

Nintendo Switch Kit Contents

- HDMI cable



- AC Adapter



- Nintendo Switch Dock



- Joy-Con Charging Shuttle



- Nintendo Switch Carrying Case



Inside the carrying case:

- Nintendo Switch console (may already be attached to controllers)



- 4 Joy-Con controllers (2 left, 2 right)



- 4 Joy-Con straps (may already be attached to a controller)



- Joy-Con Grip



Nintendo Switch Instructions

Pre-Installed Game Information

We have already installed several games onto the console that will always be available. Please review the following list of installed games, as **not all games are intended for children**.



Cuphead: Don't Deal With the Devil and The Delicious Last Course - 1-2 players

- Rated E10+ for for Everyone 10+
- Mild Language, Use of Alcohol and Tobacco, Fantasy Violence



Death Road to Canada - 1-4 players

- Rated T for Teen
- Blood, Violence, Crude Humour



Ibb & Obb - 1-2 players

- Rated E for Everyone
- Users interact



Kirby's Dream Buffet - 1-4 players

- Rated E for Everyone
- Mild Cartoon Violence



LEGO Marvel Super Heroes 2 - 1-4 players

- Rated E10+ for Everyone 10+
- Cartoon Violence



Phoenotopia: Awakening - 1 player

- Rated E for Everyone 10+
- Comic Mischief, Fantasy Violence, Mild Language,

Use of Alcohol

Joy-Con Controllers

This Nintendo Switch comes with 4 Joy-Con controllers and 4 wrist straps. It is important that controllers are connected properly to the console, wrist straps, or Joy-Con grip, or it could damage the controller. If children are using this kit, please ensure an adult is able to help them attach and detach the Joy-Con controllers.

Attaching to the console

In Handheld Mode, you play with the left and right Joy-Con controllers attached to your console.

Check which way round the Joy-Con controllers go, then slide each Joy-Con onto the corresponding side rail on the console until you hear a click.



Checking the orientation

Make sure you attach the Joy-Con (L) and (R) on the correct sides so that the buttons are positioned correctly with respect to the console.

The Joy-Con with the – Button should be on the left, and the one with the + Button on the right.



Removing controllers from the console

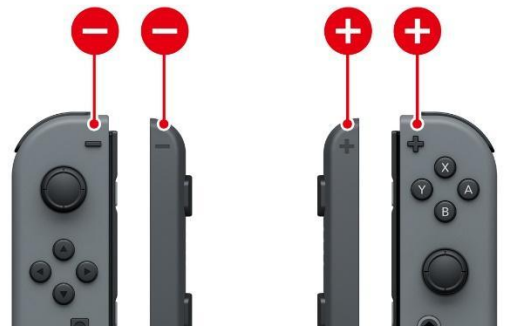
In TV Mode and Tabletop Mode, you can play with your Joy-Con controllers detached from the console. Holding the release button located on the back of the Joy-Con, slide the Joy-Con upwards.



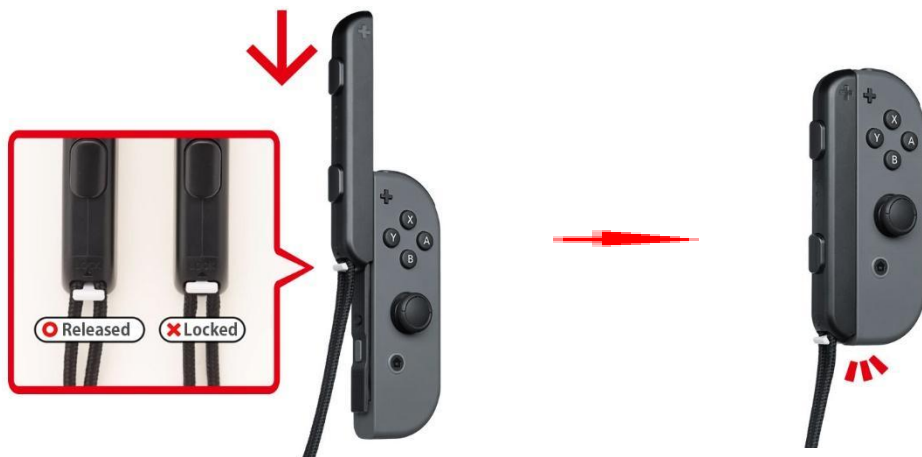
Attaching a Joy-Con Strap

When you're holding your Joy-Con controllers to play, make sure you attach the wrist strap first.

