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User guide

HTC Desire 10 compact

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About this guide

In this user guide, we use the following symbols to indicate useful and important information:

This is a note. A note often gives additional information, such as what happens when you choose to do or not to do a certain action. A note also provides information that may only be applicable to some situations.

This is a tip. A tip gives you an alternative way to do a particular step or procedure, or lets you know of an option that you may find helpful.

This indicates important information that you need in order to accomplish a certain task or to get a feature to work properly.

This provides safety precaution information, that is, information that you need to be careful about to prevent potential problems.

Some apps may not be available in all regions or with your mobile operator.

Important note on recoverable data

Files and other data that have been deleted, cleared, removed, or erased from your device may still be recoverable by third-party data recovery software. Even a factory reset may not permanently erase all data from your mobile device, including personal information.

Features you'll enjoy

Truly personal

Designed with you in mind, HTC Desire 10 compact is filled with innovations that help it to adapt to your life.

Themes

Make HTC Desire 10 compact more personal by customizing how it looks with your own photos and then mix and match with different sets of icons, sounds, color schemes, and more.

More wallpaper types, such as Multiple wallpapers and Apps screen wallpapers, are also in store!

See What is HTC Themes? on page 84 for more details.

Freestyle home screen

If you want to take designing your Home screen to the next level, try the Freestyle home screen layout for zero-grid limitations and fun stickers to replace your app icons.

The HTC Sense Home widget

The HTC Sense™ Home widget adapts to your needs at home, at work, and on the go. See What is the HTC Sense Home widget? on page 43.

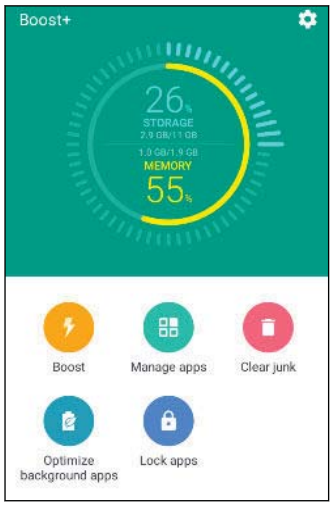
HTC BlinkFeed

Get your favorite topics, news, social media, and more conveniently delivered to one place on your phone. You can also play embedded videos right on HTC BlinkFeed™. See What is HTC BlinkFeed? on page 80.

Boost+

Use the Boost+ app to help you optimize your phone's performance by allocating resources, removing junk files, and uninstalling the apps you don't use.

You can also set this app to help extend battery life while you're playing your favorite game on HTC Desire 10 compact.



See About Boost+ on page 90.

Android 6.0 Marshmallow

Android™ 6.0 Marshmallow brings improvement to battery life, lets you use your storage card either as removable or internal storage, and more.

Battery saving improvements

Doze mode and App standby help to preserve battery life by restricting network access when the phone is not charging and the phone or apps aren't being used for an extended period of time.

There's also battery optimization for apps which helps prolong battery standby time when you're not using the phone. For details, see Battery optimization for apps on page 64.

Screen search

Screen search is a feature of the Google® app. When you press and hold the ○ button on your phone, Screen search uses what's on your current screen to show you related information, apps, and actions.

Manage phone memory

Use Memory in **Settings** to monitor the average memory use and performance of HTC Desire 10 compact. You can also use this setting to check which apps use the most memory.

Major change to how you use storage cards

If you have an existing storage card with media and other files, use it as removable storage so you can insert the card and access your files on any Android phone.

If you have a brand new storage card, you can use the card to expand the internal storage. See Should I use the storage card as removable or internal storage? on page 67 and Setting up your storage card as internal storage on page 67.

Network settings reset

Quickly reset all network settings when HTC Desire 10 compact has a hard time connecting to the mobile data or Wi-Fi® network or Bluetooth® device. See Resetting network settings on page 71.

Google settings

Easily manage settings for Google apps and features on HTC Desire 10 compact. Tap **Google** in Settings and change your preferences.

Smarter app linking

Android 6.0 Marshmallow automatically opens the correct app for links that you tap in a text or email message or website. With smarter app linking, there's no more guessing which app can handle the links you tap.

In Settings, you can change the default apps to link to. For details, see Setting default apps on page 78 and Setting up app links on page 79.

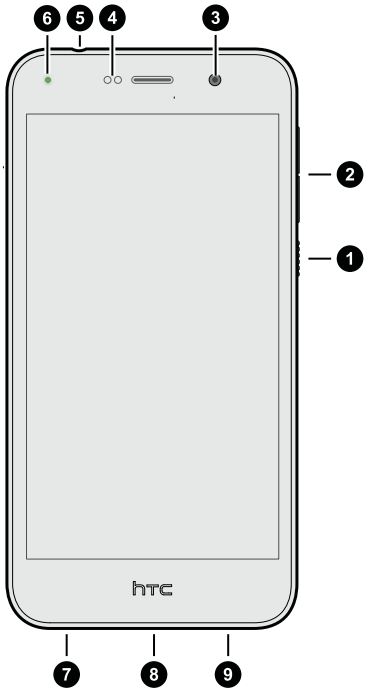
App permissions

To help protect your phone and privacy, Android 6.0 Marshmallow has improved the way apps are given access to certain data or features, such as contacts or the microphone. For details, see Controlling app permissions on page 78.

Unboxing and setup

HTC Desire 10 compact overview

After taking your HTC Desire 10 compact out of the box, familiarize yourself first with the location of the card slots and the different button controls.

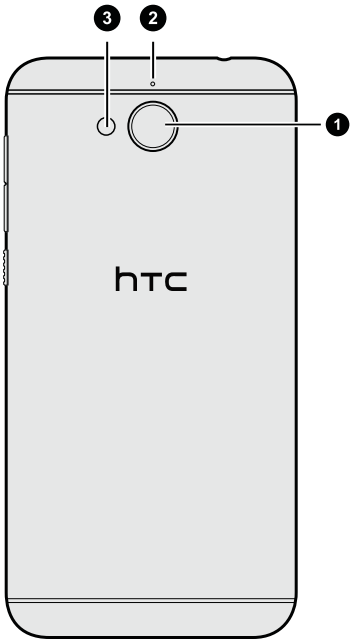


1. POWER
2. VOLUME buttons
3. Front camera
4. Proximity sensor
5. 3.5mm headset jack
6. Notification LED
7. Speaker
8. micro USB connector
9. Microphone

You need a 4G/LTE™ plan to use your operator's 4G/LTE network for voice calls and data services. Check with your operator for details.

- If you want to use a case or screen protector, don't cover and block the proximity sensor. Purchase a case or screen protector designed for HTC Desire 10 compact.
- Avoid liquid or dust from entering the microphone hole to prevent damage to the microphone.
- Don't disassemble any part of the phone. Don't try to open the phone or remove the battery by force. This may damage the phone or its electronics and will invalidate the warranty.

Back panel



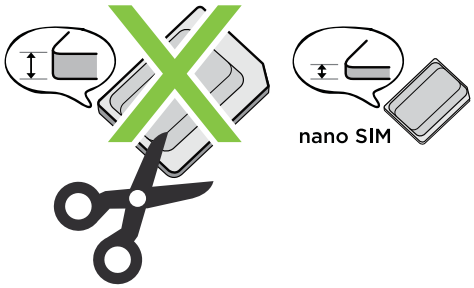
1. Main camera
2. Microphone
3. LED flash

micro SIM and nano SIM cards

HTC Desire 10 compact has two card slots that allow you to insert a micro SIM card and a GSM nano SIM card.

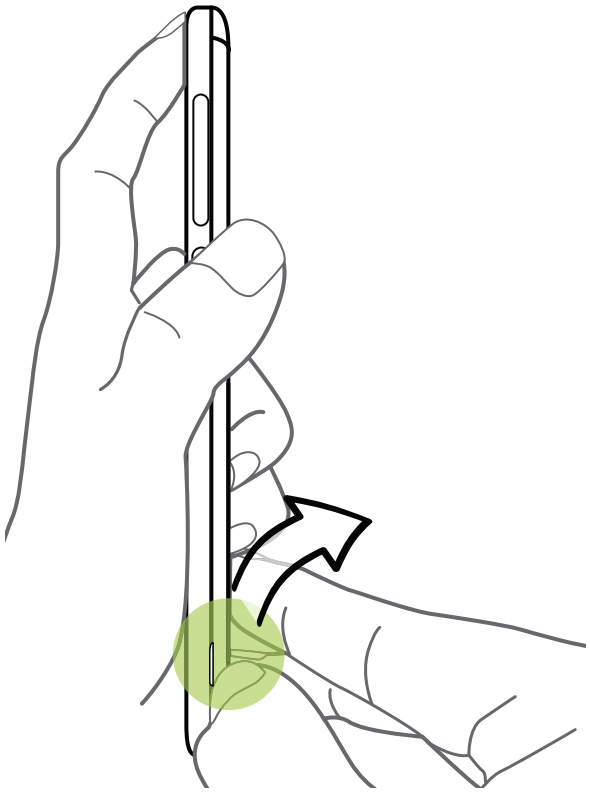
When you have two cards inserted, only one card can connect to the 4G LTE/3G network. The other card will connect to the 2G network only. Go to **Settings** > **Dual network manager** to set which card connects to 4G LTE/3G.

Use standard micro SIM and nano SIM cards only. Inserting modified cards may cause them to get stuck in the slots. If you have two nano SIM cards, you can use a micro SIM card adapter with one of your cards.

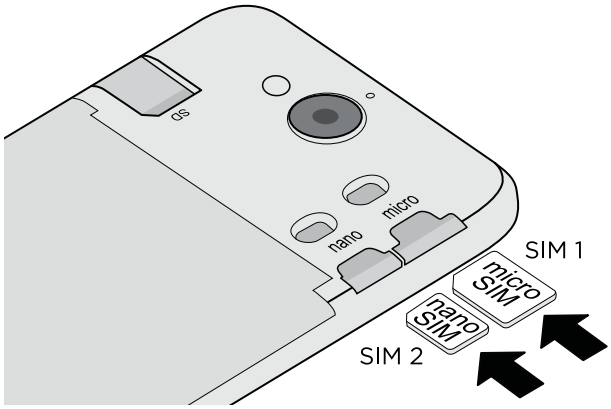


Inserting the micro SIM and nano SIM cards

1. Make sure your phone is off. Open the back cover from the groove at the lower-right side then gently detach the rest of the cover.

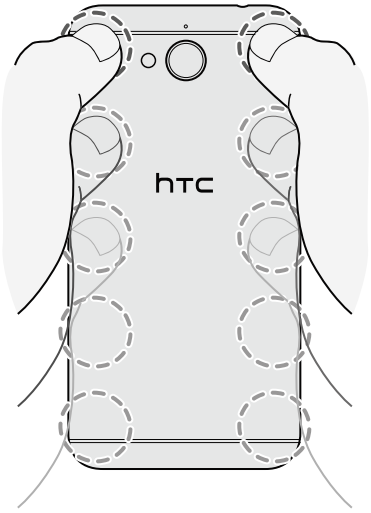


2. Place your micro SIM card and your nano SIM card into their corresponding slots with the gold contacts facing down and the cut-off corners facing in.



When you have two cards inserted, only one card can connect to the 4G LTE/3G network. The other card will connect to the 2G network only.

3. To replace the back cover, first align it onto the top part of the phone. Then align the edges and press down on the back cover from top to bottom along the edges until the cover clicks into place.



Removing the micro SIM and nano SIM cards

Make sure to switch off HTC Desire 10 compact before removing the card.

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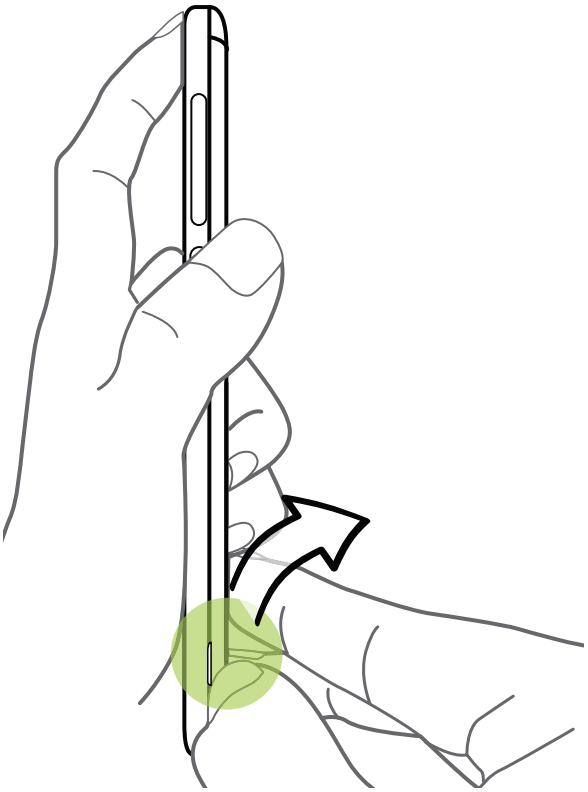
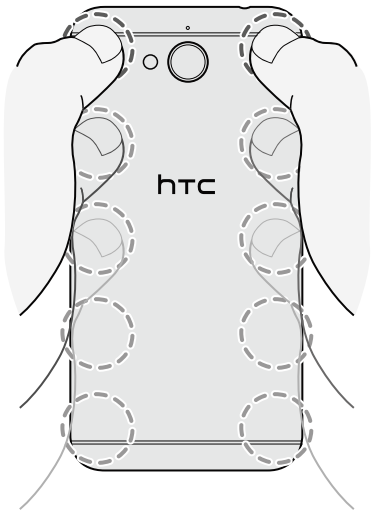


2. Slide the nano SIM card and micro SIM card out from its slot.
3. To replace the back cover, first align it onto the top part of the phone. Then align the edges and press down on the back cover from top to bottom along the edges until the cover clicks into place.



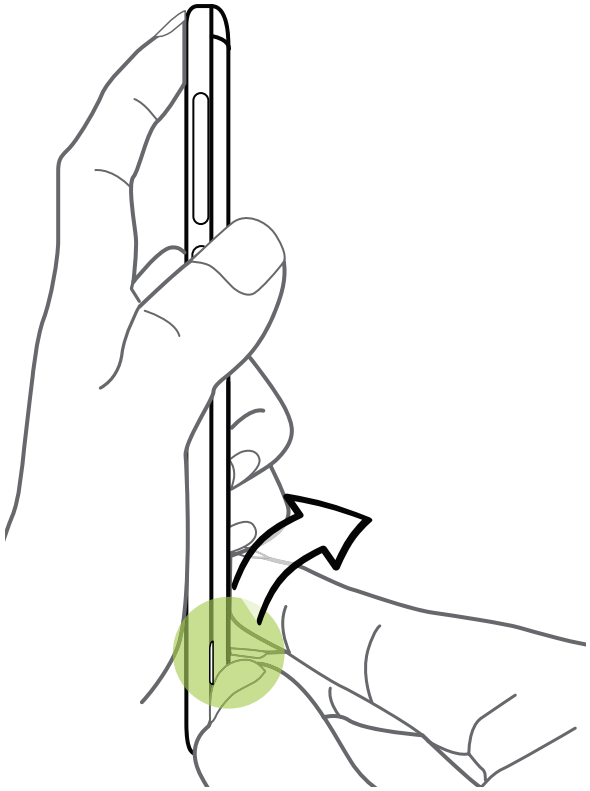
Storage card

Use a storage card to store your photos, videos, and music. When you need to free up phone storage space, you can also move certain apps to the storage card, if the apps support this feature.

