How to Scan a QR Code With an Android Phone

As is typical with Android, the answer is complicated. If your device has <u>Google Now on Tap</u>, you can use the stock camera or a third party camera to scan a QR code in a few steps. Now on Tap is available on most phones running Android 6.0 Marshmallow or up.

- 1. Launch your camera
- 2. Point it at the QR code
- 3. Press and hold the home button
- 4. Tap to trigger the code's action

On stock Android devices, such as the Pixel line, Now on Tap has been replaced by the Google Assistant, and this feature no longer works. If a phone doesn't have Now on Tap, you'll need to download a third-party app.



Scan a QR code with your iPhone, iPad, or iPod touch

Learn how to use the built-in camera on your iPhone, iPad, or iPod touch to scan a Quick Response (QR) code.

QR codes give you quick access to websites without having to type or remember a web address. You can use the Camera app that's built in to your iPhone, iPad, or iPod touch to scan a QR code.

How to scan a QR code

- Open the Camera app from your device's Home screen, Control Center, or Lock screen.
- Hold your device so that the QR code appears in the Camera app's viewfinder. Your device recognizes the QR code and shows a notification.
- Tap the notification to open the link associated with the QR code.