1. Using the + and - marks, confirm that the Joy-Con and Joy-Con strap match up.



2. Make sure the strap rail lock is down, in the released position. Then align the strap with the side rail and slide it down from above.



3. Push in the strap rail lock at the bottom of the strap to lock the strap in place.



4. To prevent the strap slipping off your wrist, push the button on the strap lock and adjust the loop to the right size.



Detaching a Joy-Con Strap

1. Pull the rail lock downwards to release the lock.
2. Slide the Joy-Con downwards.
*You do not need to press the release button on the back of the Joy-Con.



Caution when releasing straps:

Make sure the rail lock is released before attempting to detach the strap.

Trying to force the strap to slide without first releasing the lock can damage the lock mechanism.

Attaching/Detaching Joy-Con with a Joy-Con Grip

By attaching the left and right Joy-Con controllers to a Joy-Con grip, you can play using them together as a two-handed controller.

Attaching

Slide your Joy-Con controllers from above onto the left and right Joy-Con charging grip rails until you hear a click, making sure the orientation is correct.

Detaching

Holding the release button located on the back of the Joy-Con, slide the Joy-Con upwards.



Introduction

The Nintendo Switch can transition quite easily between being connected to a TV, played on a tabletop, or played handheld (hence the name, “Switch”). Not all games can be swapped between each play mode, and they will have an icon stating how they can be played on the game case (shown below). **All pre-installed games can be played in all 3 play modes.**

The Nintendo Switch console can be played three ways:

1. TV Mode - Play games on a TV Screen either on your own, or together with family and friends. This is great for groups of people so that everyone can easily see the screen.
2. Tabletop Mode - Set the console down on a surface to play. The console acts as a standalone screen when you don't have access to a TV.
3. Handheld Mode - Play games while holding your console. This is best for single player games.



This symbol means that a game is TV Mode-compatible. If it has a line through it or the colours are inverted (black background and white TV & console), the game does not support TV Mode.



This symbol means that a game is Tabletop Mode-compatible. If it has a line through it or the colours are inverted (black background and white console and controllers), the game does not support Tabletop Mode.



This symbol means that a game is Handheld Mode-compatible. If it has a line through it or the colours are inverted (black background and white console), the game does not support Handheld Mode.

Setup - TV Mode



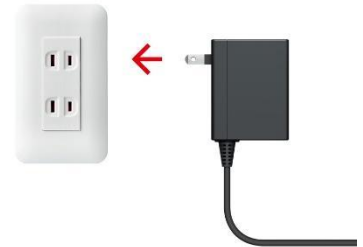
1. Open the cover on the rear of the Nintendo Switch dock.



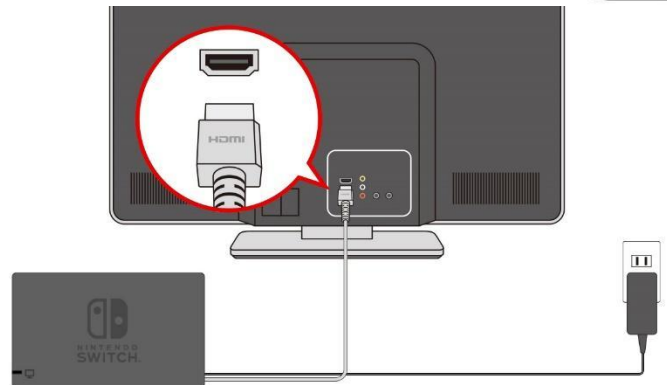
2. Insert the AC adapter into the top port, insert the HDMI cable into the bottom port, then close the cover.