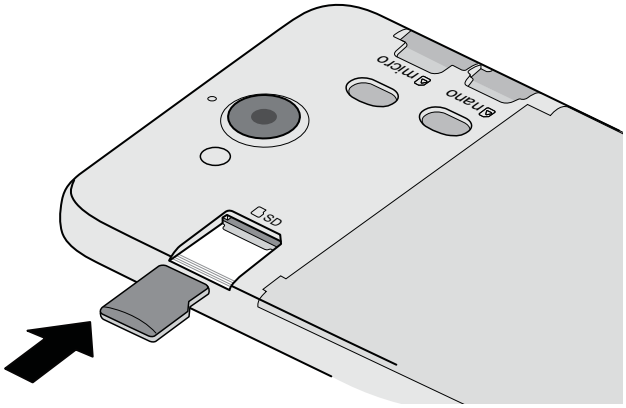
The storage card is optional and sold separately.

Inserting the microSD card

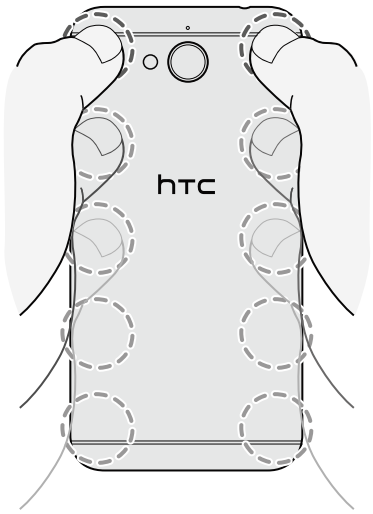
1. Make sure your phone is off. Open the back cover from the groove at the lower-right side then gently detach the rest of the cover.



2. Insert your microSD™ card into the SD card slot with the gold contacts facing down.



3. To replace the back cover, first align it onto the top part of the phone. Then align the edges and press down on the back cover from top to bottom along the edges until the cover clicks into place.



If it's the first time you insert a microSD card, you'll be prompted to set it up.

Unmounting the storage card

When you need to remove the storage card while your HTC Desire 10 compact is on, unmount the storage card first to prevent corrupting or damaging the files in the storage card.

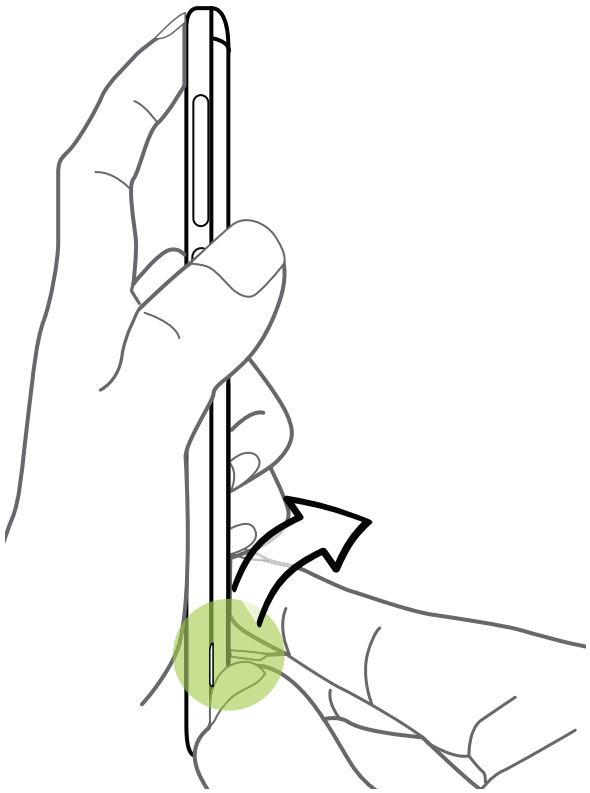
If your storage card is used as internal storage and there are apps that were moved to the card, you will not be able to open these apps after unmounting the card.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Storage & USB**.
2. Do one of the following:
   - If your storage card appears under Portable storage, tap next to the card name.
   - If you formatted your storage card, tap the card name, and then tap > **Eject**.

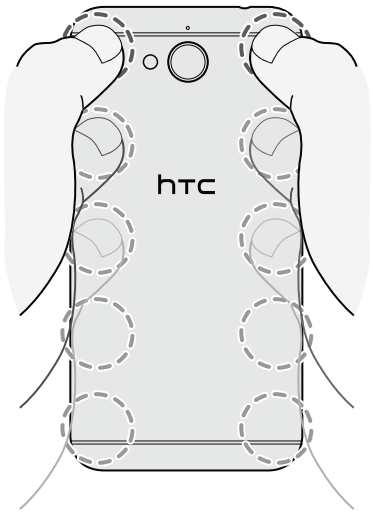
Removing the microSD card

Make sure to unmount your microSD card before removing it. See Unmounting the storage card on page 19.

1. Make sure your phone is off. Open the back cover from the groove at the bottom.



2. Slide the microSD out from its slot.
3. To replace the back cover, first align it onto the top part of the phone. Then align the edges and press down on the back cover from top to bottom along the edges until the cover clicks into place.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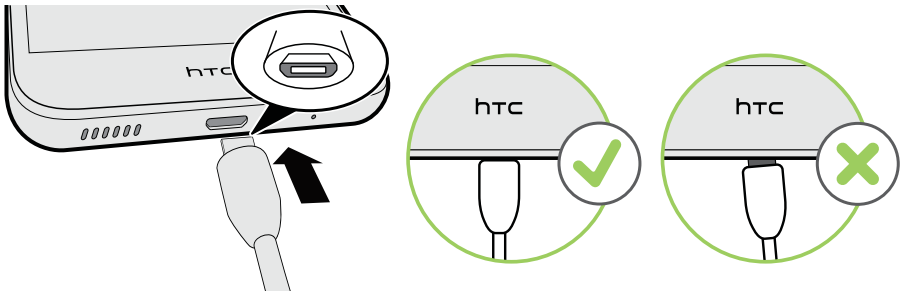
Charging the battery

Before you turn on and start using HTC Desire 10 compact, it is recommended that you charge the battery.

- If the battery has been discharged for several days, you may need to charge HTC Desire 10 compact for several minutes before powering it on.
- Use only the adapter and the micro USB cable that came with HTC Desire 10 compact to charge the battery. When the battery power is too low, make sure to use the power adapter to charge, not the USB cable connection with your computer.

1. Insert the small end of the micro USB cable into the micro USB connector.



2. Insert the other end of the micro USB cable into the power adapter.
3. Plug in the power adapter to an electrical outlet to start charging the battery.

- As a safety precaution, the battery may stop charging to avoid overheating.
- Avoid charging the battery in hot environments.
- When you're using the web browser and charging the battery, HTC Desire 10 compact may become warmer. This is normal.
- To conserve energy, unplug the power adapter from the electrical outlet after you finish charging.

Switching the power on or off

Switching the power on

Press the POWER button until HTC Desire 10 compact vibrates.

When you turn on HTC Desire 10 compact for the first time, you'll need to set it up.

Switching the power off

1. If the display is off, press the POWER button to turn it back on.
2. Press and hold the POWER button for a few seconds.
3. Tap **Power off** on the options menu.

Setting up HTC Desire 10 compact for the first time

When you switch on HTC Desire 10 compact for the first time—or after you've done a factory reset—you'll be asked to set it up.

You can enable TalkBack to navigate by voice feedback before selecting the language. Press and hold two fingers on the screen until you hear a message saying that accessibility mode is enabled.

Walk through the on-device setup to choose your Internet connection, sign in to your Google Account, set up device protection for HTC Desire 10 compact, and more.

Use Android Backup Service if you've used it to back up your old phone before. On the screen that asks you which device to restore from, tap the name of your old phone model. Tap ⌄ to choose the type of items you want to restore, and then tap **Restore** to proceed.

Otherwise, tap **Don't restore**.

Some features that need to connect to the Internet such as location-based services and auto-sync of your online accounts may incur extra data fees. To avoid incurring data fees, disable these features under Settings. For more information on location services, see Turning location services on or off on page 112.

Adding your social networks, email accounts, and more

You can sync contacts, calendars, and other information from your social networks, email accounts, and online services on HTC Desire 10 compact. Depending on the account type, signing in to your online accounts lets you sync updates between HTC Desire 10 compact and the Web.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Accounts**.
2. Tap +.
3. Tap the account type you want to add.
4. Follow the onscreen instructions to enter your account information.

- In **Settings** > **Accounts**, tap ⋮ > **Auto-sync data** to turn automatic sync of all your accounts.
- You can add several Google Accounts.

Syncing your accounts

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Accounts**.
2. To manually sync individual accounts, tap an account type, and then tap > **Sync now** on the Account settings screen.

Removing an account

Remove accounts from HTC Desire 10 compact if you no longer use them. Removing an account does not remove accounts and information from the online service itself.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Accounts**.
2. Tap an account type.

   If you've signed into multiple accounts under an account type, tap the account to remove.
3. Tap > **Remove account**.

Some personal data may be retained by the third-party app after you have removed the account from HTC Desire 10 compact.

Choosing which SIM card to connect to the 4G LTE/3G network

When you have two SIM cards inserted on your phone, only one card can connect to the 4G LTE/3G network. The other card will connect to the 2G network only.

You can set which card you want to connect to the 4G LTE/3G network.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Dual network manager**.
2. Tap **Preferred data network**.
3. Choose the card you want to connect to the 4G LTE/3G network.

Choosing which SIM card to use for sending SMS and MMS

You can set which default SIM card to use for sending SMS and MMS.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Dual network manager**.
2. Tap **SMS messages**.
3. Choose the card you want to use for sending SMS and MMS.

Managing your micro SIM and nano SIM cards with Dual network manager

From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Dual network manager**. You can turn either slot on or off, change the slot names, and more.

Your first week with your new phone

HTC Sense Home

After you've turned on and set up HTC Desire 10 compact for the first time, you'll see the Home screen.

- Set up the HTC Sense Home widget to experience the convenience of a Home screen that automatically adjusts when you're at home, work, or outdoors. See What is the HTC Sense Home widget? on page 43.
- Swipe right and you'll find HTC BlinkFeed. You can customize HTC BlinkFeed to show posts from your social networks, headlines from your favorite news media, and more. For details, see What is HTC BlinkFeed? on page 80.
- Swipe left and you'll discover space for adding your favorite widgets, apps, and more so they're just a tap away. You can also add panels. For details, see Adding or removing a widget panel on page 38.
- You can change the apps on the launch bar at the bottom of the Home screen. See Launch bar on page 40.

While you're in another screen or app, press ○ to return to the last Home screen you visited.

Turning Sleep mode on or off

Sleep mode saves battery power by putting HTC Desire 10 compact into a low power state while the display is off. It also stops accidental button presses when HTC Desire 10 compact is in your bag.

- To turn off the display and switch to Sleep mode, briefly press the POWER button.

  HTC Desire 10 compact also automatically goes into Sleep mode when it's left idle for a while. You can change the time before HTC Desire 10 compact sleeps by setting the screen timeout.
- To wake up your phone from Sleep mode, press the POWER button.

Unlocking the screen

Swipe up to unlock the screen.

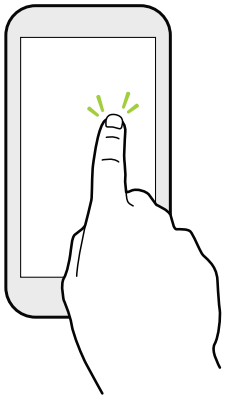
If you've set up a screen lock, you'll be asked to provide your credentials before HTC Desire 10 compact unlocks.

If you've set an event reminder or an alarm, you can snooze or dismiss the event or alarm right from the lock screen. Just drag or up.

Touch gestures

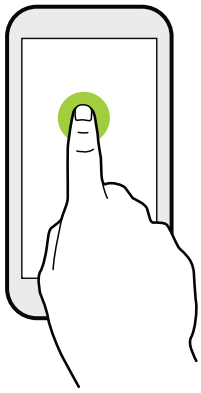
Use touch gestures to get around the Home screen, open apps, scroll through lists, and more.

Tap



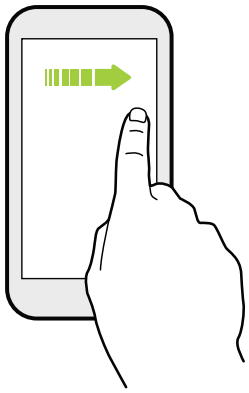
Tap the screen with your finger when you want to select onscreen items such as application and settings icons, or press onscreen buttons.

Press and hold



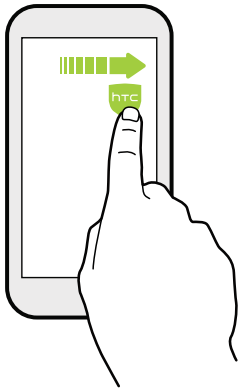
To open the available options for an item (for example, a contact or link in a webpage), just press and hold the item.

Swipe or slide



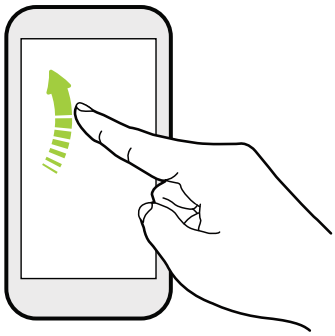
Quickly swipe your finger horizontally across the screen to go to other Home screen panels. Swipe vertically to scroll through a list, document, and more.

Drag



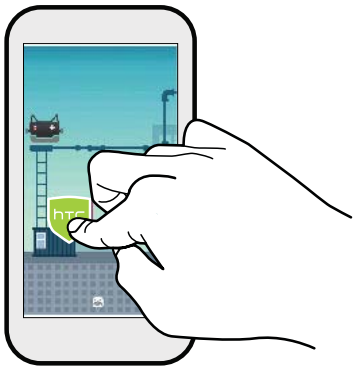
Press and hold your finger with some pressure before you start to drag. While dragging, don't release your finger until you have reached the target position.

Flick



Flicking the screen is similar to swiping, except that you need to swipe your finger in light, quicker strokes, such as when moving right and left on the Home screen, or flicking through a contacts or message list.

Press and flick



On the Home screen, you can easily move a widget or icon from one screen to another.

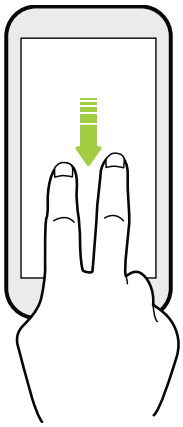
Press and hold the widget or icon with one finger, and flick the screen to the new location with another finger.

Slide with two fingers

In some apps, slide two fingers apart to zoom in when viewing a picture or text.

Slide two fingers together to zoom out of the picture or text.

Two-finger swipe



Swipe down from the status bar using two fingers to access Quick Settings.

Getting to know your settings

Want to change the ringtone, set up a Wi-Fi connection, or add your accounts? Do this and more in Settings.

1. Open Settings from the Apps screen, Notifications panel, or Quick Settings panel.
   - From the Home screen, tap to switch to the Apps screen, and then tap **Settings**.
   - With two fingers, swipe down from the top of the screen to open Quick Settings, and then tap .
2. Here are some of the basic settings you can change:
   - Tap the **On/Off** switch next to an item such as Airplane mode to turn it on or off. Tap the item itself to configure its settings.
   - Tap **Sound & notification** to set a ringtone, choose a sound profile, and configure notification settings.
   - Tap **Accounts** to add and sign in to your different accounts, such as email, social networks, and more.
   - Tap **Security** to help secure HTC Desire 10 compact, for example with a screen lock.

Tap in Settings to quickly find options and settings.

Using Quick Settings

In the Quick Settings panel, easily turn settings such as Wi-Fi and Bluetooth on or off.

1. Do any of the following:
   - With two fingers, swipe down from the status bar.

   - Swipe down twice from the status bar.
2. To turn a setting on or off, just tap its tile.
3. If there are available options for a setting, tap ▼ to choose from the options.

