

# How to fix the problem of not seeing Shortcuts on iPhone, iPad

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With the release of iOS 12, Apple released Shortcuts application, a complete improvement of the previous Workflow application. With many built-in shortcuts, the ability to create custom workflows, incorporating Siri has made the application a powerful application on iOS. But what if you can't find it on iPhone or iPad? This article will guide you some ways to fix the problem of not finding Shortcuts application on iPhone, iPad.

If you updated your iPhone or iPad to iOS 12 without seeing the Shortcuts application because Apple didn't see Shortcuts as part of the original iOS app, you have to download it manually. But if you already have an application that can't find it, you'll have a few options to pull it out.

1. How to use Siri Shortcuts to manipulate quickly and smartly on iPhone
2. How to download files on iPhone with Siri Shortcuts
3. Quickly translate with Siri Shortcuts on iPhone

## Install Shortcuts application

Unless you have downloaded the Workflow app from iOS 11, Shortcuts application will not automatically appear in the app library after installing to iOS 12 and so will the new iOS device installed iOS 12.

**Step 1** . Visit the App Store, type **shortcuts** in the search bar, select **Shortcuts** in the results.

**Note:** If you downloaded the Workflow application and deleted it before, you will see the cloud icon instead of the **Get** button.

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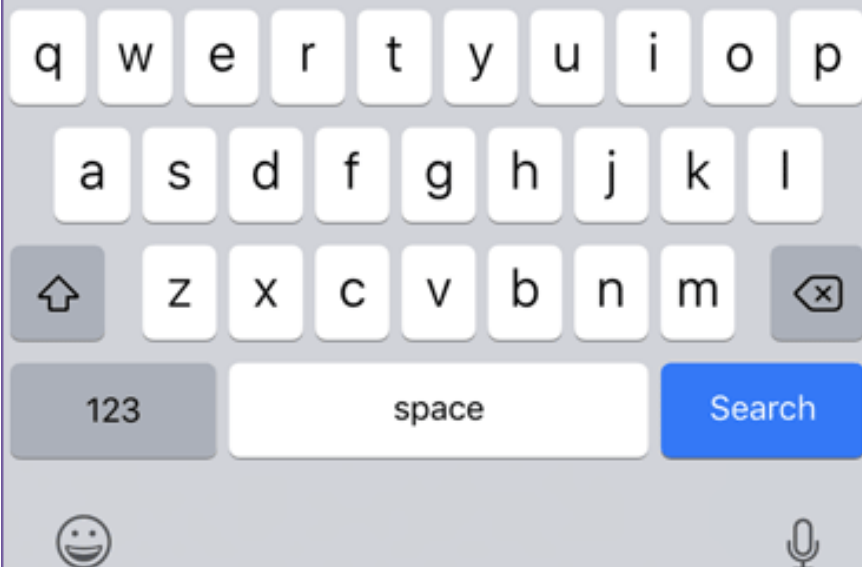
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**Step 2** . Touch the **Get** button, confirm the setting via Face ID or Touch ID. After installation, you will see Shortcuts application on the Home screen.

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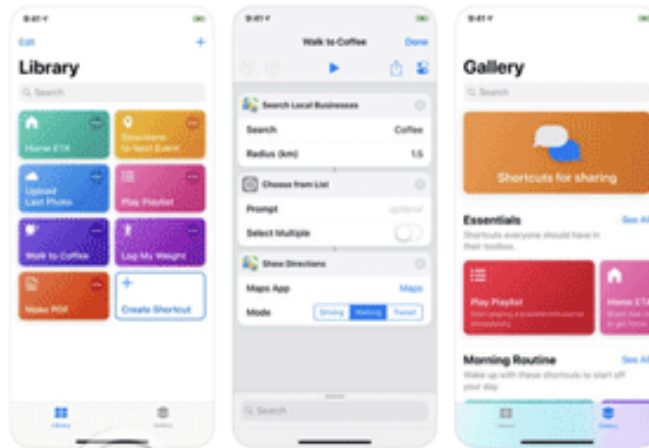


