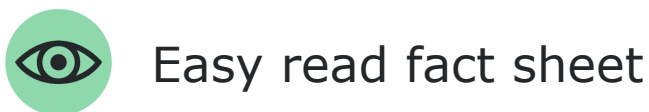


## How to stream from a PlayStation 4



**This fact sheet will tell you how to:**



1. Make a Twitch account.



2. Download Twitch.



3. Connect your PlayStation 4.



4. Start streaming.



Streaming is where people can watch you play a game online.



You can raise money for SeeAbility by streaming a game.

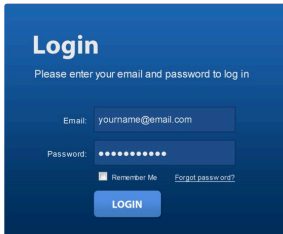


This guide is for streaming on a PlayStation 4 (PS4)



You might find it easier to print out this guide.

# 1. Make a Twitch account

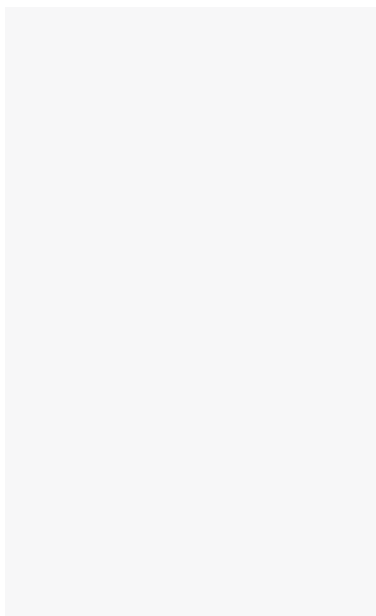



You will need to make a Twitch account so you can stream.



You make a Twitch account at this website link:

[www.twitch.tv/signup](http://www.twitch.tv/signup)



 **Join Twitch today**

[Log In](#) [Sign Up](#)

Creating an account allows you to participate in chat, follow your favorite channels, and broadcast from your own channel.

**Username**

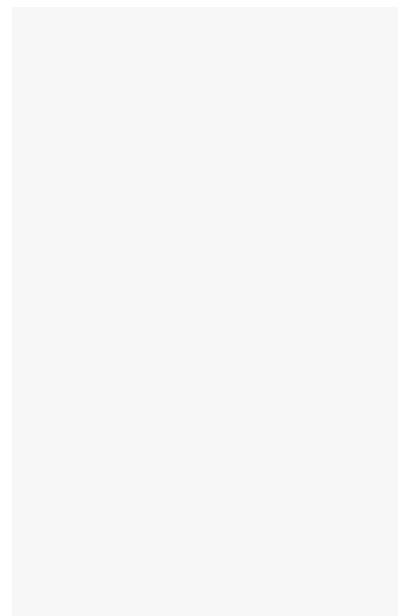
**Password**

**Confirm Password**

**Date of Birth**  
Day:  Month:  Year:

**Phone Number** (Requires Verification)  
United Kingdom +44

Use email instead



Username

This is the name people will know you by on Twitch. You can always change it later.

Type in a username.

This will be the name people see on Twitch.

Password

Type in a password.

You will need to remember this password.

Confirm Password

Confirm your password by typing it in again.

Date of Birth

Put in your date of birth.

Phone Number (Requires Verification)

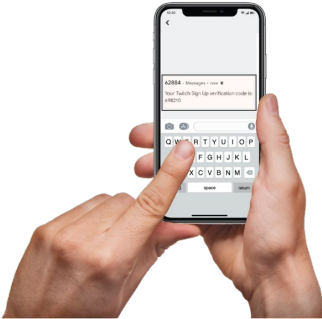
 

Type in a mobile phone number.

It needs to be a phone you have near you.

Sign Up

Click the 'sign up' button.



Twitch will send a text message to your phone with a number in.

#### Verify phone number

##### Enter your verification code

We sent a 6-digit code to +44 7496 188090.  
Confirm it belongs to you to keep your account secure.

[Resend code](#)

[Update email? Go to settings](#)

Twitch may use your phone number to call or send text messages with information regarding your account.

Type in the number sent to you in the text from Twitch.

#### Account Verification



**You're All Set!**

Thanks for helping keep Twitch safe and fun for everybody!