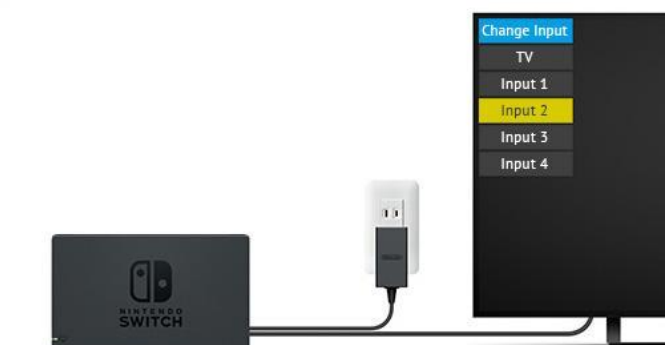
3. Connect the AC adapter to a main socket. *(TV Mode consumes a significant amount of power. You should connect your console directly to a wall socket, rather than via an extension cord or power strip)*



4. Connect the HDMI cable directly to your television.



5. Turn on your television and change the source to the HDMI input where you connected the HDMI cable.



6. Press the POWER Button on the top left of your console, then press the A Button to open the HOME Menu. If the Switch is completely turned off, you may need to press and hold until the screen turns on. If it is in Sleep mode, one press will wake it up.



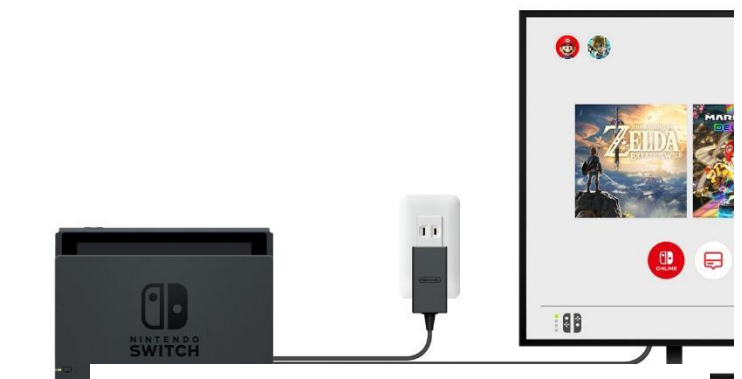
7. Detach the left and right Joy-Con controllers from the console (if you put your console in the dock with the controllers attached, you won't be able to use your Joy-Con controllers).



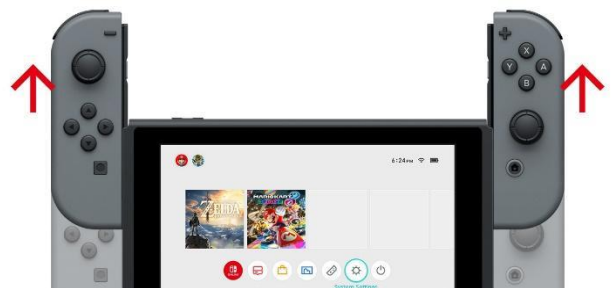
8. Align your console with the centre of the dock and gently push the console down to insert it. When the console is fully inserted, the screen will go black.



9. If the Nintendo Switch's screen is shown on your television, you don't need to do anything else.



Setup - Tabletop Mode



1. If attached to the console, detach the left and right Joy-Con controllers.

2. Open the stand on the rear of the console. If the stand accidentally becomes attached, it can be put back on. The stand's hinge points can be damaged if the stand is removed too many times, so please avoid removing it deliberately.



Setup - Handheld Mode

All you need to do in Handheld Mode is attach the left and right Joy-Con controllers to the console. Select your game and start playing!



Power On/Off and Sleep Mode



Please ensure that you've completely powered off the Switch once you're done using it. This will ensure the console is not on while in transit back to HQ, thus preserving its battery life.

Power On

1. To power on the system if it's been completely powered off, press and hold the POWER button for at least three seconds.
2. The screen will show the Nintendo logo and the console will start up.

Power Off

1. To power off the system, press and hold the POWER button for at least three seconds.
2. Select Power Options, then Turn Off.

Sleep Mode - 3 methods

Sleep mode reduces power consumption in between sessions and allows you to resume your game where you left off. To wake the console from Sleep Mode, press the POWER button or the HOME button.

1. Press the POWER Button once. The screen will shut off and the console will enter sleep mode.
2. From the POWER Menu: Press and hold the POWER button for at least 3 seconds for the POWER menu to be displayed. Select Power Options, then Sleep Mode.
3. From the Quick Start screen: Hold down the HOME button on the Right Joy-Con for at least 1 second to open the Quick Settings Menu. Select Sleep Mode.

