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How to set parental controls on your Amazon Fire Tablet

Please note: when following the instructions below, the exact steps you need to take may be a little different depending on the device and software version you are using.

- Set a parental controls password
- Swipe down from the top of the screen, then tap 'Settings' (a cog icon)
- Tap 'Parental Controls'
- Tap the switch next to 'Parental Controls'
- Enter a password, confirm it, then tap 'Finish'
- Restrict apps, features and content
- In 'Parental Controls', tap 'Amazon Content and Apps' to choose which content or apps you want to block
- You can set your device so that you can only play videos and Twitch (a live streaming platform), and access WiFi and location services, by entering your parental controls password.
- Go into 'Password Protection' in 'Parental Controls' to toggle these on
- To block access to Amazon, go to 'Parental Controls' and press 'Amazon Stores (excluding Video)', and tap to block

Block in-app purchases

- Go to the Amazon Appstore on your device
- Select Account > Settings > Parental Controls
- Tap 'Enable Parental Controls', and then enter your account password.
- Once you have done this, your child won't be able to buy anything in the app without your Amazon password

Restrict available content

- Go Parental Controls > Amazon Content and Apps
- Toggle categories to 'Blocked' to block access to relevant apps and games
- Set times when your child can use the tablet
- Go to 'Parental Controls'
- Tap the switch next to 'Set a Curfew', then tap 'Curfew Schedule'
- Set the day and time limits you want

- To unlock a device during a curfew, enter your parental controls password
- Read more at
<https://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/help/customer/display.html?nodeId=201357720>
and
<https://www.laptopmag.com/articles/parental-controls-fire-tablet>
- See here for more information on settings for specific devices, as they can vary:
<https://www.amazon.com/gp/help/customer/display.html?nodeId=200127470>