Press the 'done' button.

This means you have made an account.

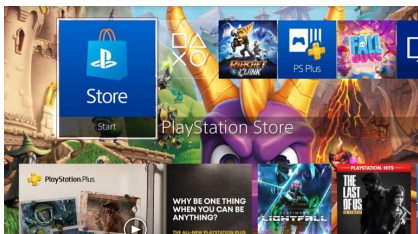


Make sure you keep your username and password safe.

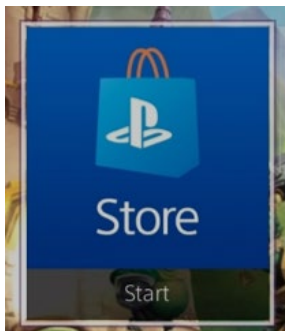
# Downloading Twitch on to your PlayStation 4



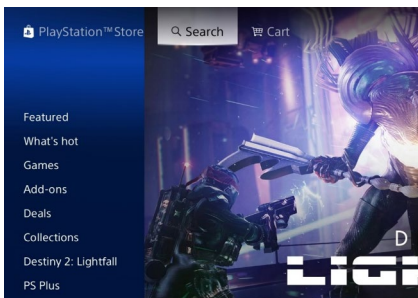
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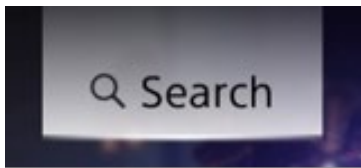
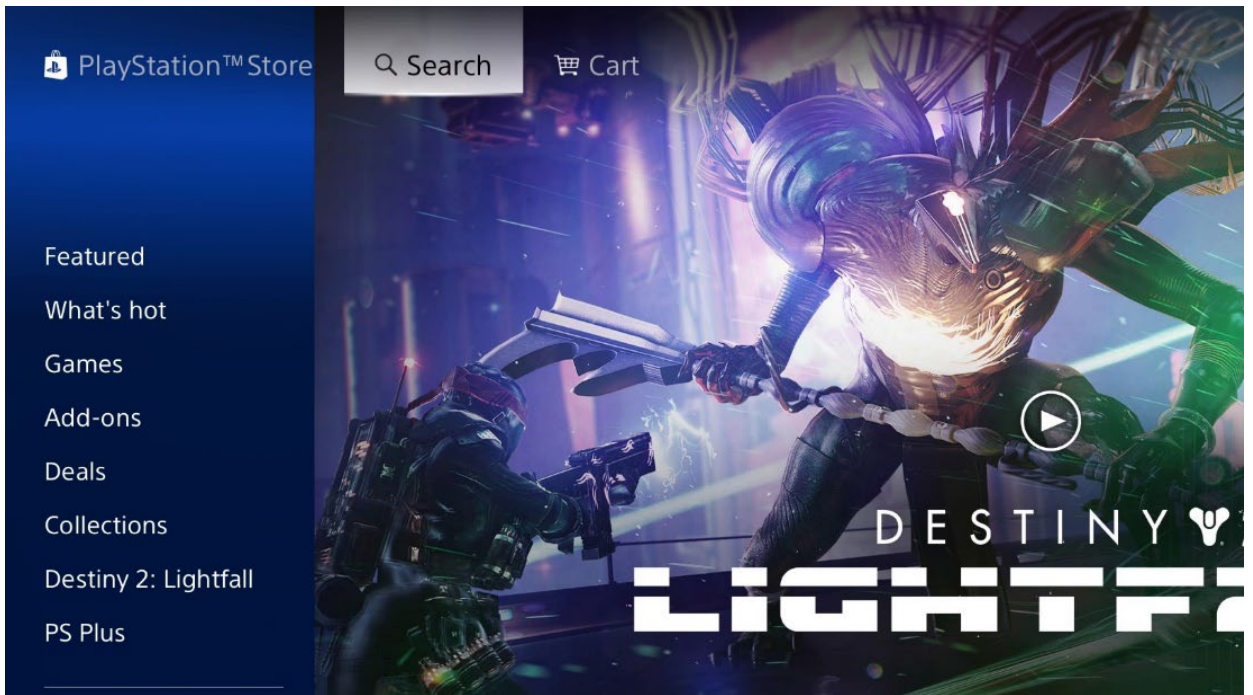
Go to the main menu on your PS4.



