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Seven iPhone settings to change before you use it for work

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- ☐ **Turn on Stolen Device Protection.** Settings > Face ID & Passcode > Stolen Device Protection, before the phone is ever lost.
 - ☐ **Switch to a custom passcode.** Settings > Face ID & Passcode > Change Passcode > Passcode Options, then choose Custom Alphanumeric Code or Custom Numeric Code.
 - ☐ **Shorten Auto-Lock.** Settings > Display & Brightness > Auto-Lock, so an unattended phone locks itself quickly.
 - ☐ **Turn on Find My iPhone and Send Last Location.** Settings > your name > Find My > Find My iPhone, with Find My network on too.
 - ☐ **Turn on automatic updates.** Settings > General > Software Update > Automatic Updates > Automatically Install.
 - ☐ **Hide Lock Screen previews.** Settings > Notifications > Show Previews, set to When Unlocked or Never.
 - ☐ **Screen or silence unknown callers.** Settings > Apps > Phone, choose Ask Reason for Calling or Silence, and turn on Spam.
 - ☐ **Decide on Advanced Data Protection.** Settings > your name > iCloud > Advanced Data Protection. Set up a recovery contact or recovery key first, as Apple can't recover end-to-end encrypted iCloud data for you.
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