

## Does the alarm clock ring when Android turns off or in no-disturb mode?

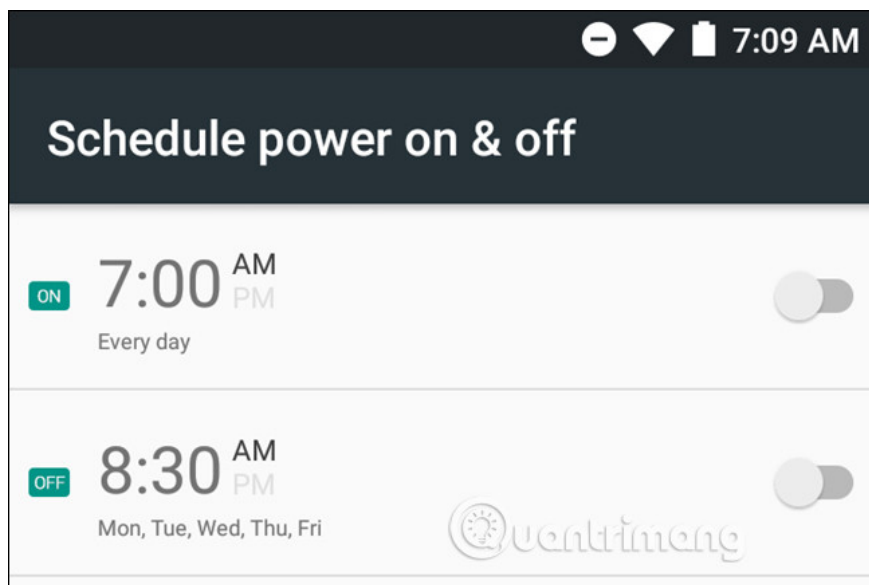
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When asked this question, many people will assume that it is not working and it is silly to think the alarm still rings when the phone is turned off. However there are many phones that can work this way and in fact, some Android devices can do this.

### Is the alarm still active if the phone is turned off?

The answer is probably not. Some Android phones offer a feature that automatically restarts after a certain time if you turn it off before going to sleep. Manufacturers that offer this feature change a lot and seem to no longer support it. If your phone has this feature, you can find it in **Settings> Scheduled Power On & Off** . This is an interesting tool if you want to turn off your phone at night and start up when you wake up.



Although some specific models of the phone have a feature that automatically turns on before the alarm, but it can be useless when you forget to charge your phone and it 'dies' during the night. You can oversleep and this is quite scary for those who need to wake up to work, take a test, attend an important event, etc.

One thing to keep in mind is that the 'silent' setting on Android phones only keeps silent calls and (possibly) messages. To really be in 'silent' mode you need to use Do Not Disturb. And that is the second issue that we need to care about.

## **Alarm does not ring when phone is in Do Not Disturb mode?**

Answer is possible. The Android phone provides quite detailed Do Not Disturb settings so you can choose whether to let the alarm clock work.

To check this setting, drag the notification down and find the **Do Not Disturb** icon (you may have to drag twice on a phone number to find this icon). Then press and hold the icon to access its settings.

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Bluetooth



Mobile data  
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Battery Saver



Do not disturb



Flashlight



Auto-rotate



Airplane mode



Night Light  
On at sunset



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## Do Not Disturb



### Behavior

#### Sound & vibration

Muted, but allow alarms

#### Notifications

Hidden

### Exceptions

#### Calls

From starred contacts and repeat callers

#### Messages, events & reminders

Some messages and reminders

### Schedule

#### Duration

Until you turn off (unless turned on automatically)

#### Turn on automatically

1 rule

Turn on now



From there, you can set not to enable this mode for some specific applications like alarm clock. This menu may be slightly different depending on the device manufacturer and Android version, but if there is this rule, you will find it somewhere in the Do Not Disturb menu.

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## Sound & vibration



When Do Not Disturb is turned on

Alarms



Media



Touch sounds



When Do Not Disturb is on, sound and vibration will be muted, except for the items you allow above.

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## **Reminder application and timer**

The clock and reminder application (calendar events and similar items) are not in the same category as the alarm clock on Android but you can choose to allow or not allow Reminders and Events to work when in Do Not Disturb mode.

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When Do Not Disturb is turned on

Messages

From starred contacts only

Reminders



Events



When Do Not Disturb is on, messages, reminders, and events will muted, except for the items you allow above. You can adjust messages settings to allow your friends, family, or other contacts to reach you.



This way, you can choose to mute calendar events or reminders while enabling Do Not Disturb mode, but still allow the alarm to work.

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