Select the PlayStation Store.



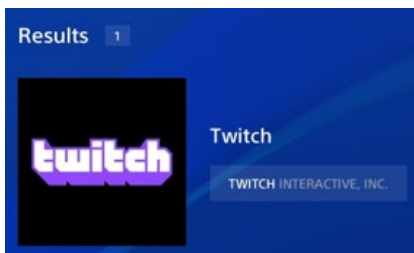
The PlayStation Store will now open.



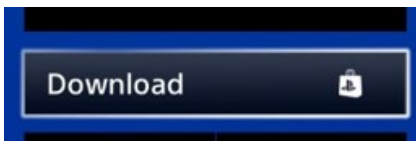
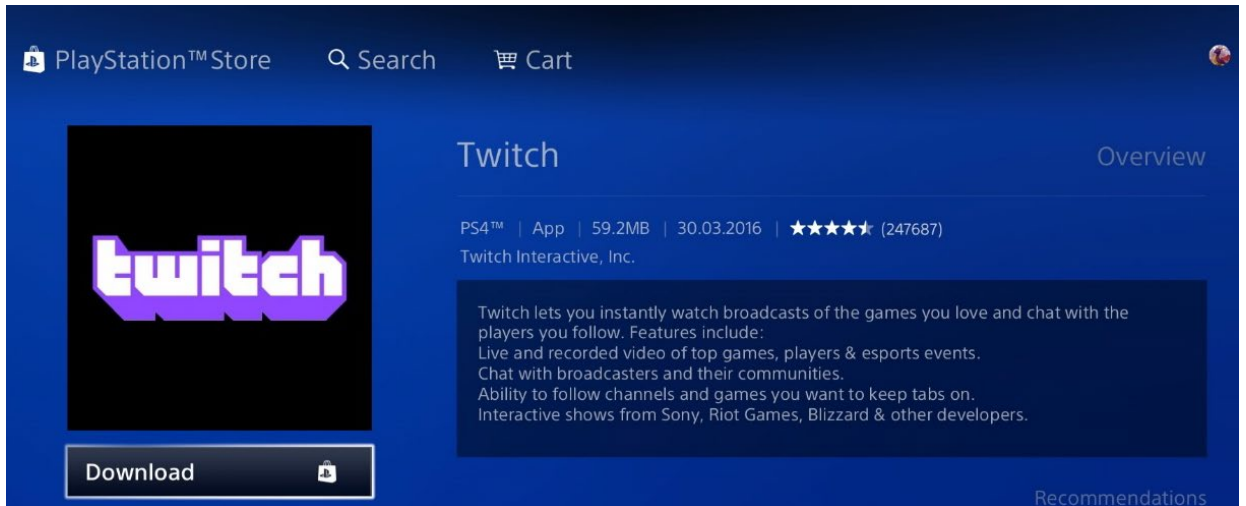
Select the 'Search' button at the top of the screen.



You will now see a keyboard.  
Type in 'Twitch'.



Select the Twitch icon from the 'Results' column.



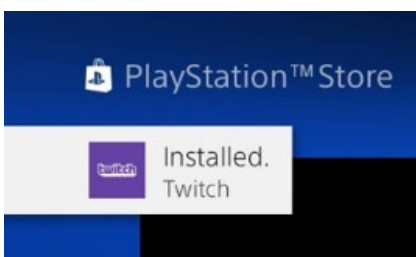
Select the 'Download' button.



This will start downloading Twitch on to your PS4.



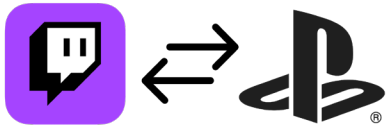
This might take a few minutes.



Once it has finished downloading, it will say 'Installed Twitch'.



# Linking your PS4 to your Twitch account



You will now need to link your Twitch account to your PS4.

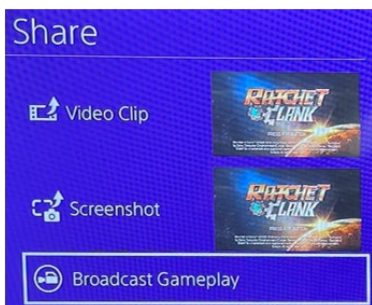


Open the game you want to stream on your PS4.