Capturing your phone's screen

Want to show off your high game score or write a blog post about HTC Desire 10 compact features? It's easy to take a picture of the screen to share.

1. Press and hold POWER and VOLUME DOWN at the same time.
2. Open the Notifications panel and tap under the Screenshot captured notification.

   If you don't see , slide two fingers apart on the screenshot notification.

Travel mode

Do you often travel across time zones? Turn on Travel mode in Settings to see a dual clock on the Home screen and lock screen that shows both your home and current time zones.

- Make sure you turn on location services in your phone settings.
- Set your home time zone first in the Clock app.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Date & time**.
2. Tap the Travel mode **On/Off** switch to turn travel mode on or off.

You'll see a dual clock of your home and current locations once your phone detects a different time zone from the home time zone you've set.

Restarting HTC Desire 10 compact

If HTC Desire 10 compact is running slower than normal, is unresponsive, or has an app that is not performing properly, try rebooting and see if that helps solve the problem.

1. If the display is off, press the POWER button to turn it back on.
2. Press and hold the POWER button, and then tap **Restart**.

You may need to press and hold the buttons for 12 to 15 seconds before the phone vibrates.

HTC Desire 10 compact not responding?

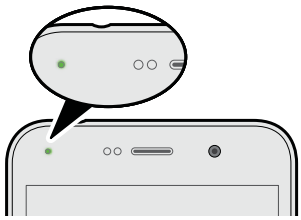
If HTC Desire 10 compact does not respond when you touch the screen or press the buttons, you can still restart it.

Press and hold the POWER and VOLUME DOWN buttons for at least 12 seconds. HTC Desire 10 compact then restarts.

Notifications

Notification LED

The notification LED shows a:



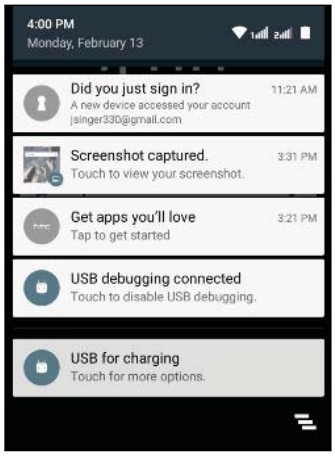
- Solid green light when HTC Desire 10 compact is connected to the power adapter or a computer and the battery is fully charged.
- Flashing green light when you have a pending notification.
- Solid orange light when the battery is being charged.
- Flashing orange light when the battery level reaches very low.

Notifications panel

Notification icons inform you of new messages, calendar events, alarms, and activities in progress such as files downloading.

When you see notification icons, open the Notifications panel to check out details of the notifications that you've received.

To open the Notifications panel, slide down from the top of the screen.



- Some notifications allow you to take immediate action. For example, tap a missed call notification to return the call or reply with a text message.
- Tap the notification icon on the left to open the corresponding app.
- To dismiss just one notification in the list, drag it left or right. To dismiss all non-persistent notifications, tap .

If you have several notifications, scroll through the list screen to see them all.

Selecting, copying, and pasting text

1. Press and hold on a word.
2. Drag the start and end anchors to highlight the text you want to select.
3. Tap or **Copy**.
4. In a text entry field (for example, while composing an email), press and hold at the point where you want to paste the text.
5. Tap or **Paste**.

Sharing text

1. After you have selected the text, tap or or **Share**.
2. Choose where to share the selected text.

Entering text

The keyboard becomes available when you tap a text field in an app.

- Tap the keys on the onscreen keyboard to enter letters and numbers, as well as punctuation marks and symbols.
- Tap ⇧ to enter an uppercase letter. Tap twice to turn on caps lock.
- Press and hold keys with gray characters at the top or bottom to enter numbers, symbols, or accented letters. Some keys have multiple characters or accents associated with them.
- Tap 12# to show number and symbol keys. Tap abc to return to the main keyboard.
- Tap ☺ to choose from a wide selection of emojis.
- Tap to check out more features, options, and settings.You can resize the keyboard space, change the layout and design, download dictionaries, and more.
- Press ◁ to close the onscreen keyboard.

How can I type faster?

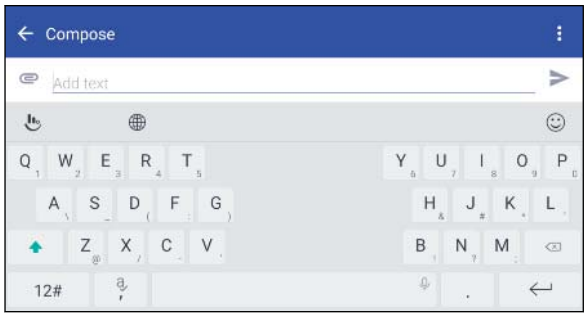
The onscreen keyboard of your phone is highly customizable. You can modify its settings and options to enhance your typing experience.

Here are some tips that you could try:

- **Show the numeric keys on the top row of the keyboard.** Go to Settings, and then tap **Language & input**. Tap **Touchpal - HTC Sense Version** > **General settings**. Select **Number Row**.
- **Turn on Contextual prediction.**Go to Settings, and then tap **Language & input**. Tap **TouchPal - HTC Sense Version** > **Smart input**, and then make sure that **Contextual prediction** is selected. This option enables next word prediction and will also allow the keyboard to learn from the usual word patterns you type for better word suggestions.

- **Switch to landscape mode.** With two fingers, swipe down from the status bar and check if **Auto-rotate** is turned on. Open the app you need, and then tap a text field to show the keyboard. Turn your phone sideways to bring up a bigger keyboard.

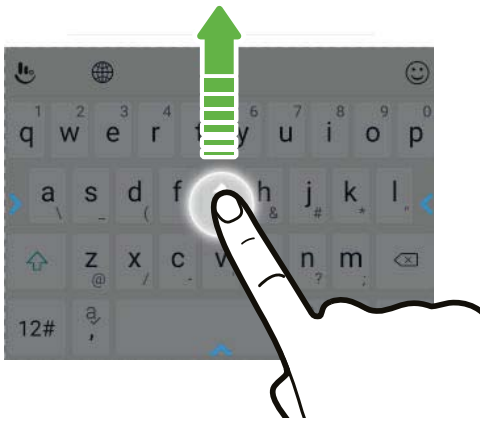
  You can then tap > **Split**.



- **Resize or reposition the keyboard.**

Open the app you need, and then tap a text field to show the keyboard. Tap , and then tap **Resize**. Drag any of the border arrows to resize your keyboard.

To move the keyboard up, drag the center button up.



Updates

Software and app updates

Download and install software updates for the latest performance enhancements, bug fixes, and security improvements. HTC Desire 10 compact can check and notify you if there's a new update available.

Some app updates are available from HTC or your mobile operator, and you'll receive notifications on your phone when there are new updates. Or you can install app updates from Google Play™. Some HTC apps that are not preloaded in certain phones can also be downloaded from Google Play.

The information in this guide may not be most up-to-date if there are more recent software or app updates available.

Checking your system software version

Before installing a system software update, you can check first what Android version you have on your phone.

From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **About phone**.

Checking for updates manually

Turn on mobile data or connect HTC Desire 10 compact to a Wi-Fi network before you check for updates.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **About phone** > **System updates**. HTC Desire 10 compact checks if updates are available.

Installing a software update

When HTC Desire 10 compact is connected to the Internet and there's a new software update available, the update notification icon appears in the status bar.

1. Slide the Notifications panel open, and then tap the system update notification.
2. If you don't want to download the update using your data connection, select **Update over Wi-Fi only**.
3. Tap **Download**.
4. When download is complete, select **Install now**, and then tap **OK**.

After updating, HTC Desire 10 compact will restart.

Installing an application update

When Internet connection is on and there's an available update for your HTC or mobile operator apps, the update notification icon appears in the status bar.

1. Slide the Notifications panel open, and then tap the update notification.

   The Updates screen opens with the list of application updates to be installed.

2. Tap an item to view its details, and then tap .
3. When you're done reviewing the updates, tap **Install**. You'll be asked to restart HTC Desire 10 compact if needed.

Installing app updates from Google Play

Some HTC apps and third-party apps get updated with improvements and bug fixes through Google Play. You can manually update apps or set your phone to automatically download and install app updates when available.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Play Store**.
2. Tap to open the slideout menu.
3. Tap **My apps & games**.

   You'll see a list of apps installed on your phone.

4. Under Updates, tap an app.
5. Tap **Update**.
6. If prompted, tap **Accept**.

In Play Store, tap > **Settings** > **Auto-update apps** to choose how you want Google Play to update your apps.

Home screen layout and fonts

Adding or removing a widget panel

- You won't be able to add a new widget panel if you've already reached the maximum limit.
- HTC BlinkFeed always appears as the first panel if it's not removed. A widget panel cannot be added before HTC BlinkFeed.

1. Press and hold an empty space on a widget panel.
2. In the pop-up menu, tap **Manage home screen pages**.
3. To add a new widget panel, swipe left until you see the + icon, and then tap it.
4. To remove a widget panel, swipe left or right until you see the panel, and then tap **Remove**.
5. When done, press ◁.

Arranging widget panels

A widget panel cannot be moved and inserted before HTC BlinkFeed.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed or any widget panel, slide two fingers together to customize the Home screen.
2. Press and hold a widget panel thumbnail, and then drag it left or right to the position that you want.
3. When you're done arranging widget panels, press ◁.

Changing your main Home screen

Set HTC BlinkFeed or a widget panel as your main Home screen.

1. Press and hold an empty space on a widget panel.
2. In the pop-up menu, tap **Manage home screen pages**.
3. Swipe left or right until you see the panel that you want to use as your main Home screen.

4. Tap **Set as home**.
5. Press ◁.

Pressing ○ from an app will first return you to the last panel you were in. Just press ○ again to go to your main Home screen.

Home wallpaper

Choose from the available wallpapers, or use any photo you've taken with the camera.

1. Press and hold an empty space on a widget panel.
2. In the pop-up menu, tap **Change Home screen wallpaper**.
3. Choose from where you want to select a wallpaper.

   To use a photo you captured with the camera, tap **Photos** then choose your photo. You can zoom in or reposition the photo before you tap ✓ to set it as your new wallpaper.

Changing the default font size

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Display**.
2. Tap **Font size**, and then select the size you want.

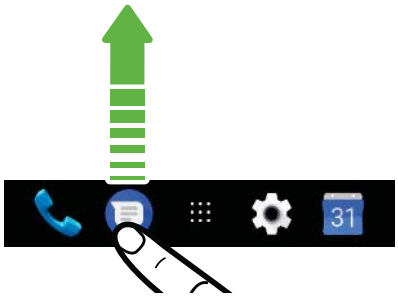
Widgets and shortcuts

Launch bar

The launch bar gives you one-touch access to commonly used apps and other shortcuts. You can replace the apps on the launch bar with the ones you often use.

- You can only customize the launch bar while in Classic layout.
- If you're using the Freestyle layout, you will only see the launch bar on the lock screen. Icons displayed will be the same ones you have in the Classic layout.

1. Press and hold the app you want to replace, and then drag it out to .



2. Tap to go to the Apps screen.
3. Press and hold an app, and then drag it to the empty slot on the launch bar.

- You can also group apps on the launch bar into a folder. See Grouping apps on the widget panel and launch bar on page 41.
- The apps or other shortcuts on the lock screen are the same as the ones on the launch bar.

Adding Home screen widgets

Widgets make at-a-glance important information and media content readily available.

1. Press and hold an empty space on a widget panel.
2. In the pop-menu, tap **Add apps and widgets**.
3. Tap > **Widgets**.
4. Scroll through the widgets, or tap to search for a specific widget.
5. Press and hold a widget, and then drag it to a widget panel you want to add it to.

Changing the widget settings

You can modify basic settings of some widgets.

1. Press and hold a widget on your Home screen, and then drag it to ⚙.
2. Customize the widget settings.

Resizing a widget

Some widgets can be resized after you've added them to your Home screen.

1. Press and hold a widget on the Home screen, and then release your finger. If a border appears, that means the widget is resizable.
2. Drag the sides of the border to enlarge or shrink the widget size.

Adding Home screen shortcuts

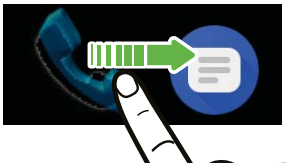
Place apps you often use on any widget panel of your Home screen. You can also add shortcuts to frequently used settings, bookmarked webpages, and more.

1. Press and hold an empty space on a widget panel.
2. In the pop-up menu, tap **Add apps and widgets**.
3. Tap ⌄ > **Apps** or **Shortcuts**.
4. Scroll through the apps or shortcuts, or tap 🔍 to search for one.
5. Press and hold an app or shortcut, and then drag it to a widget panel you want to add it to.

To add an app from the Apps screen, press and hold the app, and then drag it to a widget panel.

Grouping apps on the widget panel and launch bar

1. Press and hold an app, and then drag it over to another app to automatically create a folder.



2. Tap the folder to open it.
3. Tap the folder window's title bar, and then enter a new folder name.
4. Add more apps into the folder. Tap +, select your apps, and then tap **Done**.

You can also add shortcuts to settings or information to a folder. Add a shortcut first to a widget panel, and then drag it over to the folder.

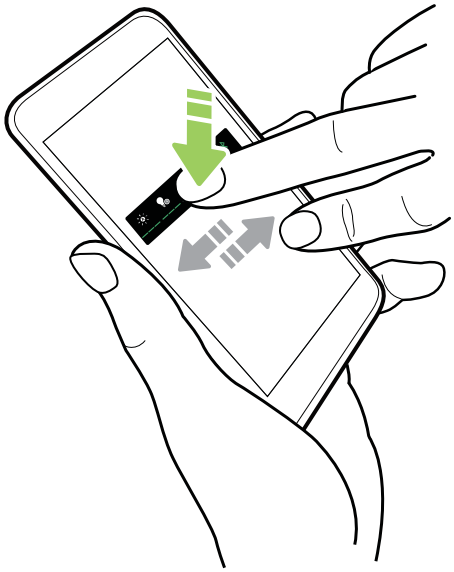
Removing items from a folder

1. On the launch bar or widget panel, tap a folder to open it.
2. Press and hold an app or shortcut in the folder, and then drag it out to .

Moving a Home screen item

You can easily move a widget, icon, or sticker from one widget panel to another.

1. Press and hold a Home screen item with one finger.
2. With another finger, flick left or right to rotate the screen to another widget panel.



3. Release the item to where you want to move it.

Removing a Home screen item

1. Press and hold the widget, icon, or sticker you want to remove, and then drag it to .
2. When the item turns red, lift your finger.

What is the HTC Sense Home widget?

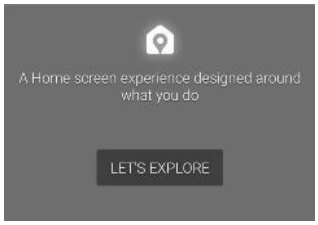
Get quick access to apps, shortcuts and folders you use most frequently based on where you are. With the HTC Sense Home widget, HTC Desire 10 compact continually adapts to how you use it. For example, apps you use most frequently for work, will show up when you're at your office. The HTC Sense Home widget changes depending on whether you're at home, work, or somewhere else.

Setting up the HTC Sense Home widget

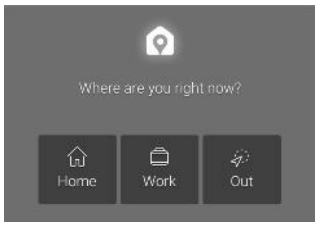
Setting up the HTC Sense Home widget is quick and easy.

- If you don't see the HTC Sense Home widget, add it to your Home screen.
- Make sure you turn on location services in your phone settings.

