

How to control iTunes with your iPhone or iPod Touch

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One of the great new features of the 2.0 iPhone/iPod Touch software is the App Store. One of the great (free) things in the App Store, is [Remote](#). This tutorial will guide you through downloading, installing, setting up and using Remote to control iTunes from your iPhone and/or iPod Touch.



1. Head over to the [Remote](#) page, and click on the **Download on iTunes now** link.
2. iTunes will launch (if it isn't open already) and open the App Store section for Remote. Click the **GET APP** button.



3. The App will download, and then you'll be able to find it in your **Applications** section of iTunes.



4. Now sync your iPod Touch/iPhone and the Remote application will install.



5. Click **Remote** from your iPod Touch/iPhone springboard. Then select **Add Library**.



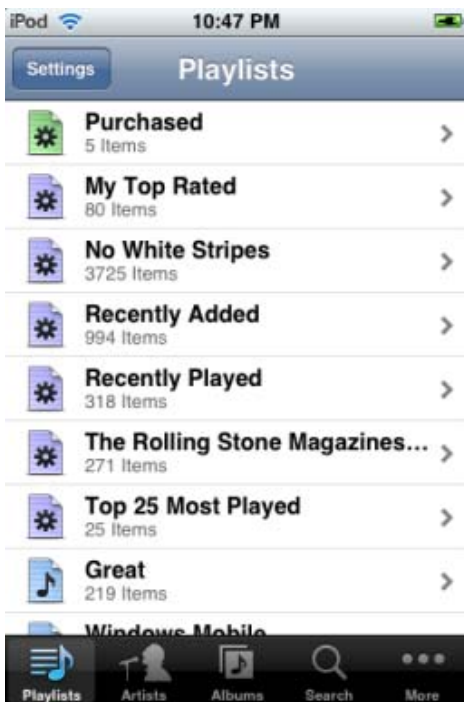
6. Make note of the 4 digit pass code.



7. Back in iTunes, select **Your Name's iPod** (or iPhone) from the devices list. Note that you're actually selecting the **Remote** item in your devices list (see screenshot below), not your actual iPod/iPhone. Enter your 4 digit pass code in the space provided.



8. Your iPhone or iPod Touch will recognize the iTunes library immediately, and now you can control iTunes using your device. **NOTE:** your iPhone/iPod Touch must be using WiFi connected to the same network as your Mac/PC with iTunes. This will not work if your iPhone is using 3G.



9. Select a song, and iTunes will start playing it. On your iPod Touch/iPhone you can pause that song, skip to the next, increase the volume etc. It can now completely control iTunes.