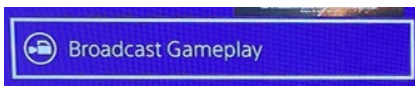
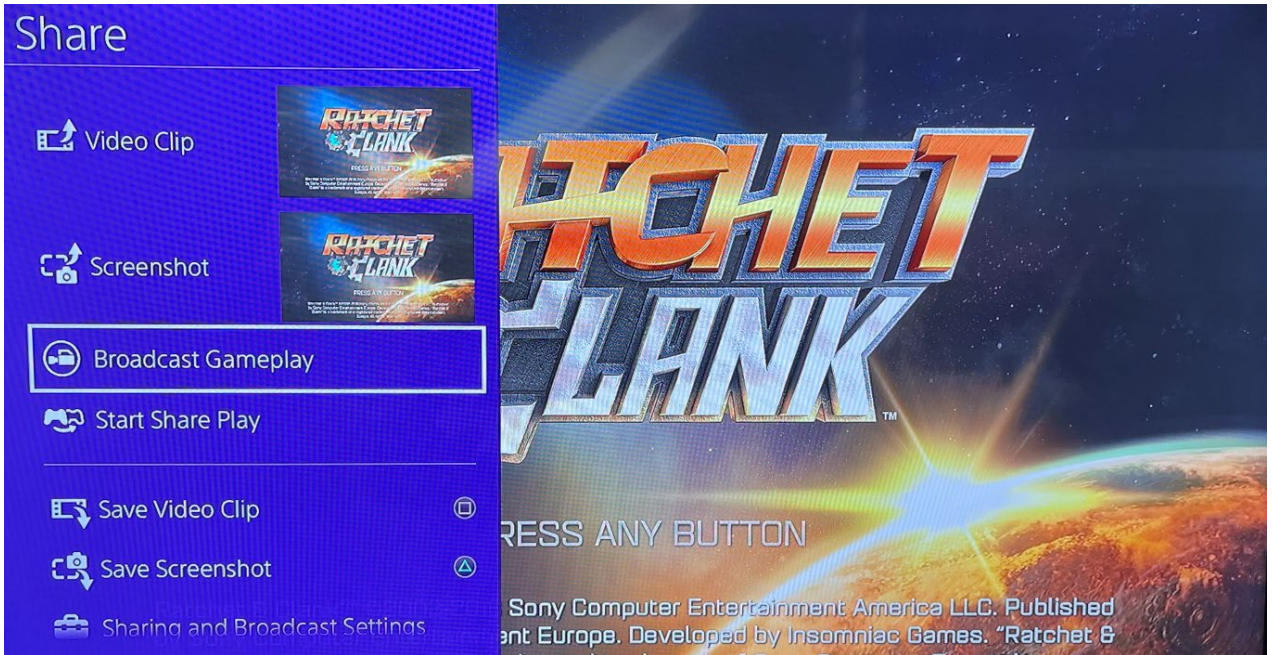


Press the 'Share' button on your PS4 controller.

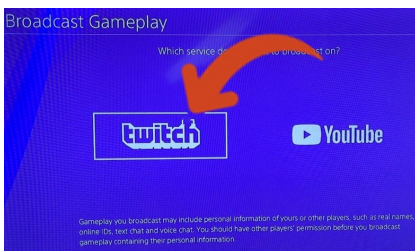
It is on the left-hand side.



The 'Share' screen will now open.



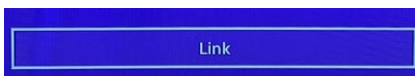
Select 'Broadcast Gameplay'.



Select the Twitch button.



The 'Link your Account to Twitch' screen will open.



Select the 'Link' button.

# Link your Account to Twitch

- 1 Head to: <https://www.twitch.tv/activate> on a mobile device or computer, or simply scan the QR code and follow the instructions.



- 2 Enter the code below on your mobile device or computer. You'll soon be directed to the next page on your PS4.

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You will need your mobile phone or computer.



[Return To Twitch](#)

## Activate Your Device

Enter the code given to you by your device to link it to your Twitch account.

