



Apple Watch and TV

Apple TV

Siri Remote

Want to know how to use the buttons and functions on your Siri Remote?

Here are some steps to help you use them to control your Apple TV. Whether or not you've watched or listened to the video presentation, these steps can help you better use your Apple TV. If you are new to using Apple TV or VoiceOver, you might want to check out the Hadley workshop on VoiceOver basics for the Apple TV. **Give the Siri Remote a try.**

1. The top of your Siri Remote is your touch surface. This works much like the surface of an iPhone or iPad.
2. Flick your finger left or right, up or down on the touch surface to move between items on your Apple TV. Right flick to move forward to the next item in a row.

Left flick to move back to a previous item in a row.

3. To open an item, press it on your touch surface. For example, to open the App Store, press it on the touch surface.

Buttons

4. **Menu button:** The menu button is below and slightly left of the touch surface. It can serve as a back button and lets you close any app. It's easy to find because this round button has a raised ridge.
5. **TV Home button:** This opens your Apple TV app.

Tip: If you press the TV Home button twice to launch your app switcher, you can flip to your recently opened apps.

6. **Siri button:** Press and hold down the Siri button to activate Siri. The Siri button is easy to find because it is slightly indented. Use this button to launch apps or have Siri find TV and movie content.

- a. To say something to Siri, hold down your Siri button and speak. For example, say, “Find movies with Tom Hanks.”
 - b. To speak text into a text field, press and hold your Siri button and simply say the text or individual letter or symbols that you want to enter into the text field. This is especially helpful for entering usernames and passwords.
7. **Play/Pause button:** Press this button to play or pause any of your content such as music you might be playing or a movie you are watching.
8. **Volume button:** Press the top part of the volume button to increase your playback volume. It’s easy to find because it’s a long, oval button. Press the lower part of your volume button to decrease your system’s volume.

Practice using the buttons on your Siri Remote to improve your Apple TV navigation. Now that you’ve learned how to use the Siri Remote, how about trying another workshop like this one to enhance your Apple TV experience?

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