

## To use Google Home (GH), you will need:

- An Android or iOS tablet or smartphone which is set up for English and which supports a 5Ghz wifi connection
- A secure 5Ghz wifi network – most wifi routers and mobile devices sold in recent years support the 5Ghz band.  
Note: you cannot set up GH on the Library's wifi network.
- The Google Home app
- A Google account

## Directions

1. Plug the included power cord into the bottom of the GH and connect it to a power outlet.
2. Listen and follow the set-up prompts from the GH (see the reverse side of this sheet for links that will help you set up Google Home).

*The main prompts are:*

- Download the **Google Home app** on your smartphone or mobile device.
- Connect the GH to your **Wi-Fi network** and enter your password.
- Sign-in to your **Google account**.
- Set-up will ask you to enable **Location** for more accurate news, weather, and traffic information.

**Important Note:** Before returning GH to the Library, plug it in and reset it **to factory settings** to clear all your data:

Lightly press and hold the microphone mute button on the back of the GH for about 15 seconds. When you hear the chime, release it.

Wait about 90 seconds. You're done when you hear the GH say:

*"Welcome to Google Home. To get started, download the Google Home app on a phone or tablet."*

**Visit the Google Home Help Center for assistance:**

<https://support.google.com/googlehome>



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Sample commands



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## Helpful Links

