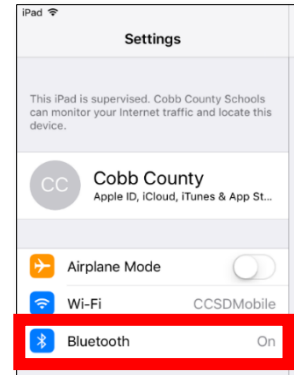# iPad Settings & Restrictions for iOS 11 or Earlier

These directions will explain how to set Instructional Technology's recommended settings and restrictions for iPads on iOS 11 or earlier.

1. Open the **Settings** app on the iPad.

2. In the left navigation bar, select **Bluetooth** and tap the switch to the **OFF** position.
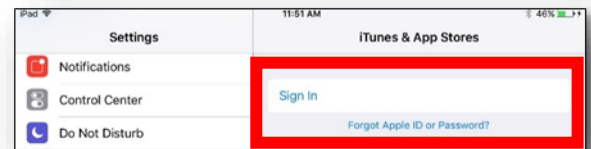   *Note: Turning off Bluetooth increases battery life.*
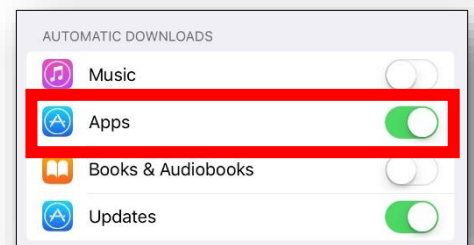
3. Scroll down the left navigation bar and select **iTunes & App Store**.
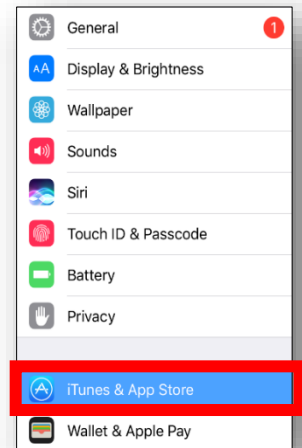
4. Sign in with the Apple ID and password assigned to the iPad.

5. In the **Automatic Downloads** section, tap the Apps switch to the **ON** position.

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6. In the left navigation bar, select **Display & Brightness**.

7. Tap **Auto-Lock** and choose the greatest amount of time.
   Note: Do NOT choose Never.
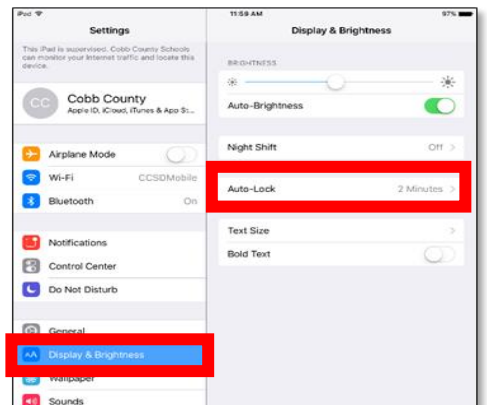
8. In the left navigation bar, tap **General**.

9. In the General pane, tap **Restrictions**.
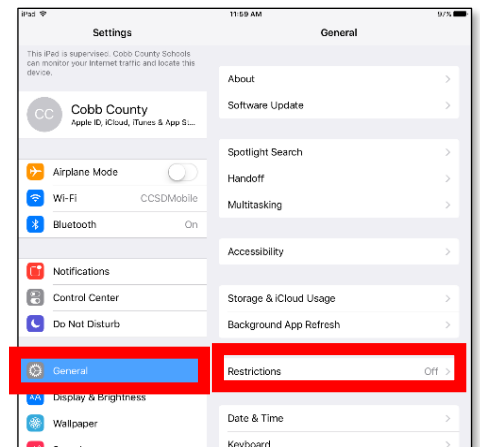
10. Tap **Enable Restrictions** at the top of the pane.
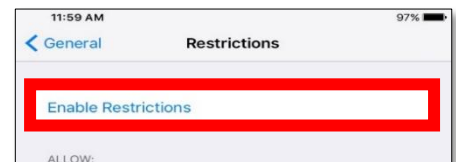
11. **Enable restrictions** by entering a 4-digit passcode twice.
    *Note: This passcode should be recorded along with the Apple ID
    information on the printed iPad Information Sheet for student iPads or
    a teacher iPad and submitted to the school administration or their designee.*

12. Tap the **Deleting Apps** switch to the **OFF** position.

13. Tap the **In-App Purchases** switch to the **OFF** position.

14. Scroll down to the **Allow Changes** section and select **Accounts**.

15. Select **Don't Allow Changes**.
    *Note: This will prevent students or others from changing the
    assigned Apple ID.*

16. Repeat all procedures for all the iPads using the
    assigned Apple ID.

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