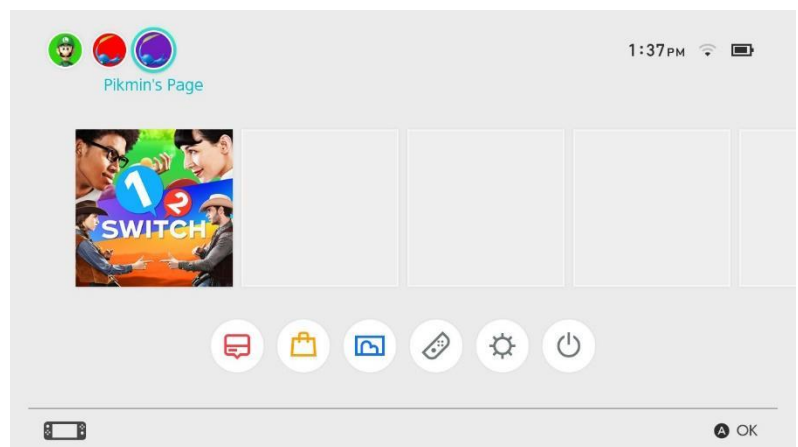
How to Insert/Remove Game Cards

The Nintendo Switch has digital games downloaded on the console, but does not come with additional game cards. You will need to order games from Southeast branches if your branch does not have a collection of Nintendo Switch games.

View our games: <https://southeastlibrary.ca/sm/browse/nintendo-switch>

To insert game cards:

1. Open the game card slot cover located on the top right side of your Nintendo Switch system.
2. Hold the game card so that the label of the game card faces in the same direction as the Nintendo Switch screen.
3. Slide the game card into the game card slot until it clicks into place. If the game card seems difficult to insert, remove it and verify that it is facing in the correct direction.
4. Once inserted, the software icon of the inserted game card will be displayed on the HOME Menu. Once you select the game, it will open and be ready to play. The example on the right is the icon for the game *1-2 Switch*.



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To remove game cards:

Important: Remove a game card only while on the HOME Menu, or when the system is powered off. If you have suspended a software title, make sure you have closed it before removing its game card.

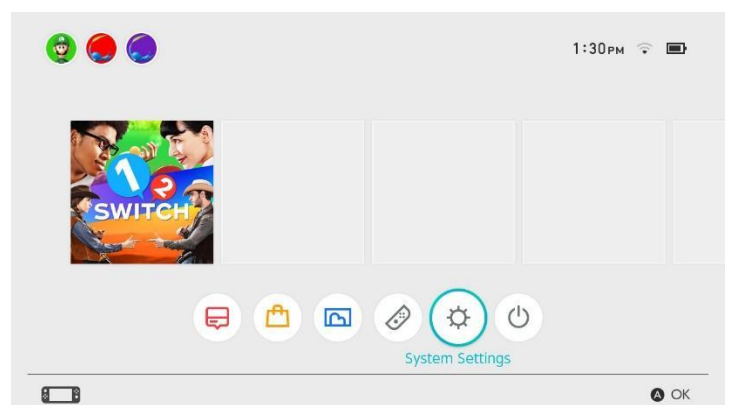
1. Open the game card slot cover located on the top right side of your Nintendo Switch system.
2. Gently push down on the inserted game card until the card clicks.



3. Release the game card and it will partially eject.
4. Slide the game card out of the game card slot and close the cover. Ensure you place the game card back in its case.

