

Design Highlights

Find out how this year's updates make it even easier to design great apps and games that integrate seamlessly with Apple platforms.

iOS and iPadOS are more customizable than ever

- Controls in iOS and iPadOS provide quick access to a feature of your app from Control Center, the Lock Screen, or the Action button.
- App icons and widgets can have new appearances and appear light, dark, or with a tint. Visit the Human Interface Guidelines (HIG) to find out more.
- The redesigned iPad tab bar floats at the top of your app and makes it easy for people to jump to their favorite tabs.

Designing for games

The HIG can help your games look and feel great on Apple devices with best practices for onboarding, inputs, and accessibility.



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