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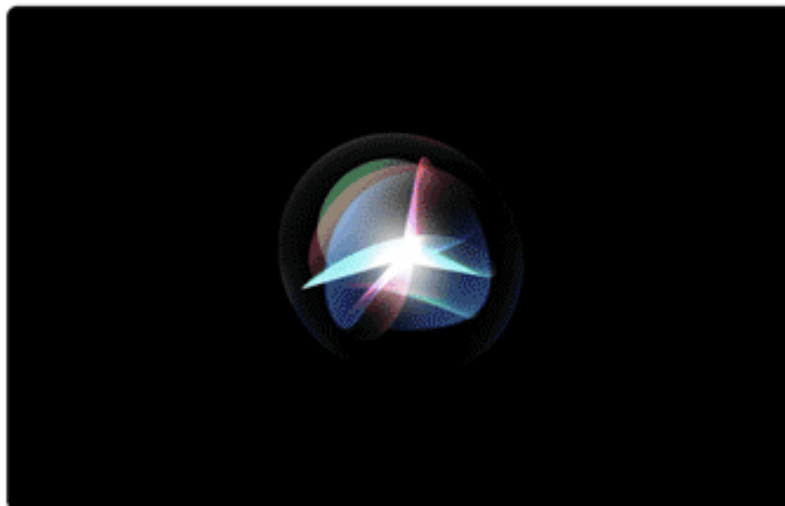
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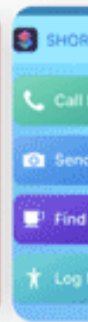
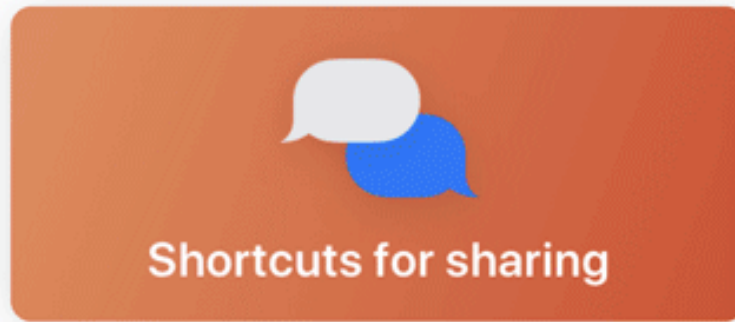
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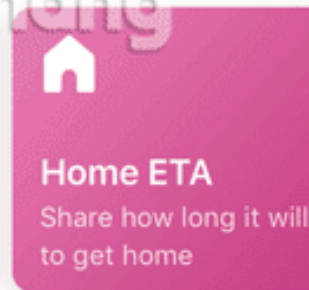
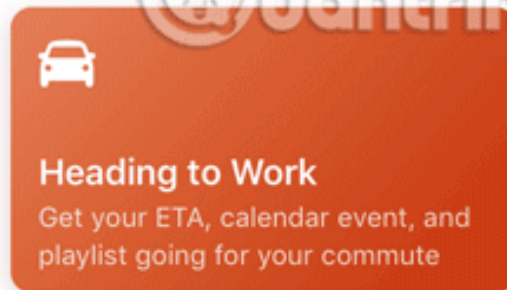
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## Great Shortcuts for Siri

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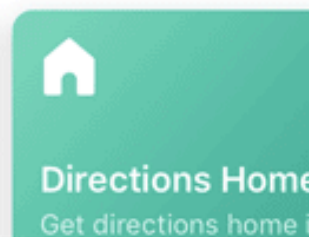
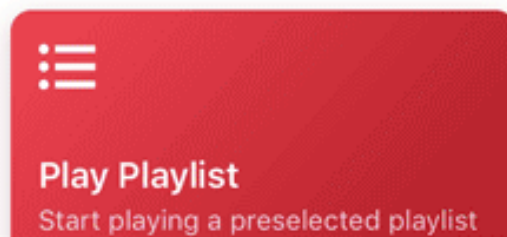
Add these shortcuts to Siri to get things done with your voice.



## Essentials

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Shortcuts everyone should have in their toolbox.



Open the application to start, then touch **Gallery** to find the shortcut.

## Use **Siri search**

If you have Shortcuts application on your iPhone or iPad and can't locate it because there are so many apps and folders on the main screen. In this case, you should use Siri, simply swipe down from the main screen to activate Siri search. Next type **shortcuts** and you will see Shortcuts in the results.

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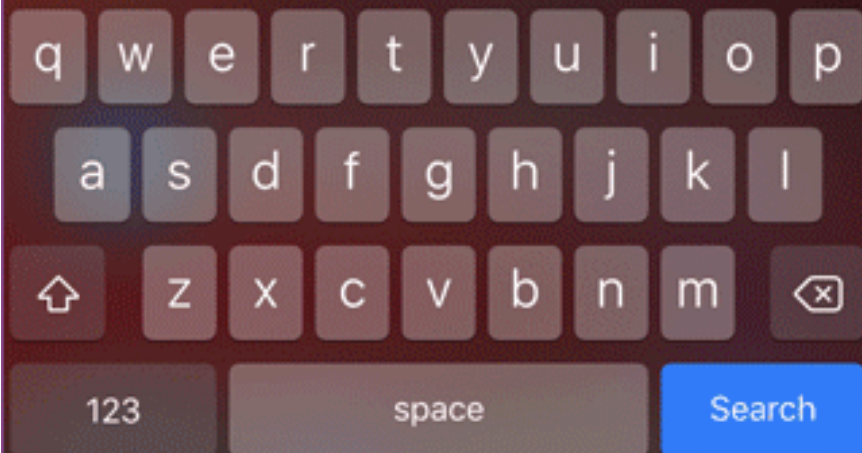
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folder

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Hey Siri open Shortcuts app



Alternatively, you can use Hey Siri command to call Siri (or press and hold the power button), ask her to open Shortcuts application.

