Face ID and Passcode

With the removal of the Home button on the latest range of iPhones, the means of unlocking the phone is done through the use of Face ID. If this cannot be used for any reason, a passcode can be entered instead. To set up Face ID:

1. Select **Settings > Face ID & Passcode**

2. Tap once on the **Set Up Face ID** button

3. Position your face in the center of the circle that accesses the iPhone’s camera. Move your head slowly in a circle so that the camera can record all elements of your face

4. Tap once on the **Continue** button after the first scan. A second scan will be done to complete the process

5. Tap once on the **Done** button to finish the Face ID setup process

Face ID can also be used for contactless purchases for Apple Pay and purchases in the iTunes and App Store. Drag the buttons **On** as required under the **Use Face ID For:** heading in the **Face ID & Passcode** settings.

For older iPhones that have a physical Home button and run iOS 13, the Touch ID feature is used, rather than Face ID (**Settings > Touch ID and Passcode**).
Adding a passcode
If Face ID cannot be used to unlock the iPhone, a numerical passcode can be used instead. This has to be set up at the same time as creating a Face ID. To do this:

1. Select Settings > Face ID & Passcode

2. Tap once on the Turn Passcode On button

3. Enter a six-digit passcode. This can be used to unlock your iPhone from the Lock screen

4. Once a passcode has been created, tap once on the Require Passcode button in Step 2 to specify a time period until the passcode is required on the Lock screen. The best option is Immediately, otherwise someone else could access your iPhone.