Schonell App Instructions for Residents

Step 1:

Download the Schonell Interphone app



Step 2:

Create an account (free) with a valid email address Verify the activation email.

Sign in and your 8 digit **App ID** can be found on the last tab.



Step 3:

Submit your app ID or local telephone number to building management.

*The interphone system is able to call you on a regular telephone as well as the app. *The system will call your number in priority.

*It is recommended to submit a few an APP IDs and telephone numbers for each unit. *To unlock doors during a telephone call, press 1 on your keypad.

Your app ID must be registered onto the interphone panels by your property manager. If your App ID is not registered properly, you will not be able to receive a video call.

1. Check your iPhone's settings

Settings > Interphone App

Do make sure that your phone's settings are configured correcting

Settings Interphone	< Background App Refresh
ALLOW INTERPHONE TO ACCESS	Off
Microphone	Wi-Fi
Siri & Search	Wi-Fi & Cellular Data 🗸
Notifications > Banners, Sounds, Badges >	
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(11) Cellular Data	

2. Re-open the app; make sure that you are logged in

As a reminder, you may close the app, or keep it in the background, but DO NOT log out of it! Rebooting may result in killing your app service, and you may get logged out.

**microphone and other options may only pop up after your first successful call.

3. Reinstalling the app might help fix the issue

If you have the correct settings and it fails to work correctly, try deleting the app, and installing it as new. This might fix the issue that you are facing.

4. Latest App version and iPhone software

For best performance, get the latest app version the Apple Appstore.

5. Contact Us

If you still face issues, kindly contact our support team at www.schonell.co/contact or visit FAQ section: https://www.schonell.co/faq-app.html

Your app ID must be registered onto the interphone panels by your property manager. If your App ID is not registered properly, you will not be able to receive a video call.

1. General Android phone settings and permissions

Do make sure that your phone's settings are configured correctly, this varies with phone brand and android version

1. Enable Advanced **Notifications** (Badges, Sounds, Banners, "*Others- