How to Connect Cricut Maker Bluetooth: All Devices Covered!

If you are a beginner who has just bought a new Cricut cutting machine and wants to use it, then you must know <u>how to connect Cricut</u> <u>Maker Bluetooth</u>. Connecting your machine to your device is necessary to start making your crafting projects. To make the connection, you need a mobile phone or computer. You can connect it to your machine using Bluetooth or USB, but today, I will talk about wireless Bluetooth connection in particular. Keep reading the blog to learn how to connect your device to your machine.

Cricut machines can be paired with 4 various devices that are Android, iOS, Windows, and Mac. Here, I am going to discuss connecting all four devices to your machine. You will be able to connect whichever device you are using to your machine.

How to Connect Cricut Maker Bluetooth to Windows?

To connect your cutting machine via Bluetooth, you need a device. A Windows desktop or laptop is a great option. Just remember that your computer needs to be either Windows 10 or newer. Apart from that, the computer needs some other features. Once you make sure that the computer is compatible with your machine, you can continue connecting the machine to your PC.

- 1. First, you must turn on your machine. To do that, you have to press the **power** button and hold it for a few seconds.
- 2. Then, make sure that you have put the machine within 10−15 feet of the device.
- 3. Once you have turned on the machine, you should move to your computer and check whether it is Bluetooth-enabled or not. To do that, go to **Device Manager** on your computer.



Now, check to see if Bluetooth is listed on the computer. If it is, your computer is enabled to use Bluetooth. If it isn't, you will have to purchase an external Bluetooth dongle.

- 1. After checking Bluetooth inability, close the **Device Manager** and open **Settings** from the **Start menu**.
- Next, open the Devices option, turn on Bluetooth, and click Add Bluetooth or other device.

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After that, select the Bluetooth option.

- You need to wait until the device searches for the machine model. When you see it among other devices, you have to select it.
- 2. If the computer prompts, type **0000** as the PIN and select **Connect**.
- 3. Your crafting machine is now connected to your Windows computer.

How to Connect Cricut Maker Bluetooth to Mac?

If you have a Mac instead of a Windows PC, you can also use this one with your machine. The computer is compatible with the Design Space app, and you can easily connect it to your cutting machine. Before connecting a computer, you just need to make sure that it is running macOS 11 or later and has other required features.

This is how you can connect the crafting machine to a Mac system:

- Add your machine to an electric socket and then press the **power** button.
- 2. Next, keep the device and the machine in the range of 10-15 ft.
- 3. Then, open your desktop computer and go to the **Apple menu**.
- Now, move to System Preferences and open the Bluetooth option.

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Once you open Bluetooth, turn it on and look for your machine model.

- 1. Also, when the machine appears, tap on it.
- 2. If the computer asks you for a PIN, type **0000** and then select **Pair**.
- 3. Your pairing process for the machine and Mac is complete.

How to Connect Cricut Maker Bluetooth to Android?

You can also use a smartphone with your machine. Cricut is a versatile tool that works on both phones and desktops. You can connect an Android or iOS phone to your cutting machine and work with it. This is how you will have to connect your Android to the machine.

- 1. Start by turning on the machine and then keeping it within 10–15 feet of the phone.
- 2. Then, open **Settings** and go to Bluetooth.
- 3. Next, turn the Bluetooth on and search for your machine.
- 4. Now, click on the model when you see it.
- 5. Finally, your machine is paired with your Android phone.

How to Connect Cricut Maker Bluetooth to iOS?

To connect your machine to an iPhone, you have to follow these steps.

- Initiate by enabling the machine to connect by pressing the **power** button and then putting it within 10–15 feet of your iPhone.
- 2. After that, go to the Bluetooth setting on your phone and turn the Bluetooth on.
- 3. Again, search for the machine's name, and when you find it, tap on it.

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If prompted, you will need to enter the password - **0000**.

1. In the last step, the pairing procedure will be complete.

Conclusion

I hope you read the blog till the end, and I am sure you have learned <u>how</u> <u>to connect Cricut Maker to Bluetooth</u>. Connecting your machine to your device is essential to start making crafts. Only after you connect the machine to your operating system will you be able to create projects on the Design Space software and cut unique designs on your machine. You have two options for connecting Cricut to your machine either using Bluetooth or USB. In this blog, I only talked about Bluetooth connection.

FAQs

How Can I Fix My Cricut Connection via Bluetooth?

If you are having connection problems while connecting your machine to any device via Bluetooth, you should make sure of a few things. First, you must check whether you have turned on Bluetooth on your device. You should also check and ensure that your machine is connected to a wall socket properly and is available for the connection. Lastly, check that the machine does not exceed the permitted distance of 10–15 feet. In that case, you will have to bring them closer.

Does Cricut Maker Have Built-in Bluetooth for Connection?

Yes, it does have. Although this machine is a first-generation crafting model, it is enabled with built-in Bluetooth. Hence, you will not need an external Bluetooth adapter to connect the machine to a Bluetooth device. You can simply turn on the machine, and it will be available for the connection on your device. You have to go to Bluetooth settings on your device and select the machine's name. And your wireless connection will be done.

Does Cricut Maker Need a Wi-Fi Connection?

The answer depends on what you want Wi-Fi for. For example, if you want to know whether you need Wi-Fi to connect your machine to your device, then the answer is no; it does not need Wi-Fi. But if you want to use Wi-Fi for the internet connection, you can use it to download the Design Space app and work on your craft projects. However, you don't necessarily need Wi-Fi for your machine.

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