[Activate](#)

Open the website

[www.twitch.tv/activate](https://www.twitch.tv/activate)

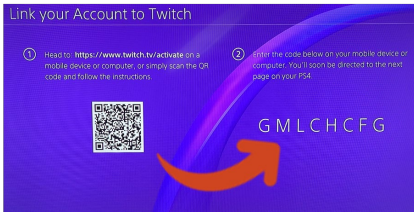
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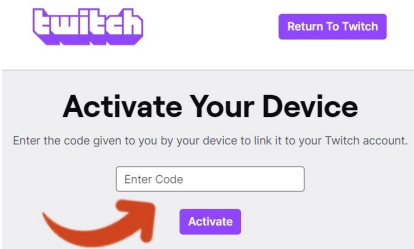


Or you can use your phone to scan the code on your PS4.

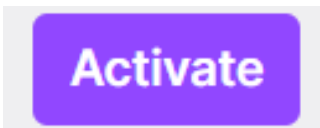
This will take you to the same website.



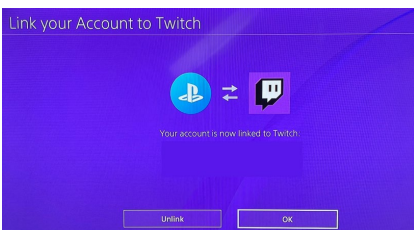
Get the code from your PS4.



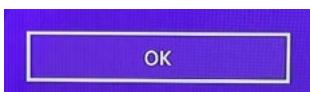
Enter the code on the Twitch website.



Select the 'Activate' button.



Now your Twitch account will be linked to your PS4.



Click the 'OK' button.

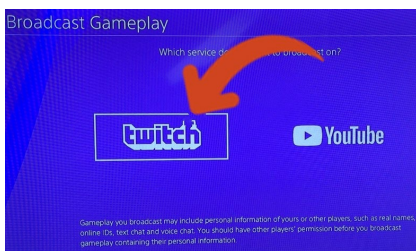
# Streaming your game



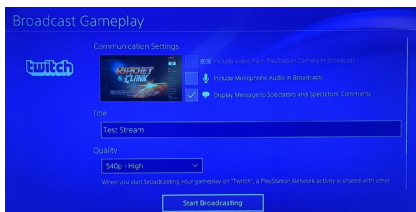
Go back to the game you opened earlier on your PS4.



Press the 'Share' button on your controller.





Select the 'Twitch' button.



This will bring up the 'Broadcast Gameplay' screen.

# Broadcast Gameplay

Communication Settings



- Include Video from PlayStation Camera in Broadcast
- Include Microphone Audio in Broadcasts
- Display Message to Spectators and Spectators' Comments

Title

Test Stream

Quality

540p - High

When you start broadcasting your gameplay on "Twitch", a PlayStation Network activity is shared with other

Start Broadcasting



You can choose if people can hear you or see you while you play your game.



If you want people to see you, click on 'Include Video From PlayStation Camera In Broadcast'.



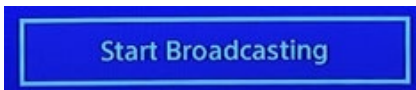
If you want people to hear you, click on 'Include Microphone Audio in Broadcasts'.

You will need a microphone to do this.

You can add a title for your stream.



You could put 'SeeAbility Fundraiser – Game for Change'.



When you are ready, select the 'Start Broadcasting' button.



You are now streaming your game!



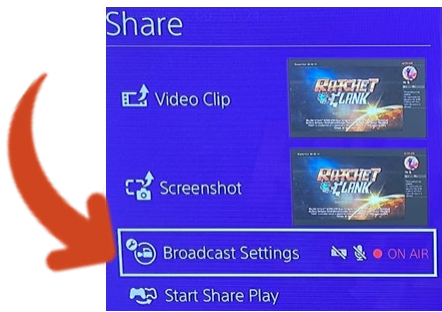
You should see red writing in the top right that says 'On Air'. This means you are streaming.



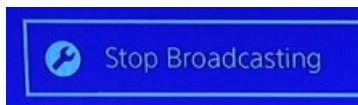
Remember if you turned on your camera or microphone, people can now see or hear you.



To stop streaming, press the 'Share' button on your controller.



Select 'Broadcast Settings'.



Select 'Stop Broadcasting' to end the stream.







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