1. The "critical" answers of Siri, the funny assistant on iOS

## **Reset the main screen layout**

















If you do not want to launch Shortcuts application via Siri, you can reset the main screen to find the application yourself. The reset process will delete all folders and leave all application icons in their respective default positions.

**Step 1** . Open the **Settings** app on iPhone, iPad, and then touch **General** . On the next screen touch **Reset** .

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## Settings

-  Notifications >
-  Sounds & Haptics >
-  Do Not Disturb >
-  Screen Time >
-  General >
-  Control Center >
-  Display & Brightness >
-  Wallpaper >
-  Siri & Search >
-  Face ID & Passcode >
-  Emergency SOS >
-  Battery >
-  Privacy >
-  iTunes & App Store >
-  Passwords & Accounts >
-  Mail >



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< Settings

General

Accessibility >

iPhone Storage >

Background App Refresh >

Date & Time >

Keyboard >

Language & Region >

Dictionary >

iTunes Wi-Fi Sync >

VPN

Not Connected >

Regulatory >

Reset >

Shut Down



**Step 2 . Touch **Reset Home Screen Layout**> **Reset Home Screen** again to confirm the action.**

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< General

## Reset

Reset All Settings

Erase All Content and Settings

Reset Network Settings

Reset Keyboard Dictionary

Reset Home Screen Layout

Reset Location & Privacy



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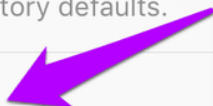
Reset Home Screen Layout

Reset Location & Privacy



This will reset your home screen layout to factory defaults.

Reset Home Screen



Cancel

You can easily find Shortcuts apps because now the app will be sorted alphabetically. Change the location of the application in a more visible place.

## **Activate the application in Share Sheet**

Another problem is that you don't see Shortcuts applications via Share Sheet of certain applications, but the solution is relatively easy.

You just need to move to the rightmost corner in the second row of Share Sheet. Touch **More** and then turn on the button next to Shortcuts.

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You should now see the Shortcuts option in the Share Sheet. Repeat the above process for other applications without Shortcuts options.

## **Type Shortcuts application from Screen Time**

Do you use Screen Time? If so, you will see Shortcuts application is blurred and inaccessible. This not only makes you unable to see the application on the main screen, but it may not be usable. To stop Shortcuts from being blocked due to time limit, please add it to the **Always Allowed** list.

**Step 1** . On the **Settings** app, tap **Screen Time**> **Always Allowed** .


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## Settings

 Bluetooth On >

 Cellular >

 Personal Hotspot >

 Notifications >

 Sounds & Haptics >


 Do Not Disturb >

 Screen Time >




 General >

 Control Center >

 Display & Brightness >

 Wallpaper >

 Siri & Search >

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 Emergency SOS >

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[Settings](#)

## Screen Time

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# 17m

7m above average



- Downtime**  
Schedule time away from the screen.
- App Limits**  
Set time limits for apps.
- Always Allowed**  
Choose apps you want at all times.
- Content & Privacy Restrictions**  
Block inappropriate content.

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[Change Screen Time Passcode](#)

Share Across Devices



You can enable this on any device signed in to iCloud to report your combined screen time.

**Step 2** . On the next screen, tap the plus sign icon next to Shortcuts to remove it from the Screen Time limit.

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< Screen Time Always Allowed

- + Measure
- + Music
- + Notes
- + Numbers
- + Pages
- + Photos
- + Podcasts
- + Reminders
- + Shortcuts
- + Stocks
- + Sync
- + Tasks
- + Tips
- + Tumblr
- + Videos
- + Voice Memos
- + Weather
- + YouTube



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[Screen Time](#) Always Allowed

Always allowed apps are available during downtime, or if you selected the "All Apps & Categories" app limit.

ALLOWED APPS:

- Phone
- Messages
- FaceTime
- Maps
- Shortcuts



CHOOSE APPS:

- App Store
- Apple Store
- Books
- Calculator
- Calendar
- Camera
- Chrome
- Clips
- Compass



Above are the methods to overcome the problem of not finding Shortcuts application on iPhone or iPad.

I wish you all success!

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