1. On the setup screen of the HTC Sense Home widget, tap **Tap to personalize** > **Let's explore**.



2. Tap where you are to finish setting up the widget.



3. On the widget, tap ⌄ > ⋮ > **Personalize HTC Sense Home**.
4. Select all the options on the screen, and then tap **Close** or press ◁.

Setting your home and work locations

You can change the address for your home and work locations if you ever move to a new home or change your job.

1. On the Home screen, swipe right or left until you see the HTC Sense Home widget.
2. Tap ⌄ > ⋮ > **Set locations**.
3. Tap the address area to search for the address you want to set.
4. When you've found the address on the map, tap **Done**.

Pinning and unpinning apps

Pinning apps, shortcuts, or folders to the HTC Sense Home widget ensures they stay on the widget.

Items in the HTC Sense Home widget will have one of two states: pinned or unpinned. Unpinned items will be automatically changed to more frequently used items.

1. On the Home screen, swipe right or left until you see the HTC Sense Home widget.
2. Do one of the following:
   - To pin an item, press and hold it until you see .
   - To unpin an item, press and hold it until the unpinning progress bar has completed.

Adding apps to the HTC Sense Home widget

Add your favorite apps, shortcuts, or folders to the HTC Sense Home widget.

1. From the Home screen, tap .
2. Press and hold the app, shortcut, or folder you want to add to the widget.
3. Drag the item to where you want in the HTC Sense Home widget.

The app, shortcut or folder will be added to the HTC Sense Home widget and pinned in place.

Turning the Suggestions folder on and off

The Suggestions folder is a smart folder in the HTC Sense Home widget that dynamically change contents depending on your usage. You can turn the Suggestions folder off if you don't want it to appear in the widget.

1. On the Home screen, swipe right or left until you see the HTC Sense Home widget.
2. Tap , and then tap > **Show/hide smart folders**.
3. Select or clear **Show Suggestions folder**.
4. Tap **OK**.

Sound preferences

Changing your ringtone

Make sure the volume is on.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Sound & notification**.
2. Tap ⚙ > **Phone ringtone**.
3. Select a ringtone from the list.
4. When you're done selecting your ringtone, tap **OK**.

Changing your notification sound

Make sure the volume is on.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Sound & notification**.
2. Tap ⚙ > **Default notification sound**.
3. When you're done selecting your ringtone, tap **OK**.

Setting the default volume

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Sound & notification**.
2. Tap ⚙.
3. Slide the volume bars for each type of sound source.
4. Press ◁.

Taking photos and videos

Camera basics

Take photos, videos, and selfies using the camera.

On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.

Zooming

Before taking a photo or video, slide two fingers apart on the Viewfinder screen to zoom in or together to zoom out. You can also freely zoom in or out while recording.

Choosing a capture mode

By default, the Camera app is set to normal capture mode for taking photos and changing photo settings. You can select panorama mode to capture sweeping views of landscapes.

Some camera features and photo settings are not available when you're in panorama mode.

While on the Viewfinder screen:

- Tap to switch to panorama mode.
- Tap to switch back to normal mode.

Turning the camera flash on or off

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

Tap the flash icon to choose a flash setting.

Setting the photo resolution

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap .
3. Tap then select any of the following:
   - To change the photo quality and size select **Picture size.**
   - To change the aspect ratio select **Preview size.**

Choosing a scene mode

You can switch to **Night**, **Sports**, or any of the other scene modes to match your camera's settings to specific scenes or conditions when taking photos.

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap .
3. Tap > **Scene mode** then select the mode you want to use.

To have the camera automatically choose settings for the environment, select **Auto**.

Taking a photo

Take photos and selfies, even while recording videos.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Point the camera at what you want to capture. You can tap the screen to change the focus to a different subject.
3. When you're ready to take the photo, tap .

Using HDR

When shooting portraits against a bright background, use HDR, short for High Dynamic Range, to capture your subjects clearly. HDR brings out the details of both the highlights and shadows, even in high contrast lighting.

- Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.
- HDR works best when your subject is steady. The camera takes two shots at different exposure levels and combines them into one enhanced photo.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap HDR to enable HDR.
3. When you're ready to take the photo, tap .

Taking a panoramic photo

Get a wider shot of a landscape in one sweep.

Some camera features and photo settings are not available when you're in panorama mode.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Switch to **Panorama** mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.
3. Put your camera in portrait or landscape view.
4. When you're ready to take the shot, tap .
5. Start panning in the direction of one of the directional arrows and then match the white arrow with the blue arrow on the Viewfinder screen.
6. Continue panning and hold HTC Desire 10 compact as steadily as you can while capturing frames.

   You can tap ✓ to stop and save your captured frames or ✕ to cancel without saving.

The camera stitches the frames into a single photo.

Taking photos with the self-timer

When you use the self-timer, the Camera app counts down before taking the shot. You can set the countdown time.

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap > .
3. Tap **Self timer** to set the countdown time.
4. To start the timer, tap . The camera takes the photo after the countdown.

Taking burst shots

Do you want to take photos of moving subjects? Whether it's your kid's football game or a car race, you can capture the action.

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap > .

3. Tap **Capture number** to set the maximum number of shots you can take on burst mode.
4. Press and hold .The camera takes consecutive shots of your subject.

Taking selfies

Use the front camera to take selfies.

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap to switch to the front camera.
3. When you're ready to take the photo, tap .

Applying skin touch-ups

Before taking a selfie, touch-up your skin using real-time beauty features from the Camera app.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Position your face inside the focus area then tap .
3. Tap to remove wrinkles or whiten your skin before taking a selfie.

Recording video

Capture moments as videos using the Camera app.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. To set your preferred video settings, like audio mode and video quality, tap > .
3. When you're ready to start recording, tap .
4. Change focus to a different subject or area by just tapping it on the Viewfinder screen.
5. Tap to pause the recording, and then tap to resume.
6. To stop recording, tap .

Recording a time lapse video

Want to have a fast motion effect in your video? Use time lapse mode to speed videos up to 10 times.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap .
3. Tap > **Time lapse interval** to set the interval of your time lapse video.
4. When you're ready to start recording, tap .

5. Change focus to a different subject or area by tapping it on the Viewfinder screen.
6. To stop recording, tap .

Turn off time lapse mode if you want to switch back to recording normal videos. To do this, just tap > > **Time lapse videos** > **Off**.

Taking a video selfie

Make sure you're in normal capture mode. See Choosing a capture mode on page 46 for details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the camera icon to open the Camera app.
2. Tap to switch to the front camera.
3. To set your preferred video settings, like audio mode and video quality, tap > . You can also take time lapse video selfies. See Recording a time lapse video on page 49 for details.
4. When you're ready to start recording, tap .
5. Change focus to a different subject or area by just tapping it on the Viewfinder screen.
6. Tap to pause the recording, and then tap to resume.
7. To stop recording, tap .

Phone calls

Making a call

You can either dial a number directly, or make quick calls from your favorites or call history.

1. On the Home screen, tap the phone icon to open the **Phone** app.
2. Enter the phone number or first few letters of the contact's name to see the top matching contact.
3. Tap the contact you want to call.

If the phone number has an extension, tap after connecting to the main line and then dial the extension number.

4. Tap the name that corresponds to the card you want to use.

Making a call with your voice

Call a contact hands-free using your voice.

1. On the Home screen, tap the phone icon to open the **Phone** app.
2. Tap .
3. Say the name of contact you want to call. For example, say "`Call [person's name in phonebook]`."
4. Tap your contact's name then select which card to use to make the call.

Calling a number in a message

When you receive a text message that has a phone number in it, you can just tap the number to place a call.

Receiving calls

When you receive a phone call from a contact, the Incoming call screen appears.

Answering or rejecting a call

Do one of the following:

- Tap **Answer** or **Dismiss**.
- If you've set up a lock screen, tap and drag the call icon to to accept the call or to to reject it.

Muting the ringing sound without rejecting the call

Do one of the following:

- Press the VOLUME DOWN or VOLUME UP button.
- Press the POWER button.

Returning a missed call

You'll see the missed call icon in the status bar when you miss a call.

1. Slide the Notifications panel open to check who the caller is.
2. To return the call, tap **Call back**.

If you have multiple missed calls, tap the missed calls notification to open the Call History tab.

Emergency call

In some regions, you can make emergency calls from HTC Desire 10 compact even if a micro SIM or nano SIM card has been blocked or if you don't have a card installed.

If you don't have a network signal, you won't be able to make an emergency call.

1. On the Home screen, tap the phone icon to open the **Phone** app.
2. Dial the emergency number for your locale, and then tap .

If you've enabled but forgotten your lock password or lock pattern, you can still make emergency calls by tapping **Emergency** on the screen.

What can I do during a call?

When a call is in progress, you can turn the speakerphone on, place the call on hold, and more.

Putting a call on hold

To put the call on hold, tap . The status bar then displays the hold call icon .

To resume the call, tap again.

Switching between calls

If you're already in a call and you accept another call, you can switch between the two calls.

1. When you receive another call, tap and drag the call icon to to accept the second call and put the first call on hold.
2. To switch between the calls, tap the person you want to talk to on the screen.

Turning the speakerphone on or off during a call

> To decrease potential damage to your hearing, do not hold HTC Desire 10 compact to your ear when the speakerphone is on.

- On the call screen, tap . The speakerphone icon appears in the status bar.
- To turn the speakerphone off, tap .

Muting the microphone during a call

On the call screen, tap to toggle between turning the microphone on or off. When the microphone is turned off, the mute icon appears in the status bar.

Ending a call

Do one of the following to end the call:

- On the call screen, tap .
- Slide the Notifications panel open, then tap **End Call**.

Setting up a conference call

Conference calling with your friends, family, or co-workers is easy. Make or accept a call, and then simply dial each subsequent call to add it to the conference.

> Make sure that you have conference calling service activated. Contact your mobile operator for details.

1. Make a call to the first conference call participant.
2. When connected, tap , and then dial the number of the second participant. The first participant is put on hold.
3. When connected to the second participant, tap .
4. To add another participant, tap , and then dial the number of the contact.
5. When connected, tap to add the participant to the conference call. Tap to access options such as ending the call with a participant.
6. To end the conference call, tap .

Call History

Use Call History to check missed calls, your dialed numbers, and received calls.

1. On the Home screen, tap the phone icon to open the **Phone** app.
2. Swipe to view the Call History tab.
3. Do one of the following:
   - Tap a name or number in the list to call.
   - Press and hold a name or number in the list to display the options menu.

Adding a new phone number to your contacts from Call History

1. On the Call History tab, tap the number you want to add as a new contact.
2. Choose whether to create a new contact or save the number to an existing contact.

Clearing the Call History list

1. On the Call History tab, tap ⋮ > **Call history**.
2. To clear the entire list, tap ⋮ > **Clear call history**.
3. Tap **OK**.

To clear individual items, go to the Call History tab, tap on the name of the contact or number you want to delete then tap ⓘ > 🗑.

Switching between silent, vibrate, and normal modes

Do one of the following:

- To change from silent to normal mode, press the VOLUME UP button three times.
- To change from vibrate to normal mode, press the VOLUME UP button twice.
- Go to Settings, and then tap **Sound & notification** to select a new sound setting.

SMS and MMS

Sending a text message

You can set the preferred SIM card you want to use for sending messages. See Choosing which SIM card to use for sending SMS and MMS on page 24 for more details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the messenger icon to open the Google Messenger app.
2. Tap +.
3. Enter a contact name or mobile number in the **To** field, and then tap >.
4. Do any of the following:
   - If you're using two SIM cards, tap to switch to another card then tap the message box to enter your message.
   - If you're using only one SIM card, tap the message box to enter your message.
5. Tap to send the message.

   Or, you can tap ← to save the message as a draft.

- There is a limit on the number of characters for a single text message, displayed above . If you exceed the limit, your text message will be delivered as one but will be billed as more than one message.
- Your text message automatically becomes a multimedia message if you enter an email address as the recipient, attach an item, or compose a very long message.

Sending a multimedia message

- Before attaching and sending a high-resolution video, compress it first so that the file size doesn't exceed the message size limit.
- You can set the preferred SIM card you want to use for sending messages. See Choosing which SIM card to use for sending SMS and MMS on page 24 for more details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the messenger icon to open the Google Messenger app.
2. Tap +.
3. Enter a contact name or mobile number in the **To** field, and then tap >.

4. Do any of the following:
   - If you're using two SIM cards, tap to switch to another card then tap the message box to enter your message.
   - If you're using only one SIM card, tap the message box to enter your message.
5. Tap +, and then choose an attachment type.
6. Select or browse for the item to attach.
7. Tap to send the message.

   Or, you can tap ← to save the message as a draft.

Sending a group message

Group messaging makes it easy to send a message to multiple contacts all at once. You can choose to send a group SMS or group MMS.

- Group MMS may incur extra data fees.
- You can set the preferred SIM card you want to use for sending messages. See Choosing which SIM card to use for sending SMS and MMS on page 24 for more details.

1. On the Home screen, tap the messenger icon to open the Google Messenger app.
2. To send your group message as an SMS or MMS:
   - If you're using two SIM cards, tap ⋮ > **Settings** then select the SIM card you want to use, and then tap **Group messaging** to choose between sending a group SMS or MMS.
   - If you're using only one SIM card, tap ⋮ > **Settings** > **Advanced** then tap **Group messaging** to choose between sending a group SMS or MMS.
3. Go back to the Google Messenger home screen then tap +.
4. Do any of the following:
   - Select multiple recipients from your contacts.
   - To enter a mobile number, tap to start typing the numbers then tap to add it in the **To** field.
5. Tap >. If this is your first time to send a group MMS, you may need to enter your mobile phone number.
6. Do any of the following:
   - If you're using two SIM cards, tap to switch to another card then tap the message box to enter your message.
   - If you're using only one SIM card, tap the message box to enter your message.
7. Tap to send the message.

   Or, you can tap ← to save the message as a draft.

Resuming a draft message

If you switch to another app or if you receive an incoming call while composing a text message, the message is automatically saved as a draft.

1. On the Home screen, tap the messenger icon to open the Google Messenger app.
2. Tap a draft message, and then edit the message.
3. Tap .

Replying to a message

1. On the Home screen, tap the messenger icon to open the Google Messenger app.
2. Tap a contact or phone number to display the exchange of messages with that contact.
3. Do any of the following:
   - If you're using two SIM cards, tap to switch to another card then tap the message box to enter your message.
   - If you're using only one SIM card, tap the message box to enter your message.
4. Tap to send the message.

   Or, you can tap to save the message as a draft.

Replying to a contact's other phone number

When a contact has multiple phone numbers stored on HTC Desire 10 compact, you can select which phone number to reply to.

Keep in mind that if you don't select another number, your response will be sent to the phone number that your contact used to send the last message.

1. While viewing the exchange of messages with a contact, tap > **People & options**.
2. Tap the name of your contact, select which phone number you want to reply to, and then enter your reply message.
3. Tap .

Forwarding a message

1. On the Home screen, tap the messenger icon to open the Google Messenger app.
2. Tap a contact or phone number to view the exchange of messages with that contact.
3. Press and hold the message to activate its options bar then tap .

Deleting messages and conversations

Open the Messenger app and do any of the following:

To delete a	Do these steps
Message	Open the conversation thread with a contact, press and hold a message, and then tap .
Conversation	Press and hold a contact or phone number, and then tap . To delete multiple conversations: 1. Press and hold a conversation you want to delete. 2. Select other conversations that you'd also want to delete. If you change your mind about deleting a selected conversation, tap them again to deselect them. 3. Tap .

Blocking unwanted messages

If you don't want to receive spam messages, you can block these contacts on the Google Messenger app using the archive box.