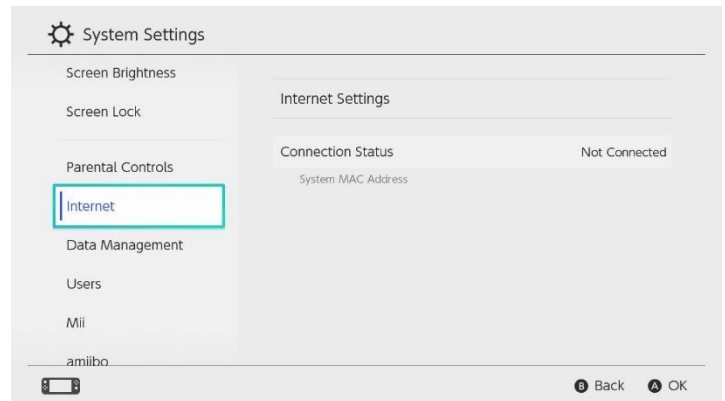
Connecting to a Wireless Network

1. Place the Nintendo Switch within 10 feet of the wireless router to ensure a strong wireless signal.



2. On the Nintendo Switch console, select Settings from the HOME Menu (highlighted icon in image)

3. Select Internet, and then Internet Settings. The Nintendo Switch will automatically search for near-by Wi-Fi signals



4. Select the appropriate network name (SSID) from the list.

- If you are unable to find your network's name, stand closer to the wireless router and press the Y Button to search again.
- If the network name is grayed out, this indicates the wireless security type being used is not supported by the Nintendo Switch.
- If you are still unable to find your network, this may indicate an issue with the wireless network environment.

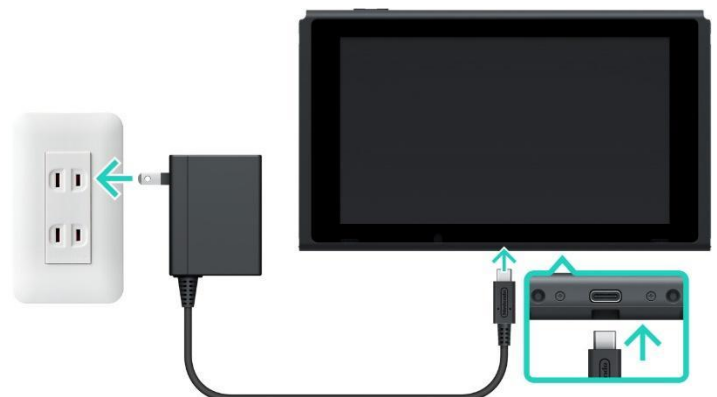
5. If prompted, use the onscreen keyboard to enter the network's wireless password. For Library Guest, the Switch will attempt to connect and then say that you need to perform an action to continue. It will bring up the Network Services permission page where you select "Yes," then the Switch will connect to the network.

6. The Nintendo Switch will test the Internet connection. Once the test is complete, select OK to complete the process. If the connection test fails, an error code and message will appear, which can help you troubleshoot connection errors.

Charging the Console and Joy-Con Controllers

Note: Consoles require approximately 3 hours to fully charge.

Console - Method #1: Directly with the Nintendo Switch AC Adapter



Connect the USB plug from the Nintendo Switch AC adapter into the USB connector on the bottom of the console, then connect the AC adapter directly into a wall outlet.

Console - Method #2: Using the Nintendo Switch Dock

Follow the instructions listed above for TV Mode setup to plug the AC adapter into the back of the console dock. Dock the Nintendo Switch console, ensuring that the LCD screen is facing the same direction as the front panel of the dock. Then connect the Nintendo Switch AC adapter into a wall outlet.



Joy-Con Controllers Method #1: While attached to the Nintendo Switch console

1. Attach the Joy-Con to the Nintendo Switch console and power it on. In order for the Joy-Con to charge while attached to the Nintendo Switch console, the console must be connected to the AC adapter and powered on or in Sleep Mode.



Joy-Con Controllers Method #2: Using the 4-controller charging shuttle

Follow the separate, included instructions to charge up to 4 controllers at once with the charging shuttle.

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Nintendo Switch Kit Program Suggestions



- Host a game tournament - Have patrons compete against each other with games like MarioKart, Super Smash Bros, Kirby's Dream Buffet, and more! Offer a prize to the winner or team.
- Create a Teen Gaming Space for the month - Casual use of the Switch is encouraged! Having the Switch available for free play could help teens to feel like the library is a place to hang out and relax. This is a great opportunity to use the Switch in Handheld Mode so that teens can choose a single player game if they're interested in hanging out solo.
- Get moving! There's a host of movement-based games that can be great for getting people up and active: Just Dance, Nintendo Switch Sports, Arms, 1-2 Switch, and more!