

Charging your Tablet

Connect the cord from the power adapter to your Fire tablet **1 Charging Port** and plug the other end into an electrical outlet.



The **2 Battery Status** on the upper right screen will indicate the percentage of battery left on your device. The lightning image indicates that you battery is charging. Your battery should last days under normal use.

Starting Your Tablet

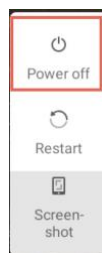
If you previously had been using your tablet and it has gone to sleep, tap the **3 Power Button** and an Amazon ad or Home screen should appear.

If your tablet was shut down, press and hold the **Power Button** for 5 seconds until you see the Amazon Logo on the screen.

Shut Down Your Tablet

For everyday use, just put your tablet to sleep by tapping the **3 Power Button**. Wake it by tapping again.

If you want to totally power off your tablet, press and hold the **3 Power Button** until you get a Power Off message on the screen. Tap the Power Off message.



Unlocking Your Tablet

The initial display on your tablet is often Amazon advertising which you should ignore.

From the ad screen, **4** swipe up from the bottom of the screen to access the tablet's **Home Screen** where app icons will appear. Continue on page 2 for using apps and functions from your tablet's **Home Screen**.

The Home Screen

The starting point for much of your time on your tablet is the Home Screen. The Home Screen is a touch screen where your primary action is to tap on the screen to navigate to run games or apps. Let's focus on finding your way around your home screen and essential tools you will need.

Apps ①

The main part of the Home Screen contains icons that you tap to launch the apps installed on your tablet. Some apps like Games are grouped together to help keep your Home screen organized. Open a folder by tapping on it to display the grouped apps.

The apps installed on the device are specially selected for older adults and include games, utilities and more.

The first app you should consider is the **Tech For Seniors Learning Center** app which provides video training for your tablet. Tap the icon to start your learning.



Search & Category Bar

Generally, you will tap **Home** ② on the Category Bar to display the Home Screen on your tablet. This gives you access to the apps and functions that have been selected for you.

Navigation Bar

The black bar at the bottom of the screen provides icons that you can use to navigate between different screens. If you do not see the Navigation Bar because you are in a full screen app, tap the center of the screen.

To go back to the Home Screen, tap the circle icon. ③

To return to the previous screen tap the left arrow. ④

To return to the previous app, tap the square on the right. ⑤