Open the Messenger app, press and hold a contact or phone number and tap .

When the contact sends you messages, you will not see them in the Messenger screen or receive notifications and calls.

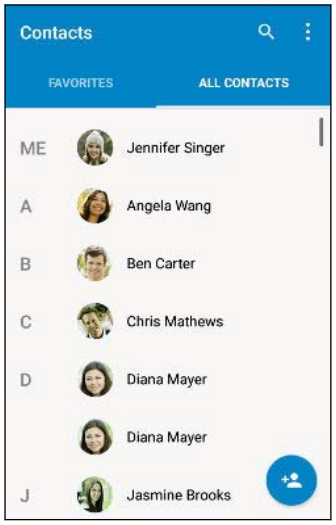
To read blocked messages in the archived box, on the Messenger screen, tap > **Archived** .

Contacts

Your contacts list

The Contacts app lists all contacts you've stored on HTC Desire 10 compact and from online accounts you're logged in to. Use the Contacts app to easily manage communications with people that matter to you.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮, and then find and tap **Contacts**.



2. On your contacts list, you can:
   - View your profile and edit your contact information.
   - Create, edit, find, or send contacts.
   - Tap a contact photo to find ways to quickly connect with the contact.

To sort your contacts by their first or last name, tap ⋮ > **Settings** > **Sort by**.

Setting up your profile

Store your personal contact information to easily send it to other people.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮, and then find and tap **Contacts**.
2. Tap **Set up my profile**.
3. Enter your name and contact details.

4. Tap or the current photo to change your contact photo.
5. Tap ✓.

To edit your profile, tap **ME** on the main screen of the Contacts app, and then tap .

Adding a new contact

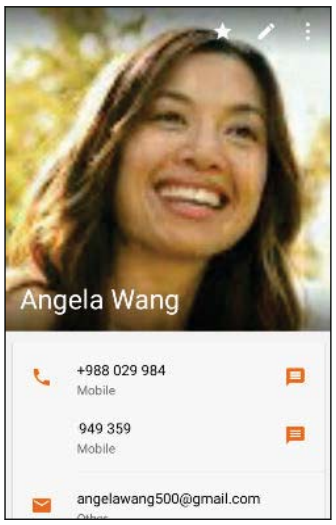
1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Contacts**.
2. On the All contacts tab, tap .
3. If prompted, choose which account the contact will sync with.
4. Enter the contact information in the fields provided.
5. Tap ✓.

Editing a contact's information

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Contacts**.
2. On the Contacts tab, tap a contact, and then tap .
3. Enter the new information.
4. Tap ✓.

Getting in touch with a contact

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Contacts**.
2. Tap a contact's name, and then choose how you want to get in touch with that contact.



Tap ☆ to add the contact to Favorites.

Importing contacts from your micro SIM or nano SIM card

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Contacts**.
2. On the All contacts tab, tap > **Import/export**.
3. Choose which card to import from.
4. If prompted, select which account you'd like to import your contacts to.
5. Select the contacts you want to import.
6. Tap **Save**.

Sending contact information

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Contacts**.
2. On the All contacts tab, tap your profile or someone's contact name.
3. Tap > **Share**.
4. Choose how you want to send the vCard.

Battery

Tips for extending battery life

How long the battery can last before it needs recharging depends on how you use HTC Desire 10 compact. Try out some of these tips to help increase battery life.

Use the power management features

- Turn on **Battery saver mode** in Settings.
- Monitoring your battery usage helps identify what's using the most power so you can choose what to do about it. For details, see Checking battery usage on page 64.

Manage your connections

- Turn off wireless connections such as mobile data, Wi-Fi, or Bluetooth when not in use.
- Turn GPS on only when a precise location is needed, such as while using navigation or location-based apps. See Turning location services on or off on page 112.
- Turn on Airplane mode when you don't need any wireless connections and you don't want to receive calls or messages.

Manage your display

Lowering the brightness, letting the display sleep when not in use, and keeping it simple helps save battery power.

- Use automatic brightness which is the default, or manually lower the brightness. See Screen brightness on page 114.
- Set the screen timeout to a shorter time. See Setting when to turn off the screen on page 113.
- Don't use a live wallpaper for your Home screen. Animation effects are nice to show off to other people but they drain your battery.

  Changing your wallpaper to a plain, black background can also help a little. The less color is displayed, the less battery is used. See Home wallpaper on page 39.

Manage your apps

- Battery optimization helps extend battery standby time. See Battery optimization for apps on page 64.
- Install the latest software and application updates. Updates sometimes include battery performance improvements.
- Uninstall or disable apps that you never use.

  Many apps run processes or sync data in the background even when you're not using them. If there are apps that you don't need anymore, uninstall them.

  If an app came preloaded and can't be uninstalled, disabling the app can still prevent it from continuously running or syncing data. See Disabling an app on page 79.

Limit background data and sync

Background data and sync can use a lot of battery power if you have many apps syncing data in the background. It's recommended not to let apps sync data too often. Determine which apps can be set with longer sync times, or sync manually.

- In Settings, tap **Accounts** and check what types of data are being synced in your online accounts. When the battery is starting to run low, temporarily disable syncing some data.
- If you have many email accounts, consider prolonging the sync time of some accounts.

  In the Mail app, select an account, tap ⋮ > **Settings** > **Sync, Send & Receive**, and then adjust the settings under Sync schedule.
- When you're not traveling from one place to another, sync weather updates of only your current location, rather than in all of your named cities. Open the Weather app, and then tap ⋮ to edit and remove unneeded cities.
- Choose widgets wisely.

  Some widgets constantly sync data. Consider removing the ones that are not important from your Home screen.
- In Play Store, tap ☰ > **Settings**, and then clear **Add icon to Home screen** to avoid automatically adding Home screen app shortcuts whenever you've installed new apps. Also tap **Auto-update apps** > **Do not auto-update apps** if you're fine with updating apps from Play Store manually.

Other tips

To squeeze in a little bit more battery power, try these tips:

- Tone down the ringtone and media volume.
- Minimize the use of vibration or sound feedback. In Settings, tap **Sound & notification** > ⚙ and choose which ones you don't need and can disable.
- Check your apps' settings as you may find more options to optimize the battery.

Checking battery usage

See how the system and apps are using the battery and how much power is being used.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Battery**, and then tap an item to check how it's using the battery.
3. If you see the Adjust power use section while viewing battery use details, you can tap the option underneath it to adjust settings that affect battery usage.

Another way to check the battery usage per app is to go to **Settings**, and then tap **Apps**. Tap the app you want to check, and then tap **Battery**.

If the **Battery** option on the App info screen is grayed out, it means the app is currently not using the battery.

Checking battery history

Check how long you've been using HTC Desire 10 compact since the last charge. You can also see a chart that shows how long the screen has been on, and how long you've been using connections like the mobile network or Wi-Fi.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Battery**.
3. Tap the chart to view battery usage over time in History details.

Battery optimization for apps

When you have connections such as Wi-Fi on while the phone is in sleep mode, some apps may still continue to use the battery. Starting from Android 6.0, battery optimization is enabled for all apps by default which helps prolong battery standby time when you're not using the phone.

The phone needs to be sitting idle for an extended period of time before battery optimization takes effect.

Turning battery optimization off in apps

If there are apps that you don't want battery optimization enabled, you can turn the feature off in those apps.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Battery**.
3. Tap > **Battery optimization**.

4. Tap **Not optimized** > **All apps** to see the complete list of apps.
5. To turn off battery optimization in an app, tap the app name, and then tap **Don't optimize** > **Done**.

   Repeat this process to turn off optimization in other apps.

To filter the list and see which apps have battery optimization disabled, tap **All apps** > **Not optimized**.

Storage

Freeing up storage space

As you use HTC Desire 10 compact, you'll accumulate data and fill its storage capacity over time. Here are some tips on how to free up phone storage space.

Manage photos and videos

- After editing a photo or trimming a video, the original file is kept. Delete original files or move them elsewhere, such as to your computer.
- If you're only sending videos through MMS, use a lower resolution. Hi-res video takes up more space.

Remove unused themes

Themes can quickly consume up storage space because themes can include images, sounds and icons. Remove themes you're not using. See Deleting a theme on page 86.

Back up data and files

Keep only the most recent data in your apps and files that you often need to use. You can back up your other data and files. For some tips, see Backup and reset on page 70.

Remove or disable apps

Uninstall apps that you've downloaded if no longer need them. See Uninstalling an app on page 76.

Preinstalled apps can be disabled when you're not using them. See Disabling an app on page 79.

Types of storage

Starting from Android 6.0, there have been some changes on how and where downloaded apps and their data can be stored.

Phone storage

This is the internal storage which contains the Android system, preinstalled apps, email, text messages, and cached data from the apps. You can also install apps that you've downloaded and capture photos, videos, and screenshots to this storage.

Storage card

Use your storage card as a removable storage to store and access your media and other files on HTC Desire 10 compact or any Android phone, or set it up as an extension of the internal storage. See Setting up your storage card as internal storage on page 67.

Should I use the storage card as removable or internal storage?

Use your storage card as removable storage when there's already content such as your media and other files so that you don't lose these content. If you have a brand new storage card, choose whether to use it as removable storage or set it up as an extension of the internal storage.

Removable storage

Use a new storage card as removable storage to be able to insert and use the card on HTC Desire 10 compact and other Android phones.

Internal storage

Set up a new storage card as internal storage for more privacy and secure use. This encrypts and formats the storage card to work just like the internal storage.

This also expands the internal storage space since:

- Captured screenshots, camera shots, media, and other files will be stored on the storage card.
- Third-party apps that you installed and their data can be moved between the phone storage and storage card.

> ! After setting up the storage card as internal storage, the card can only be used on HTC Desire 10 compact where it has been formatted.

Setting up your storage card as internal storage

When you insert a storage card that has not been used on HTC Desire 10 compact before, the card will be mounted as removable storage by default.

If the storage card is new or doesn't have content you want to keep, you can format the storage card to use it as internal storage for HTC Desire 10 compact.

- See Should I use the storage card as removable or internal storage? on page 67 to find out the differences between using the storage card as removable storage or internal storage.
- If there are still files on the storage card, back up the files first before you format the card.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Storage & USB**.
2. Under Portable storage, tap the name of your storage card.

3. Tap ⋮ > **Settings**.
4. Tap **Format as internal**, and then tap **Erase & Format**.
5. Follow the onscreen instructions to move your installed apps and their data from the phone storage to the storage card.

If you no longer want to use your storage card as internal storage, you can reformat the card as removable storage. Before you do so, make sure to move all the apps and data from the card back to the phone storage. See Moving apps and data between the phone storage and storage card on page 68.

Moving apps and data between the phone storage and storage card

If you've set up your storage card as internal storage, you can move third-party apps that you installed and their data such as photos, media, and downloaded files to the storage card to free up phone storage space.

If you no longer want to use your storage card as internal storage, make sure to move all the apps and data from the card back to the phone storage.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Storage & USB**.
2. Tap the name of your storage card if you're moving app data from the phone storage to the card, or tap **Internal storage** if you're moving data from the storage card back to the phone storage.
3. Tap ⋮ > **Migrate data**.
4. Tap **Move**.

- Screenshots will also be migrated.
- When you take new photos or videos, capture new screenshots, or download new files after the migration, they will be saved to the new storage location.

Copying files between the phone storage and storage card

Starting from Android 6.0, you can go to Settings to view and manage files on the phone storage and storage card. If you're using your storage card as removable storage, you can copy your files between the phone storage and storage card.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Storage & USB**.
2. Tap **Internal storage** > **Explore**, or tap the storage card name.
3. Open the folder that contains the files you want to copy.

4. To select or deselect files:
   - Press and hold a file to select it. To select more files, tap each file.
   - Tap a file to deselect it.
   - To select all files, press and hold a file first, and then tap ⋮ > **Select all**.
5. Tap ⋮ > **Copy to**.
6. In the Save to slideout menu, choose the type of storage where to paste to, and then open the destination folder.
7. Tap **Copy**.

Unmounting the storage card

When you need to remove the storage card while your HTC Desire 10 compact is on, unmount the storage card first to prevent corrupting or damaging the files in the storage card.

If your storage card is used as internal storage and there are apps that were moved to the card, you will not be able to open these apps after unmounting the card.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮ > **Settings** > **Storage & USB**.
2. Do one of the following:
   - If your storage card appears under Portable storage, tap ⏏ next to the card name.
   - If you formatted your storage card, tap the card name, and then tap ⋮ > **Eject**.

File Manager

Use the File Manager app to browse and organize files and folders on your phone storage and storage card.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮, and then find and tap **File Manager**.
2. On the app's Home screen, tap a file storage to open it.
3. To rename a file or folder, press and hold it, and then tap ⋮ > **Rename**.
4. To select multiple items, tap ⋮ > **Select file or folder**. Then tap each item you want to select, or tap ◢ > **Select All**.
5. After selecting items, tap the icons at the bottom of File Manager to share, copy, cut, or delete them. You can only share files and not folders.
6. After copying or cutting items, navigate to another folder or file storage, and then paste them.

Backup and reset

Backing up data, media, and apps to your storage card

Back up data such as contacts, messages, calendar events, and bookmarks as well as photos and music to your storage card. You can also back up third-party apps that you installed if you want to easily reinstall them from your storage card next time.

1. Open the Backup and Restore app.
2. In the Backup tab, tap **Personal data**.
3. Choose the types of data and media that you want.
   - Tap next to the Contact option. Clear the check boxes next to the mobile operator name if you don't want to include SIM contacts in the backup.
   - If you have existing text and multimedia messages on your phone, tap next to the Message option, and then choose whether to back up both types of messages.
4. Tap **Backup to SD card**.
5. When you're prompted for a folder name, use the default name to base it on the date and time of backup, or enter a name that you want. Each data and media type will be stored in separate subfolders under the created folder on your storage card.
6. After backup has finished, tap **OK**.
7. Tap **Application**, choose the apps that you want, and then tap **Backup to SD card**.

Restoring data, media, and apps from your storage card

You can choose which data and media types and which apps you want to restore to your phone.

1. Open the Backup and Restore app.
2. Tap the **Restore** tab.
3. Under Personal data backup history, tap the date or folder name you want to restore from.
4. Choose the types of data and media you want to copy from your storage card, and then tap **Restore** > **OK** > **OK**.

Using Android Backup Service

Starting from Android 6.0, use the Android Backup Service to back up your HTC phone to Google Drive™.

This service can back up and restore the following:

Back up	What content or settings are backed up
App data	▪ In HTC apps, app data includes contacts stored on HTC Desire 10 compact, call history, Clock and Weather city list, and email accounts. ▪ Data from third-party apps may also be saved in the backup, depending on the app developer settings.
Settings	These include ringtones, grid size and sort order on theApps screen, Wi-Fi networks and passwords and some device settings.

When auto backup is enabled, the Android Backup Service periodically backs up your phone to a private folder in Google Drive. Auto backup occurs every 24 hours when the phone is idle, charging, and connected to a Wi-Fi network.

Backup data will not count towards your Google Drive storage quota. Large files or files that app developers have chosen to exclude from the service will not be backed up.

Restoring your wallpaper from your old phone may depend on screen resolution compatibility of both your old phone and HTC Desire 10 compact.

Backing up HTC Desire 10 compact

Automatically back up HTC Desire 10 compact to Google Drive so you can restore content such as app data and settings when needed.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Backup & reset**.
2. Tap **Back up my data**.
3. Tap the **On/Off** switch to turn it on, and then press .
4. Make sure **Automatic restore** is turned on.

   This allows an app's data and settings saved through the Android Backup Service to be restored when you reinstall the app on HTC Desire 10 compact.

To select a backup account other than your primary Google Account, tap **Backup account** and then select another Google Account. You can also tap **Add account** to add a new Google Account for your backup.

