Scan a QR code with your iPhone, iPad or iPod touch

Learn how to use the built-in camera on your iPhone, iPad or iPod touch to scan a Quick Response (QR) code.

QR codes give you quick access to websites without having to type or remember a web address. You can use the Camera app on your iPhone, iPad or iPod touch to scan a QR code.

How to scan a QR code

1. Open the Camera app from the Home screen, Control Centre, or Lock screen.

2. Select the rear facing camera. Hold your device so that the QR code appears in the viewfinder in the Camera app. Your device recognises the QR code and shows a notification.

3. Tap the notification to open the link associated with the QR code.