

How to Fix An iPhone that Won't Boot

Is your iPhone giving you trouble? Here's how to fix it.

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For many people, their iPhone is their lifeline. It lets them conduct business, communicate with friends and family, and keep updated with current news.

But if you own an iPhone that won't turn on, then you understand how stressful not having access to your phone can be. In this article, we're going to discuss some common reasons why your iPhone won't boot and show you how to fix it.

Why Won't My iPhone Turn On?

There are only a few explanations for why your iPhone isn't turning on. Unfortunately, some are more severe than others.

Here's a list of the most common:

iOS Has Crashed

If you've recently installed a new app or jailbroken your phone, then something may have been corrupted upon install. In this case, you'll need to perform a hard reset of the device to get it to boot again.

If you have a newer iPhone, you can reset it by holding either the **Volume Down** button and the **Sleep/Wake** button or both **Volume** buttons and the **Sleep/Wake** button simultaneously. For older phones, hold the **Home** button and the **Sleep/Wake** button. Do this until you see the Apple logo.

The Battery Is Dead

While this concern may seem like common sense, you'd be surprised at how many times a dead battery is at fault for an iPhone that won't boot. If your phone has been sitting for a while or goes dark unexpectedly, then a dead battery could be to blame.

Unfortunately, as your iPhone ages, the battery may report an inaccurate level. If you try a hard reset and nothing works, then try plugging your phone in for a few hours. If it springs back to life, then a dead battery is to blame. You also may want to have your battery checked if your phone is more than a couple of years old.

The Battery Needs Replacing

As much as you want them to, iPhone batteries don't last forever. So if you've used your phone for several years, and it just randomly dies, a malfunctioning battery could be to blame. If, after charging your iPhone, the battery meter doesn't report as full, or the phone still won't turn on, then it's best to take the unit to Apple so that its staff can test the battery.

The good news is that if you're into DIY, you can get iPhone battery replacements for pretty cheap on most major retailer websites. But, if you've never replaced one before, you might want to have Apple take care of it for you.

The iPhone Has Been Damaged

Water, liquid exposure, and severe heat can all cause havoc with your electronic devices. Due to their delicate nature, iPhones are no exception.

If your device has stopped working after a recent weather event like a large rainstorm, or it's been sitting in a hot car, then something internal may have been damaged. While you can try to charge the battery and restart the unit, it's more likely that you'll have to take it in to be evaluated by a repair professional.

3 Steps for Troubleshooting a Non-Responsive iPhone

Before you can take action, you'll have to determine the extent of the issue. That's where troubleshooting comes in. The first steps to identifying the problem with your iPhone are listed below.

1. **Charge your iPhone** — This should always be the first thing you try for a non-working unit. Plug your phone in and charge it for at least one hour. If the battery is old or very low, it could take extra time before it decides to boot.
 - a. **Restart your iPhone** — If your phone is fully charged, then try restarting it. If it still doesn't boot, then there's something else wrong, and you'll need to continue troubleshooting.
 - a. **Perform a Hard Reset** — To perform a hard reset of your iPhone, you'll need to hold either the **Home** and **Sleep/Wake** button, the **Sleep/Wake** button and the **Volume Down** button, or the **Sleep/Wake** and both **Volume** buttons. Hold these buttons until the Apple logo appears on-screen.

Use Tenorshare ReiBoot to Boot Into Recovery Mode

If the previous procedure doesn't work, then you're going to need some additional help. For this help, you'll turn to a program specifically designed to fix problematic booting issues: **Tenorshare ReiBoot**.

Tenorshare ReiBoot is an application for Windows and macOS that allows users to boot their phone into recovery mode. You can download the software from the ReiBoot website.

We've discussed ReiBoot before as a way to unlock your iPhone when it's stuck on the Apple logo, but the app is helpful for any situation where you can't get your iPhone to boot correctly. It also works with iPads and Apple TVs.

How to Use Tenorshare ReiBoot

First, download the **Tenorshare ReiBoot** app for your computer. Once you've installed it, then launch the software and connect your iPhone to your computer using a USB cable. On the main screen of ReiBoot, click **Enter Recovery Mode**.

Once you've entered recovery mode successfully, click **Ok** and then click **Exit Recovery Mode**. After that, your phone should reset and boot like it usually does.

If that process doesn't work, you can use the **iOS System Repair** option in ReiBoot. Click **Start** on the main screen and choose either **Standard Repair** or **Deep Repair**.

The difference here is that Standard Repair won't remove your data. So it's always best to try this option first. If that doesn't work, then using Deep Repair will thoroughly wipe the iOS installation. Unfortunately, your data will be gone as well.

Next, click the blue button marked **Standard Repair**. Then, click **Download** to download the latest firmware package.

Finally, click on **Standard Repair** to start repairing your iPhone. Once this process is complete, your iPhone will reset, and you should be able to boot the unit without data loss.

Why Should You Trust Tenorshare ReiBoot?

With over 62 million users worldwide and over 10 years of experience, the team at Tenorshare has been helping folks repair their disabled or non-responsive iPhones for a long time. The company's software has also gathered recommendations from several online publications, including ours.

Tenorshare guarantees 100% transactional security using 256-bit secure socket layer (SSL), 24/7/365 customer support, and a worldwide user-base. The folks at Tenorshare also offer free technical support and a 30-day money-back guarantee.

Additionally, **ReiBoot** is easy to use. The software walks you through all the steps for resetting your device. So even if you're inexperienced with technology, you can ensure that you're doing everything correctly.

Tenorshare also offers products to help you unlock iCloud, recover iOS data, and backup WhatsApp conversations. If you're curious about its other offerings, head to the **Tenorshare website** and check out your additional options.

Fix Your iPhone When It Doesn't Boot Up

If you've had to deal with a malfunctioning iPhone, you know that it can cause a lot of stress—especially if you're using your device for work or other essential activities.

But with the steps in this guide, you can ensure that you get your iPhone working again with a minimum investment of time and effort. And, with **Tenorshare ReiBoot**, you can resolve complex software issues in only a few clicks.

Lastly, the makers of ReiBoot, Tenorshare, are **holding an event called TenorshareDIY** in which you have a chance to win an iPhone 13. Check the link for more information.

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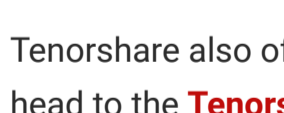
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