Resetting network settings

Reset the network settings when you're having problems connecting HTC Desire 10 compact to your mobile data or Wi-Fi network and Bluetooth devices.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Backup & reset**.
2. Tap **Network settings reset**.
3. Tap **Reset settings**.
4. Tap **Reset settings**.

Resetting HTC Desire 10 compact (Hard reset)

If HTC Desire 10 compact has a persistent problem that cannot be solved, you can perform a factory reset (also called a hard reset or master reset). A factory reset reverts the phone back to its initial state—the state before you turned on the phone for the first time.

Factory reset will remove all data on your phone storage, including apps you've downloaded and installed, your accounts, your files, as well as system and app data and settings. Be sure to back up any data and files you want to keep before you do a factory reset.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Backup & reset**.
2. Tap **Factory data reset**.
3. Tap **Reset phone**.
4. Tap **Erase everything**.

A factory reset may not permanently erase all data from your phone, including personal information.

Transfer

Ways of getting contacts and other content

There are different ways you can individually add contacts and other content to HTC Desire 10 compact.

Source of content	How to transfer
Google Account	Google contacts are imported to HTC Desire 10 compact after you sign in to your Google Account. You can also create more Google contacts right from HTC Desire 10 compact.
Social network accounts	Log in to your favorite social networks to sync contact information from them.
Microsoft® Exchange ActiveSync®	HTC Desire 10 compact syncs your work contacts from the Microsoft Exchange ActiveSync Server in your workplace.
Outlook.com account	Sync personal contacts from your Microsoft Outlook.com account.
micro SIM and nano SIM cards	Copy all your micro SIM and nano SIM contacts to HTC Desire 10 compact.

Copying files between HTC Desire 10 compact and your computer

You can copy your music, photos, and other files to HTC Desire 10 compact.

- Save and close your files before copying them from your computer to HTC Desire 10 compact, or vice versa.
- If you're using your storage card as internal storage, your computer will only show storage card content.

1. Connect HTC Desire 10 compact to the computer using the supplied micro USB cable.
2. On HTC Desire 10 compact, unlock the screen if it's locked.
3. On the pop-up message that asks whether to use USB for file transfers, tap **Yes**.

   If you don't see this message, slide the Notifications panel open, tap the **Use USB for** notification, and then tap **File transfers**.

   You'll then see options for viewing or importing files on the computer screen.
4. Choose to view files.

5. Copy the files from your computer to HTC Desire 10 compact, or vice versa.
6. After copying the files, disconnect HTC Desire 10 compact from the computer.

Installing and removing apps

Getting apps from Google Play

Google Play is the place to go to find new apps for HTC Desire 10 compact. Choose from a wide variety of free and paid apps ranging from productivity apps, entertainment, to games.

- You need a Google Wallet™ account to buy paid apps or to make in-app purchases. If you already have a Google Account, just add Google Wallet by signing in with your existing username and password at wallet.google.com.
- The name of the Play Store app may differ depending on your region.
- The ability to purchase apps varies by region.

Finding and installing an app

When you install apps and use them on HTC Desire 10 compact, they may require access to your personal information or access to certain functions or settings. Download and install only apps that you trust.

Be cautious when downloading apps that have access to functions or a significant amount of your data on HTC Desire 10 compact. You're responsible for the results of using downloaded apps.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Play Store**.
2. Browse or search for an app.
3. When you find the app that you like, tap it and read its description and user reviews.
4. To download or purchase the app, tap **Install** (for free apps) or the price button (for paid apps).
5. Tap **Accept**.

Apps sometimes get updated with improvements or bug fixes. To automatically download updates, after installing the app, tap > **Auto-update**.

To open the app, go to the Apps screen and tap the app.

Restoring apps from Google Play

Upgraded to a new phone, replaced a lost one, or performed a factory reset? Restore apps that you previously downloaded.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Play Store**.
2. Tap to open the slideout menu.
3. Tap **My apps & games**, swipe to the All tab, and then tap the app you want to restore.
4. Install the app.

For more details, refer to the Google Play help.

Downloading apps from the web

You can download apps directly from websites.

Apps downloaded from websites can be from unknown sources. To help protect HTC Desire 10 compact and your personal data, we strongly recommend that you only download from websites you trust.

1. Open the browser, and then go to the website where you can download the app you want.
2. If prompted, change the security settings to allow installation from “Unknown sources”.
3. Follow the website's download instructions for the app.
4. After installing the app, make sure to go back to **Settings** > **Security** and clear the **Unknown sources** option.

Uninstalling an app

If you no longer need an app that you've downloaded and installed, you can uninstall it.

Most of the preloaded apps cannot be uninstalled.

From the Apps screen, press and hold the app you want to remove, and then drag it to **Uninstall**.

If you purchased an app in Play Store, you can uninstall it for a refund within a limited time. To know more about the refund policy for paid apps, refer to the Google Play help.

Managing apps

Arranging apps

You can arrange and rearrange the apps on the Apps screen.

1. From HTC BlinkFeed or any widget panel, tap .
2. Tap , and then choose how to arrange apps, such as alphabetically.
3. Select **Custom** if you want to rearrange or group apps into folders.

Showing or hiding apps in the Apps screen

1. On the Apps screen, tap > **Show/hide apps**.
2. Select the apps you want to hide, or clear their check boxes to unhide them.
3. Tap **Done**.

Grouping apps into a folder

1. On the Apps screen, tap > **Custom**.
2. Tap > **Rearrange apps**.
3. Press and hold an app, and then drag it over to another app to automatically create a folder.
4. To add more apps, drag each app over to the folder.
5. To name the folder, open the folder, tap its title bar, and then enter a folder name.
6. When done, tap .

Moving apps and folders

1. On the Apps screen, tap > **Custom**.
2. Tap > **Rearrange apps**.
3. Press and hold an app or folder, and then do one of the following:
   - Drag the app or folder to another position on the same page. Wait until you see the occupying icon move away before releasing your finger.
   - Drag the app or folder to the or arrow to move it to another page.
4. When you're done moving apps and folders, tap .

Removing apps from a folder

1. On the Apps screen, tap > **Custom**.
2. Tap > **Rearrange apps**.
3. Tap the folder to open it.
4. Press and hold an app, and then drag it out to the Apps screen. Wait until you see the occupying icon move away before releasing your finger.
5. When you're done removing apps, tap .

Controlling app permissions

When you open apps the first time, you'll be prompted to grant them permissions to access certain data or features, such as contacts or the microphone. This gives you more control over which apps have authorized access.

- If you suspect a certain app of being malicious or requesting unnecessary permissions, you should choose **Deny** to protect your phone.
- If you choose **Deny** in a trusted app, you may not be able to use the app or access its full functionality. When this happens, go to Settings to change the app permissions.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Apps**.
3. Tap the app you want to configure, and then tap **Permissions**.
4. Choose which permissions you want to turn on.

Setting default apps

In Settings, you can choose default apps for web browsing, text messaging, and more.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Apps**.
3. Tap > **Default Apps**.
4. Choose your default launcher, web browser, phone, text messaging apps, and more.

Setting up app links

If there's more than one app that can be opened when you tap a link—such as a shared social post or media link—you may be prompted to choose the app you want to use. When you're prompted after you've tapped a link, select an app, and then tap **Always** to set that app as the default app to use.

You can also go to Settings to see how app links have been set up for different apps and change them.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Apps**.
3. Tap , and then tap **App links**.
4. Tap the app you want to configure, and then tap **Open supported links**.
5. Select **Open in this app** to always open the app without being prompted when you tap a link.

   You can also choose whether to always be prompted to choose the app or never use the app for opening links.

Disabling an app

Apps, even if not used often, may be running in the background and downloading data. If an app cannot be uninstalled, you can disable it.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Apps**.
3. Tap the app, and then tap **Disable**.

HTC BlinkFeed

What is HTC BlinkFeed?

Get the latest news about your interests or status updates from your friends right on HTC BlinkFeed. Set up which social networks, news sources, and more will appear.

- Swipe up or down to browse stories on HTC BlinkFeed.
- Tap a tile to view the content. If it's a video tile, you can watch the video in full screen, hear the audio, and control the playback.
- While viewing a news article, swipe left or right to see more stories.
- While in HTC BlinkFeed, you can press ○ or ◁ to scroll to the top.
- Swipe right on HTC BlinkFeed to open the slideout menu where you can choose the type of feeds or add your custom topics to display.

- You'll see the clock widget on HTC BlinkFeed if you've set HTC BlinkFeed as the main Home screen.
- HTC BlinkFeed is a part of the HTC Sense Home app. To get the latest features of HTC BlinkFeed, make sure you've downloaded the newest version of HTC Sense Home.

Turning HTC BlinkFeed on or off

1. On the Home screen, slide two fingers together.

2. Do one of the following:

   - To turn on HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right on the thumbnails to +, then tap it.

   - To turn off HTC BlinkFeed, tap the thumbnail to select it, press and hold the thumbnail and drag it to **Remove**.

Ways of adding content on HTC BlinkFeed

Personalize HTC BlinkFeed to show articles and status updates from your favorite news sources and apps.

Adding sources to HTC BlinkFeed

Add news sources such as News Republic™ to select from a wide variety of news services.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right to open the slideout menu.
2. Tap +, and then select the sources you want to add.

Selecting feeds

Discover stories and articles on HTC BlinkFeed.

You need to add a news source before you can select feeds.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right to open the slideout menu.
2. Next to News Republic, tap ⌄ > ⊕.
3. Swipe across the screen to browse the categories.
4. Select one or more feeds.

Showing content from your apps and social networks

See your friends' posts in social networks or show content from your HTC apps right on HTC BlinkFeed.

- You need to sign in to your social networks before you can post a status update from HTC BlinkFeed.
- When adding a social network to HTC BlinkFeed, you need to give HTC Sense permission to access it.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right to open the slideout menu.
2. Tap +, and then select the apps and social networks you like.

Searching and adding a topic of interest

Looking for a more specific topic? Search for and select topics of interest to display them on HTC BlinkFeed.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right to open the slideout menu.
2. Next to News Republic, tap > .
3. Tap , and then tap **Search topics** and enter keywords of what you're looking for.
4. Tap a result to add it to My topics in the News Republic app.

Customizing the Highlights feed

The Highlights feed displays a mix of top trending articles and status updates from the feed sources you added. You can set the Highlights feed to only show items from your favorite news sources and apps.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right to open the slideout menu.
2. Tap > **Settings** > **Choose Highlights topics**.
3. Select the feed sources you want to appear in Highlights.

Playing videos on HTC BlinkFeed

If you're connected to Wi-Fi and there's a news or social media post that contains a video, the video plays automatically on the tile.

- Tap a video tile to play it in full screen. Tap the title of the video tile to open its article page.
- While the video is playing, tap the screen to see the playback controls.
- To turn off autoplay or if you want to autoplay videos while on mobile data, tap to open the slideout menu, and then tap > **Settings** > **Videos play automatically**. Tap the option you want.

Posting to your social networks

You can easily post a status update from HTC BlinkFeed.

- You need to sign in to your social networks before you can post a status update from HTC BlinkFeed.
- When adding a social network to HTC BlinkFeed, you need to give HTC Sense permission to access it.

1. On HTC BlinkFeed, swipe right to open the slideout menu.
2. Tap > **Compose**, and then choose a social network.
3. Compose your status update and post it on your social network.

Removing content from HTC BlinkFeed

Whether it's a tile or an entire feed, you can remove content you don't want to see on HTC BlinkFeed.

- To remove a tile, press and hold the tile you want to remove, and then tap **Remove**.
- To remove a feed source, in the slideout menu, next to News Republic tap > . Then tap any tile marked with to remove it.
- To remove social networks or apps from HTC BlinkFeed, in the slideout menu, tap . Then uncheck the social networks or apps you want to hide from HTC BlinkFeed.

Themes

What is HTC Themes?

Themes brings a quick and easy way for you to customize your phone with elements such as wallpapers, sounds, and icons.

You need to log in with your preferred account to download themes, icons, fonts, and more from the Themes store.

Themes is a part of the HTC Sense Home app. To get the latest features of Themes, make sure you've downloaded the newest version of HTC Sense Home.

Downloading themes or individual elements

Find and download pre-made themes and elements that make it easy for you to personalize your phone.

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Change theme**.
3. If it's your first time to use Themes, tap **Get Started**, and then sign in with your preferred account.
4. Tap ☰ > **Recommended**.
5. On the Recommended screen, tap ••• next to each category to browse recommended items.
6. Tap a thumbnail to see the details screen.
7. Tap **Download**.

If you don't want to download the theme or any element right away, you can tap to bookmark it first.

To apply the theme after it has finished downloading, tap **Apply**. If your chosen theme includes sounds, your ringtone, notification sound, and alert sound will also change.

Creating your own theme

You can create and customize your own theme and even share it for others to download.

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Change theme**.

3. Tap ⊕ > **Change wallpaper** to set the main wallpaper for your theme.
4. Select an image from your phone or take a photo with Camera.
5. Move or enlarge the crop box to the area of the image you want to include.
6. Crop and save the image.
7. Tap **Next**.
8. Swipe up or down to the pre-defined style to select for your theme.
9. You can:
   - Tap **Next** if you don't want to customize your theme further.
   - Tap **Edit**, then tap any of the categories you want to customize, and experiment with the settings until you're satisfied.

   Tap **Preview** to see what your theme will look like.
10. Tap **Finish**, name your theme, and then tap **OK** to save your theme.

    To apply the theme after saving it, make sure you select the **Apply this theme now** option.

Finding your themes

Themes you downloaded, bookmarked, or created can be found in your theme collection.

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Change theme**.
3. Tap ☰ > **My themes**.

Editing your theme

After applying a theme, you can mix and match parts from other themes such as sounds, icons, wallpapers.

To mix and match themes, you need to first download theme elements from the Themes store.

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Edit current theme**.
3. Tap any of the categories you want to change.
4. Tap an item in the category. If the category is empty, tap ⌄ beside the category name, and then choose one of the collections to select from.
5. Tap **Download** to get the content, and then tap **Apply** to apply the change to your current theme.

6. Press ◁ until you see the Edit current theme screen. Continue making changes until you're satisfied with the result.
7. Tap **Save copy** to save your new theme, or if you're editing a theme that you copied tap **Save** to save the changes.

Deleting a theme

You can delete a theme if you no longer want to keep it on your phone.

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Change theme**.
3. Tap ☰ > **My themes**.
4. Find and tap an item to delete.
5. Tap ⋮ > **Remove**.

If the item is currently applied, it will still be applied to your phone until another theme is applied.

Choosing a Home screen layout

You can choose between two Home screen layouts.

The Classic layout allows you to add traditional app shortcuts and widgets on your Home screen. By design, this layout will follow and fit what you've added on the Home screen according to an invisible grid.

The Freestyle Home screen layout frees you from grid constraints and allows you to place your icons and widgets anywhere you want them on the Home screen. You can use custom stickers as app shortcuts, too!

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Change Home screen layout**.
3. Choose the Home screen layout that you want.

Using stickers as app shortcuts

Replace the usual app shortcuts with stickers to blend with your home wallpaper design. You can link individual stickers to different apps.

1. Switch to Freestyle layout.

   To find out how, see Choosing a Home screen layout on page 87.
2. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
3. Tap **Add stickers**.
4. Scroll through the stickers, and then drag a sticker to a widget panel you want to add it to.

5. Tap the newly added sticker, and then tap an app to link to the sticker.

If you need to link the sticker to a different app, press and hold it on the widget panel, and then drag it to **Relink**.

6. To show or hide the name of the app it's linked to, press and hold the sticker on the widget panel, and then drag it to **Show label** or **Hide label**.

