

USEFUL ACCESSORIES

Here is a list of accessories that you might find helpful when using your smartphone.

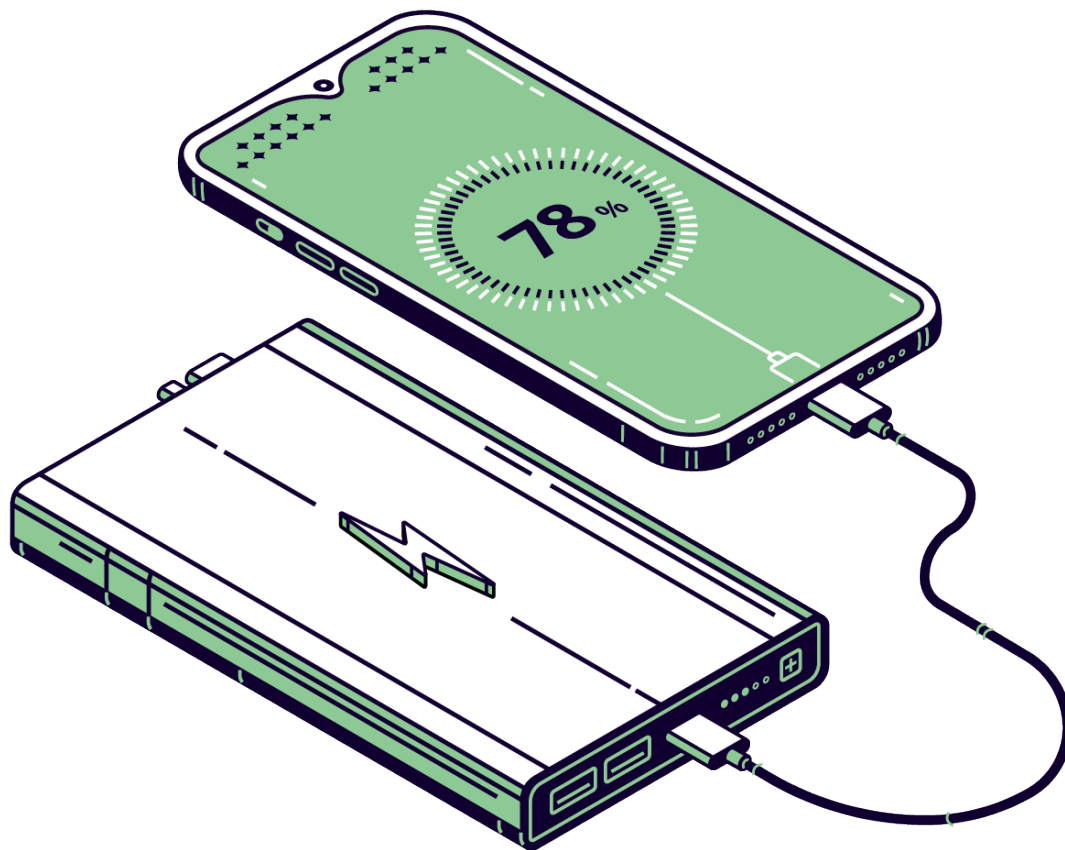


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Portable Power Bank



It is always helpful and useful to be able to charge up your smartphone. When your phone battery is depleting, use a portable power bank to charge it conveniently.

This will ensure that your usage of smartphone and apps will not be disrupted. For instance, when you are using the smartphone for something important, such as guiding you via GPS, or accessing some important print information and so on.

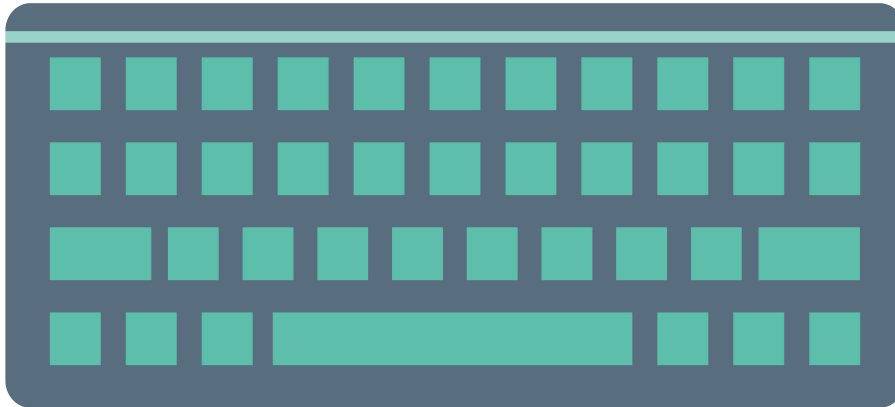
Earphones or Headset



When using Talkback or VoiceOver with your phone, it helps to have earphones or headset (either wired or Bluetooth).

It is useful when you are in circumstances when you don't want to disturb others while using the screen readers; or when you are in a noisy environment.

Keyboard



A keyboard is handy when you are typing long messages or passages on your smartphone. Most PVI have found it easier and faster to type using a keyboard rather than using the touch keypad on the smartphone.

You can choose to pair your smartphone with a wireless keyboard via Bluetooth or adaptor for USB; or with a wired keyboard.

About Us

[Smartphone Training for PVI](#) is a co-designed web-based toolkit provides training and learning support on the use of smartphones and apps for people with vision impairment (PVI). It is a basic training guide for PVI, trainers (professionals who guide PVI to learn how to use smartphones), and family/support person (including friends and caregivers).

This toolkit has been co-designed with PVI. Our team includes [researchers and a group of trainers and clients](#) with lived experience from [Guide Dogs Singapore](#).

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