S20+ 5G, and S20 Ultra 5G
- S10e, S10, S10+, S10 5G, S9, and S9+

Galaxy XCover

- XCover6 Pro

Galaxy Tabs

- Tab A (2020), Tab A (2021), Tab A8 (2022), Tab A9+, Tab S11 series, Tab S10 series, Tab S9 series, Tab S8 series, Tab S7 series, Tab S6 series, Tab S5e, and Tab S4

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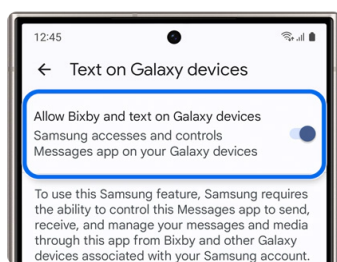
Note

You can [transfer all your messages](#) from your phone to your tablet using Smart Switch.

To make calls and send messages on a device other than your phone, you'll need to [add the same Samsung account](#) to both the phone and the tablet. Next, on both the phone and the tablet, swipe down from the top of the screen using two fingers to open the Quick settings panel and tap the **Call & text on other devices** icon. If the option is not available, it can be [added to Quick Settings](#). The connection will occur automatically. Now you can make and answer calls or send messages on your tablet. If you ever need to disable Call & text on other devices, just tap the icon in **Quick settings**.

However, if your phone's default messaging app is Google Messages, you will need to enable the text messaging option in Google Messages. This will allow you to send messages using your tablet when the Call & text on other devices option is enabled in your tablet's main Settings menu.

- 1 Using your phone, navigate to and open the **Google Messages** app, then tap your **account profile** icon, and then tap **Messages settings**.
- 2 Tap **Advanced**, and then tap **Text on Galaxy devices**.
- 3 Tap the **switch** next to Allow Bixby and text on Galaxy devices to turn on the option.



- 4 When you receive an incoming message on your phone, you'll be able to read and answer the message using your tablet.

Note: When opening Google Messages on your tablet for the first time, you may be prompted to sign into your Google account and pair your devices. Follow the on-screen instructions.

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Use your tablet during a call

It may seem like a high tech idea, but answering forwarded calls on your tablet is simple - it's basically like a big phone!

When you see an incoming call, simply swipe the green **Phone** icon to pick up the call. Additionally, you can swipe the red **Phone** icon to decline the call, or swipe up from the bottom of the screen to send the caller a message or set a reminder to call them back.

If you would rather talk on your phone, tap **Pull call** on the phone itself. This will end the call on the tablet and open it up on the phone.



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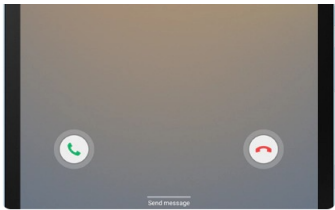
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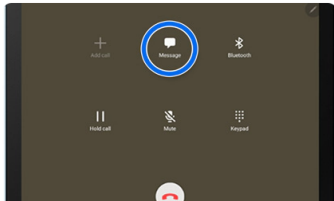
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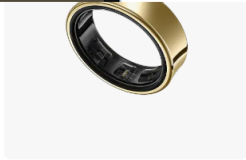
When you answer a call on your tablet, the call interface will look almost identical to the interface on your phone. There are just a few differences, but no worries, it's still very easy to use. Here is what you can do during a forwarded call on your tablet:

- **Add call:** Tap this to add an additional call to the current phone call. This option is only available on LTE tablets.
- **Messages:** Use this to send a text message to the caller. The Messages app will open up; enter and send a text message the way you normally would. To go back to the call, tap the green bar at the top of the screen.



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