You can choose to show or hide labels for all stickers on the Home screen. Press and hold an empty space on a widget panel, and then tap **Show/hide label**.

Multiple wallpapers

You can split a panorama photo into three parts so that it extends to three Home screen panels as one photo. Or, you can choose to set three different wallpapers for each widget panel.

- You can only apply Multiple wallpapers while in Classic home screen layout.
- You can only set the Multiple wallpapers for three widget panels. The right-most photo will be used as the wallpaper for any additional panels.

1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Edit current theme** > **Home wallpaper**.
3. Tap > **Multiple**.You'll then see three page thumbnails.
4. Tap **Change wallpaper** under the first page thumbnail.
5. Select from the preset wallpapers or tap to choose from your photos.

   If you've selected a panorama photo, you need to crop it starting from the area that will fit the left widget panel of the Home screen.
6. Repeat steps 4 and 5 to change the wallpaper for the second and third widget panels.
7. Tap .

Time-based wallpaper

Set your home wallpaper to automatically change during the day and night.

You can only use a Time-based wallpaper while in Classic home screen layout.

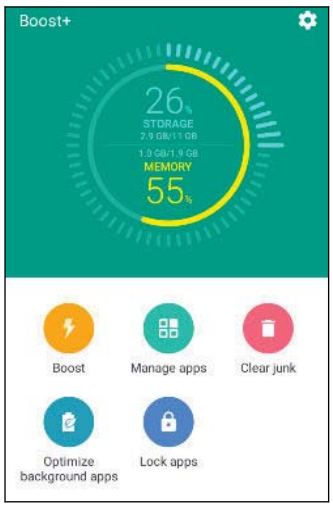
1. Press and hold on an empty space on your Home screen.
2. Tap **Edit current theme** > **Home wallpaper**.

3. Tap > **Time-based**. You'll then see two page thumbnails.
4. Tap **Change wallpaper** under the Day thumbnail to choose the wallpaper you want to display during the day.
5. Select from the preset wallpapers or tap to choose from your photos.
6. Tap **Change wallpaper** under the Night thumbnail to choose the wallpaper you want to display during the night.
7. Tap .

Boost+

About Boost+

Here are some of the things you can do when using the Boost+ app.



- Monitor your phone storage space and memory usage.
- Delete cache, app installers, and temporary files on your phone.
- Optimize system resources to extend battery life while you're using apps and playing your favorite games.
- Stop unused apps from running in the background, lock apps with sensitive content, or uninstall apps you don't use.

Some features may not be available on all phones.

Turning Smart Boost on or off

The Smart Boost feature allows the Boost+ app to automatically free up memory space on your phone.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap , and then select or clear the **Smart boost** option.
3. When prompted to set up the system permission for Boost+, tap **Continue** > **Boost+**
4. Tap the Permit usage access **On/Off** switch.

Adding apps to the Smart Boost exception list

You can choose to set the Boost+ app to skip some apps when it runs its Smart Boost checks.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap **Smart boost**.
3. Tap > **Manage skipped apps**.

4. Tap +, and then select the apps to skip.
5. Tap **Add**.

Manually clearing junk files

Regularly remove junk files that clutter your storage space or slow down the phone's performance.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap **Clear junk**.

   The Boost+ app will show you how much storage space is being used up by different junk files, such as cache files, ad files, temporary files, and app installers.
3. Select or clear the junk file types you want to delete.

   You can tap ⌄ next to a category to view the files under it.
4. Tap to clear junk files.

In the Boost+ app settings, you can also choose to get notified when your junk files exceed a set limit or when an app is unused over a period of time.

Optimizing apps running in the foreground

When you enable an app in the Optimize foreground apps list, your phone automatically optimizes system resources while you're using it. This helps extend your phone's battery life.

This feature may not be available on all phones.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap **Optimize foreground apps**.
3. On the Optimize foreground apps screen, tap the **On/Off** switch next to an app to turn it on.

Managing irregular activities of downloaded apps

The Boost+ app can check for irregular activities from a downloaded app that may affect your phone's performance. When an irregular activity is detected on a supported phone model, you can choose to stop the activity. Or, you can also uninstall the downloaded app via the Boost+ app.

You can only uninstall the apps you've downloaded.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap **Manage apps**.
3. Do any of the following:
   - To uninstall apps you don't need, select one or more apps under the Apps tab, and then tap .
   - If detecting irregular activities is supported, go to the Irregular activities tab to see if there are irregular activities detected. If there's one, tap it and choose an action.

Managing apps running in the background

You can set the Boost+ app to automatically stop unused apps from running in the background. This helps save battery power.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap **Optimize background apps**.
3. Make sure the Optimize background apps **On/Off** switch is turned on.

   Boost+ lists down unused apps that are running in the background.
4. Tap an app under Auto stop to choose whether to always stop the app from running, stop when the app isn't running for a certain period of time, or always allow the app to run in the background.

   To auto stop an app after a period of inactivity, tap > **Schedule auto stop**, and then choose how long an app is unused before it's automatically stopped.

Creating an unlock pattern for some apps

Add a security pattern to some installed apps that you treat as private. Lock these apps to require an unlock pattern whenever the app is opened, avoiding others to access it without your permission.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Boost+.
2. Tap **Lock apps**.
3. Draw your desired unlock pattern.
4. You can sign in to your Google Account or answer a security question. This will only serve as your authentication method to reset the unlock pattern.

5. Tap the **On/Off** switch next to an app to require an unlock pattern to open it.
6. Press ◁.

To change the app unlock pattern, tap **Lock apps**, and then draw your unlock pattern. Tap ⋮ > **Change pattern**.

Weather and clock

Checking Weather

Use the Weather app and widget to check the current weather and weather forecasts for the next few days. In addition to your current location, you can view weather forecasts for other cities around the globe.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Weather. You'll see the weather for different cities, including where you are.
2. Tap a city to view weather information.
3. Swipe to the Hourly and Forecast tabs to view the forecast in your selected location.
4. To check the weather in other cities, tap , and then select the city you want.
5. To add more cities, tap + and then enter the location.
6. To change the temperature scale, update schedule, and more, tap > **Settings**.

Using the Clock

Get more from the Clock app than just the regular date and time. Use your phone as a world clock to see the date and time in cities across the globe. You can also set alarms or track your time using the stopwatch or timer.

Setting an alarm

You can set up one or more alarms.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Clock**.
2. Tap .
3. Tap +.
4. Set the time.
5. If you want the alarm for multiple days, choose the **Repeat** option and select when the alarm will go off.

Tap the on/off switch next to the alarm you want to go off.

Setting the date and time manually

1. Go to Settings.
2. Tap **Date & time**.

3. Tap **Automatic date & time** and turn it off.
4. Clear the **Automatic time zone** option, and then set the time zone, date, and time as required.

Google Photos

What you can do on Google Photos

Here are some of the things you can do when using Google Photos™ on your phone.

- View, edit, and share the photos and videos you've taken on your phone. You can also access the media files previously backed up to your Google Account.

  If you see or on a thumbnail, it means that the media file is only stored on the phone and not yet backed up to your Google Account. Without this icon means that the photo or video is already backed up to your account.

- To select photos and videos, press and hold a thumbnail to select one. Tap a date to select all the media files under it. Or, press and hold a thumbnail as your first selection, and then drag your finger to the last item you want to select.

To learn more about Google Photos, tap > **Help**. Or, you can visit support.google.com/photos.

Viewing photos and videos

When you open Google Photos for the first time, sign in to your Google Account, if prompted, and choose whether to turn backup and sync on or off.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Photos.

   You'll see your local and synced photos and videos organized by date. If you see or on a thumbnail, it means that the media file is only stored on the phone and not yet backed up to your account.

2. To switch to another view, tap > **Layout**, and then choose how you want to view your media files.
3. Tap a thumbnail to view it in full screen.
4. To view only the photos and videos saved on the phone storage and storage card, tap to open the slideout menu, and then tap **Device folders**.

Editing your photos

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Photos.
2. Tap a photo thumbnail to view it in full screen.

3. Tap , and then do any of the following:
   - Tap to adjust the brightness, color, and more.
   - Tap to apply a filter to the photo.
   - Tap to rotate or crop the photo.
4. While you're editing, press and hold the photo to compare your changes to the original.
5. After making your adjustment, tap .
6. Tap **Save**.

Trimming a video

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Photos.
2. Tap a video thumbnail to view it in full screen.
3. Tap , and then drag the trim sliders to the part where you want the video to begin and end.
4. Tap to preview your trimmed video.
5. Tap **Save**.

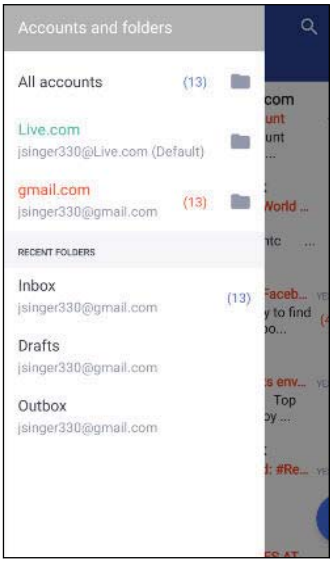
The trimmed video is saved as a copy. The original video remains unedited.

Mail

Checking your mail

The Mail app is where you read, send, and organize email messages from one or more email accounts that you've set up on your phone.

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮, and then find and tap Mail. The inbox of one of your email accounts appears.
2. Do any of the following:
   - Tap an email message to read.
   - To display email messages in another mail folder, tap ⋮ > **Folder**, and then tap the folder you want to view.
   - To switch between email accounts or view email messages from all your accounts, tap ☰.



   - To change an email account's settings, select the account first and then tap ⋮ > **Settings**.

Organizing your inbox

Do you have a big pile of email messages in your inbox? Organize your email messages into tabs and quickly find the messages you want.

1. Switch to the email account that you want to use.
2. In the inbox, tap ⋮ > **Edit tabs**.
3. Select the tabs you want to add to the inbox.

4. To arrange the tabs, drag ☰, and then move the tab to its new location.
5. Tap **Done**.
6. Swipe to the added tab to check your email messages.

Sending an email message

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮, and then find and tap Mail.
2. Switch to the email account that you want to use.
3. Tap +.
4. Fill in one or more recipients.

> Want to loop in more recipients in a carbon copy (Cc) or blind carbon copy (Bcc) of the email message? Tap ⋮ > **Show Cc/Bcc**.

5. Enter the subject, and then compose your message.
6. Do any of the following:
   - Add an attachment. Tap 🔗 and then choose what you want to attach.
   - Set the priority for an important message. Tap ⋮ > **Set priority**.
7. Tap ➤.

> To save the email as draft and send it later, tap ⋮ > **Save**. Or press ◁.

Resuming a draft email message

1. In an email account inbox, tap ⋮ > **Folder** > **Drafts**.
2. Tap the message.
3. When you finish editing the message, tap ➤.

Reading and replying to an email message

1. From the Home screen, tap ⋮⋮⋮, and then find and tap Mail.
2. Switch to the email account you want to use.
3. In the email account inbox, tap the email message or conversation you want to read.

> If you want to read a particular message inside an email conversation, tap ⌄ to expand the conversation, and then tap the email message.

4. Tap **Reply** or **Reply All**.

> Tap ⋮ for more actions for the email.

Quickly replying to an email message

You can quickly respond to a new email message from the Home screen or lock screen.

1. When you receive a new email message notification, slide the Notifications panel down.
2. On the email preview, tap **Reply all**.

   If you have several notifications and you don't see the email options, expand the email preview by sliding two fingers apart on the notification.
3. Compose your reply message and tap .

Managing email messages

The Mail app provides easy ways to sort, move, or delete your email messages.

Sorting email messages

Customize how you sort your email messages.

In an email account inbox, tap > **Sort**, and select from the sorting options.

Moving email messages to another folder

1. Switch to the email account you want to use.
2. Select the email messages you want to move.

To select all, select one email message first, and then tap > **Select all**.

3. Tap **Move to**, and then select a folder.

Deleting email messages

1. Switch to the email account you want to use.
2. Select the email messages you want to delete.

To select all, select one email message first, and then tap > **Select all**.

3. Tap **Delete**.

Searching email messages

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Mail.
2. Tap .
3. If you want to narrow the scope for your search, tap , check the search options, and then tap **OK**.

4. In the search box, enter the words you want to search for.
5. Tap a result to open the email message.

Searching for emails from a contact

Do you remember the sender, but can't find a particular email from him or her?

1. Switch to the email account you want to use.
2. Press and hold an email message from a contact.
3. Tap **Show all mail from sender**. A list of email messages from that contact appears.

Working with Exchange ActiveSync email

With your Microsoft Exchange ActiveSync account, you can flag important email messages or set your out of the office reply right on your phone.

Flagging an email

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Mail.
2. Switch to your Exchange ActiveSync account.
3. While viewing the inbox, tap the flag icon that appears beside an email message or conversation.

To flag an email message inside a conversation, tap to expand the conversation, and then tap the flag icon of the email message.

Setting your Out of the office status

1. Switch to your Exchange ActiveSync account.
2. Tap > **Out of the office**.
3. Tap your current office status, and then select **Out of the office**.
4. Set the dates and times.
5. Enter the auto-reply message.
6. If you want a different auto-reply message for recipients outside your organization, tap the **Send replies to external senders** option, and then enter the auto-reply message in the box.
7. Tap **Save**.

Adding an email account

Set up additional email accounts such as another Microsoft Exchange ActiveSync account or an account from a Web-based email service or email provider.

If you're adding a Microsoft Exchange ActiveSync or a POP3/IMAP email account, ask your network administrator or email service provider for additional email settings that you may need.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap Mail.
2. Tap > **Add account**.
3. Select an email account type from the list of email providers. Otherwise, tap **Other (POP3/IMAP)**.
4. Enter the email address and password for your email account, and then tap **Next**.

Some email accounts allow you to set the sync schedule.

5. Enter a name for your email account, and then tap **Finish setup**.

What is Smart Sync?

Smart Sync automatically extends the sync time the longer the Mail app is inactive. Set your email account to Smart Sync when you don't need to check new email messages frequently. Smart Sync helps save battery power.

If you want to receive email messages as they arrive, select another **Peak time sync** and **Off-peak sync** schedule in the email account's **Sync, Send & Receive** settings.

Sound Recorder

Recording voice clips

Use Sound Recorder to record the audio of lectures, interviews, and more.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Sound Recorder**.
2. Hold the microphone near the sound source.
3. Tap to start recording a voice clip.

Sound Recorder can run in the background while you do other things on HTC Desire 10 compact, except when you open other apps that also use audio functions.

4. Tap to pause the recording.
5. Tap to stop recording.
6. Tap **Save**.

To play back the voice clip, tap .

To see your recorded voice clips, tap . Tap a voice clip to play it.

Internet connections

Turning the data connection on or off

Turning your data connection off saves battery life and money on data charges.

You need a 4G/LTE plan to use your operator's 4G/LTE network for voice calls and data services. Check with your operator for details.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **More** > **Data usage**.
3. Tap the Cellular data **On/Off** switch to turn it on or off.

If you don't have the data connection turned on and you're also not connected to a Wi-Fi network, you won't receive automatic updates to your email, social network accounts, and other synced information.

Turning data roaming on or off

Connect to your mobile operator's partner networks and access data services when you're out of your mobile operator's coverage area.

Using data services while roaming may be costly. Check with your mobile operator for data roaming rates before you use data roaming.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Mobile networks**.
3. Tap the Data roaming **On/Off** switch to turn it on or off.

Keeping track of your data usage

Monitor your data usage to help prevent going over your monthly data allowance.

