

## Music & Audio Books

### Music

Listen:

- *"Alexa, play some music."*
- *"Alexa, play The Beatles"*
- *"Alexa, play country music"*
- *"Alexa, play Cat Scratch Fever"*
- *"Alexa, play the song of the day."*
- *"Alexa, play workout music"*
- *"Alexa, play that song with the lyrics [insert lyric]"*

Skip song: *"Alexa, next"*

Pause music: *"Alexa, pause"*

Stop music: *"Alexa, stop"*

Restart song: *"Alexa, restart."*

Change volume:

- *"Alexa, turn it up to eleven"*
- *"Alexa, lower the music"*

Change specific audio settings:

- *"Alexa, add more bass"*
- *"Alexa, less treble"*

Song information: *"Alexa, what's playing?"*

Set music alarm: *"Alexa, wake me up every day at 8 am to music"*

Set a sleep timer:

- *"Alexa set a sleep timer for 45 minutes"*
- *"Alexa, stop playing in 45 minutes."*

Control speakers:

- *"Alexa, play [artist] in the living room"*
- *"Alexa, play [artist] everywhere."*

Playlists

- Play Spotify music: *"Alexa, play [playlist] on Spotify."*
- Play Pandora station: *"Alexa, play [artist] station on Pandora."*
- Like or dislike a song on Pandora and iHeartRadio: *"Alexa, I like this song"* or *"Alexa, thumbs down."*
- Play a radio station: *"Alexa, play [radio station] on TuneIn"*
- Add a song to your Prime Music library: *"Alexa, add this song."*
- Add a song to a playlist in Amazon Music: *"Alexa, add this song to my playlist"* or *"Alexa, add this to my [playlist name] playlist."*
- Create a playlist in Amazon Music: *"Alexa, create a new playlist,"* or *"Alexa, create a 'Friday Chill' playlist."*
- Start Amazon Music Unlimited trial: *"Alexa, start my free trial of Amazon Music Unlimited."*

## Audio Books.

If you're into audio books, Audible is a great option that integrates well with Alexa. Below are some basic playback controls. (Alexa can also read back your Kindle books at no extra charge. However, it does so with Alexa's robotic text-to-speech voice.)

Listen

- *"Alexa, read [The Hobbit] from Audible"*
- *"Alexa, read my book" (plays your last books listened to)*
- *"Alexa, read [Tom Sawyer]"*

Pause: *"Alexa, pause"*

Resume: *"Alexa, resume"* or *"Alexa, play"*

Go back or forward:

- *"Alexa, go back"*
- *"Alexa, go forward"*
- *"Alexa, go back [45 seconds]"*
- *"Alexa, go forward [2 minutes]"*

Skip Chapter:

- *"Alexa, next chapter"*
- *"Alexa, previous chapter"*
- *"Alexa, go to chapter number [7]"*
- *"Alexa, go to last chapter"*
- *"Alexa, restart"*

Narration Speed:

- *"Alexa, read faster"*
- *"Alexa, read slower"*
- *"Alexa, read at normal speed"*

Set a sleep timer:

- *"Alexa, stop reading in [12 minutes]"*
- *"Alexa, set a [6 minute] sleep timer"*

Start Audible trial: *"Alexa, start an Audible trial"*

Buy a new book: *"Alexa, buy [Name of Book]"*

Choose Your Own Adventure fun: *"Alexa, open Choose Your Own Adventure."*

Take a quiz: *"Alexa, play Harry Potter quiz."*