Data usage measured by HTC Desire 10 compact may differ from, and be less than, your actual data usage.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Under Wireless & networks, tap **More** > **Data usage**.
3. Switch to the tab of the SIM card that you set as the preferred data network.
4. Turn **Set cellular data limit** on, and then tap **OK** to automatically disable your data connection when you reach the set limit.
5. Drag the upper limit line to set your monthly data limit.
6. Drag the lower warning line to set an alert before you reach your monthly data limit.

Wi-Fi connection

To use Wi-Fi, you need access to a wireless access point or “hotspot”.

The availability and strength of a Wi-Fi signal varies depending on objects the Wi-Fi signal has to pass through such as buildings or a wall between rooms.

Turning Wi-Fi on or off

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Wi-Fi**, and then tap the **On/Off** switch to turn Wi-Fi on or off. You'll see a list of detected wireless networks.

- To manually scan for Wi-Fi networks, tap > **Refresh**.
- If the wireless network that you want is not listed, tap > **Add network** to manually add it.

Connecting to a Wi-Fi network

1. Turn Wi-Fi on, and check the list of detected Wi-Fi networks.

   See Turning Wi-Fi on or off on page 105.
2. Tap a Wi-Fi network you want to connect to.
3. If you selected a secured network, enter the network key or password.
4. Tap **Connect**. You'll see the Wi-Fi icon in the status bar when connected.

Using HTC Desire 10 compact as a Wi-Fi hotspot

Share your data connection with other devices by turning HTC Desire 10 compact into a Wi-Fi hotspot.

- Make sure the data connection is turned on.
- You must have an approved data plan associated with your account from your mobile service provider to use this service. Devices connected to your Wi-Fi hotspot use data from your subscribed data plan.

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Under Wireless & Networks, tap **More**.
3. Tap **Tethering & portable hotspot** > **Wi-Fi hotspot**.

   The first time you turn on the Wi-Fi hotspot, you'll need to set it up.
4. Tap **Set up Wi-Fi hotspot**, and then enter a hotspot name or use the default.
5. Enter a password or use the default.

   The password is the key other people need to enter on their device so they can connect and use HTC Desire 10 compact as a wireless router.
6. Tap **Save**.
7. Tap the Wi-Fi hotspot **On/Off** switch to turn it on.

HTC Desire 10 compact is ready to be used as a Wi-Fi hotspot when you see on the status bar.

To help minimize security risks, use the default security settings and set a strong and unique password.

Sharing your phone's Internet connection by USB tethering

No Internet connection available for your computer? No problem. Use the data connection of HTC Desire 10 compact to connect to the Internet.

- You may need to have USB tethering added to your data plan, and it may incur additional cost. Contact your mobile service provider for details.
- Make sure that mobile data is turned on.

1. Connect HTC Desire 10 compact to your computer using the provided micro USB cable.
2. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
3. Under Wireless & networks, tap **More** > **Tethering & portable hotspot** > **USB tethering**.

Bluetooth

Turning Bluetooth on or off

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings** > **Bluetooth**.
2. Tap the Bluetooth **On/Off** switch to turn the Bluetooth connection on and off.

Turn off Bluetooth when not in use to save battery power, or in places where using a wireless device is prohibited, such as on board an aircraft and in hospitals.

Connecting a Bluetooth headset

You can listen to music over a Bluetooth A2DP stereo headset, or have hands-free conversations using a compatible Bluetooth headset.

Before you connect your headset, make it discoverable so HTC Desire 10 compact can find it. Refer to your headset manual for details.

1. Turn Bluetooth on and check the list of available devices.

   See Turning Bluetooth on or off on page 108.
2. If you don't see your headset listed, tap > **Refresh** to refresh the list.
3. Tap the name of your headset in the Available Devices section. HTC Desire 10 compact pairs with the headset and the headset connection status is displayed in the Paired Devices section.
4. If prompted to enter a passcode, try `0000` or `1234`, or consult the headset documentation to find the passcode.

When the Bluetooth headset is connected, you'll see in the status bar.

Reconnecting a Bluetooth headset

Normally, you can easily reconnect your headset by switching on Bluetooth on HTC Desire 10 compact, and then turning on the headset.

However, you might have to connect manually if your headset has been used with another Bluetooth device.

1. Turn Bluetooth on and check the list of paired devices.

   See Turning Bluetooth on or off on page 108.

2. Tap the headset's name in the Paired Devices section.
3. If prompted to enter a passcode, try `0000` or `1234`, or consult the headset documentation to find the passcode.

If you still cannot reconnect to the headset, follow the instructions in Unpairing from a Bluetooth device on page 109, and then follow the steps under Connecting a Bluetooth headset on page 108.

Unpairing from a Bluetooth device

1. Turn Bluetooth on and check the list of paired devices.

   See Turning Bluetooth on or off on page 108.

2. In the Paired devices section, tap ⚙ next to the device to unpair.
3. Tap **Forget**.

Receiving files using Bluetooth

HTC Desire 10 compact lets you receive various files with Bluetooth including photos, contact info, and documents such as PDFs.

Refer to the device's documentation for instructions on sending information over Bluetooth.

1. Turn Bluetooth on.

   See Turning Bluetooth on or off on page 108.

2. On the sending device, send one or more files to HTC Desire 10 compact.
3. If asked, accept the pairing request on HTC Desire 10 compact and on the sending device. You may also be prompted to enter the same passcode or confirm the auto-generated passcode on both devices.

   You'll then get a Bluetooth authorization request.

4. Tap **Pair**.
5. When HTC Desire 10 compact receives a file transfer request notification, slide the Notifications panel down, tap the incoming file notification, and then tap **Accept**.

6. When a file is transferred, a notification is displayed. Slide the Notifications panel down, and then tap the relevant notification.
7. Tap the received file to view it.

Common settings

Do not disturb mode

Use Do not disturb mode to reject calls, and silence audible alerts and notifications, but still keep a data connection available.

1. With two fingers, swipe down from the top of the screen to open Quick Settings.

2. Tap .
3. Tap **Total silence**, **Alarms only**, or **Priority only** depending on if you want to allow exceptions. When **Priority only** is selected, you can receive messages or calls from contacts in your exceptions list.
4. Tap **Until you turn this off** if you want to turn off Do not disturb by yourself or tap + or − to set the number of hours before Do not disturb turns off automatically.
5. Tap **Done** to activate it.

The Do not disturb icon will appear in the status bar.

When the screen is on, press VOLUME and then tap **End now** to turn off Do not disturb mode quickly.

When Do not disturb is on, the notification LED will not flash.

Allowing notifications and contacts to bypass Do not disturb mode

Add important contacts to an exceptions list so you can still receive their calls and messages even when Do not disturb mode is on.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Sound & notification**.
2. Tap **Do Not Disturb** > **Priority only allows**.
3. Tap the **On/Off** switch next to the items you wish to allow.
4. Tap **Messages** or **Calls** to select who can contact you.
5. Tap **On/Off** switch next to Repeat callers.

Setting a Do not disturb schedule

Schedule Do not disturb to turn on automatically and how long will it last. For example, you can set it to turn on during a weekly meeting.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Sound & notification**.
2. Tap **Do Not Disturb** > **Automatic rules**.
3. Tap **Add rule**.
4. Enter a name for the rule, and then select whether to base it on time or an event.

Rule	Settings
Time rule	▪ Set the days. ▪ Set the start and end times. ▪ Select a Do not disturb level.
Event rule	▪ Select a calendar you want to make the rule for. ▪ Set a condition for the type of reply. ▪ Select a Do not disturb level.

You can turn a schedule on or off by tapping the **On/Off** switch when viewing the details of the schedule.

Turning location services on or off

In order to find your location on HTC Desire 10 compact, you need to enable location sources.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Location**.
2. Tap the **On/Off** switch to turn location services on and off.
3. Tap **Mode** to select the location mode you want. For example, for a better estimate of your location, choose **High accuracy**. To save battery power, choose **Battery saving**.

Turning off a location source (for example GPS) means no applications on HTC Desire 10 compact will collect your location data through that location source. However, third party applications may collect — and HTC Desire 10 compact may continue to provide — location data through other sources, including through Wi-Fi and signal triangulation.

Touch sounds and vibration

Some people like the sound or vibration feedback they get when touching the screen, and some don't. You can turn on or off various types of touch sounds and vibration on HTC Desire 10 compact.

- Touch tones when tapping the phone dial pad
- Touch sounds when tapping onscreen items

- Screen lock sounds
- Vibration when pressing hardware buttons
- Touch sound and vibration when tapping the keyboard

Turning touch sounds and vibration on and off

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Sound & notification**.
2. Tap .
3. Under System, select the option you want to turn on or off.

Turning off keyboard sounds and vibration

1. From the Home screen, tap , and then find and tap **Settings**.
2. Tap **Language & input** > **TouchPal** > **General settings**.
3. On the General settings screen, do one of the following:
   - Tap **Keypress sound**, clear **System Volume**, and then drag the slider all the way to the left to turn off keyboard sounds.
   - Tap **Keypress vibration**, clear **System default**, and then drag the slider all the way to the left to turn off keyboard vibration.
4. Tap **OK**.

Setting when to turn off the screen

After a period of inactivity, the screen turns off to conserve battery power. You can set the idle time before the screen turns off.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Display**.
2. Tap **Sleep**, and then tap the time before the screen turns off.

Changing the display language

Changing the language adjusts the keyboard layout, date and time formatting, and more.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Language & input**.
2. Tap **Language**, and then choose the language you want to use.

Airplane mode

When you enable Airplane (Flight) mode, all wireless radios on HTC Desire 10 compact are turned off, including the call function, data services, Bluetooth, and Wi-Fi.

When you disable Airplane mode, the call function is turned back on and the previous state of Bluetooth and Wi-Fi is restored.

- You can manually turn Bluetooth and Wi-Fi back on after enabling Airplane mode.
- If USB tethering is turned on, enabling Airplane mode turns it off. You need to manually turn USB tethering on after you disable Airplane mode.

With two fingers, swipe down from the status bar to open the Quick Settings panel. Tap the **Airplane mode** tile to turn airplane mode on or off.

When enabled, the Airplane mode icon is displayed in the status bar.

Screen brightness

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Display**.
2. Tap **Brightness level**.
3. With the **Adaptive brightness** turned on, drag the slider to set the maximum brightness level. This sets a limit on how bright the screen will be when **Adaptive brightness** is enabled.
4. To set the brightness manually, clear the **Adaptive brightness** option, and then drag the brightness slider to the left to decrease or to the right to increase the screen brightness.

Automatic screen rotation

Automatic rotation is not supported in all applications.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Accessibility**.
2. Select or clear the **Auto-rotate screen** option to turn it on or off.

Installing a digital certificate

Use client and Certificate Authority (CA) digital certificates to enable HTC Desire 10 compact to access VPN or secured Wi-FI networks, and also to provide authentication to online secure servers. You can get a certificate from your system administrator or download it from sites that require authentication.

- You must set a lock screen PIN or password before installing a digital certificate.
- Some apps such as your browser or email client let you install certificates directly in the app. See the app's help for details.

1. Save the certificate file in the root folder on HTC Desire 10 compact.
2. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Security**.
3. Tap **Install from SD card**.
4. Browse to the certificate and select it.
5. Enter a name for the certificate and select how it will be used.
6. Tap **OK**.

Security settings

Assigning a PIN to the micro SIM or nano SIM card

You can help to protect the micro SIM or nano SIM card by assigning a Personal Identification Number (PIN).

Make sure you have the default PIN provided by your mobile operator before continuing.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Security**.
2. Tap **Set up SIM card lock**.
3. Switch to the tab of the card you want to assign a new PIN to.
4. Turn on the Lock SIM card **On/Off** switch, enter the default PIN of the card, and then tap **OK**.
5. To change the card PIN, tap **Change SIM PIN**.

Restoring a micro SIM or nano SIM card that has been locked out

If you enter the wrong PIN more times than the maximum number of attempts allowed, the card will become "PUK-locked."

You need a Pin Unlock Key (PUK) code to restore access to HTC Desire 10 compact. Contact your mobile operator for this code.

1. On the Phone dialer screen, enter the PUK code, and then tap **Next**.
2. Enter the new PIN you want to use, and then tap **Next**.
3. Enter the new PIN again, and then tap **OK**.

Setting a screen lock

Help protect your personal information and help prevent others from using HTC Desire 10 compact without your permission.

Choose to set a screen lock pattern, numeric PIN, or other means of locking your phone. You'll be asked to unlock the screen every time HTC Desire 10 compact is turned on or when it's idle for a certain period of time.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Security**.
2. Tap **Screen lock**.

3. Select a screen lock option and set up the screen lock.
4. Tap **Automatically lock**, then specify the idle time before the screen is locked.

You can also clear **Make pattern visible** or **Make passwords visible** if you don't want your screen lock to display as you enter it onscreen.

Setting up Smart Lock

Set up your phone to detect your face or another trusted device before you can unlock the screen.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Security**.
2. Tap **Screen lock**, and then select and set up a screen lock.

   This will be your backup screen lock method.
3. On the Security screen, tap **Smart Lock**.
4. Confirm your screen lock.
5. Choose what you want your phone to detect before it unlocks.
6. Follow the onscreen instructions, and then press to return to the Security screen.
7. Tap **Automatically lock**, and then specify the idle time before the screen is locked.

To help make Smart Lock more reliable and more secure, you can train HTC Desire 10 compact to recognize your face in different situations, such as when you're wearing glasses or sporting a beard.

Tap **Smart Lock**, confirm your screen lock, then tap **Trusted face** > **Improve face matching**. Follow the onscreen instructions.

Turning the lock screen off

Rather not have to unlock your phone every time you wake it up? You can turn the lock screen off in Settings.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Security**.
2. Tap **Screen lock** > **None**.

To turn the lock screen on again, in Security settings, tap **Screen lock** > **Swipe**.

Accessibility settings

Accessibility settings

Use these settings to turn accessibility functions or services on or off. When you've downloaded and installed an accessibility tool, such as a screen reader that provides voice feedback, you can also control them using these settings.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Accessibility**.
2. Tap or select the settings you want.

Navigating HTC Desire 10 compact with TalkBack

Use TalkBack if you need to navigate HTC Desire 10 compact by spoken feedback. When you touch the screen, HTC Desire 10 compact vibrates and gives you an audible response so you know what you are touching.

Not all languages are supported.

Turning TalkBack on

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Accessibility**.
2. Tap **TalkBack**, and then tap the **On/Off** switch.
3. Read the TalkBack disclaimer and then tap **OK**.

A short tutorial explaining how to use TalkBack will begin playing after you turn on TalkBack.

TalkBack works best if you turn off automatic screen rotation.

Turning Explore by touch on or off

Explore by touch allows HTC Desire 10 compact to respond to shortcut gestures and screen touches with audible feedback. Explore by touch is enabled when you turn on TalkBack.

1. From the Home screen, tap > **Settings** > **Accessibility**.
2. Tap **TalkBack**, and then tap **Settings**.
3. Under Touch exploration, tap the **On/Off** switch next to **Explore by touch** to turn the feature on or off.

When Explore by touch is disabled, HTC Desire 10 compact will no longer respond to shortcut gestures or speak items when you touch the screen.

Using TalkBack gestures

When TalkBack is turned on and the Explore by touch setting is selected, the regular touch gestures are replaced by the TalkBack gestures.

Do one of the following:

Open an item	1. Drag your finger on the screen to find and select the item. 2. Double-tap anywhere on the screen to open the item.
Move an item	1. Drag your finger on the screen to find the item. 2. Double-tap anywhere on the screen, but don't lift your finger on the second tap. 3. Drag the item to a new spot and then lift your finger.
Scroll through a screen	Use two fingers to swipe up, down, left or right.
Unlock the lock screen	Use two fingers to swipe up from the bottom of the screen.
Open the Notifications panel	Use two fingers to swipe down from the top of the screen.

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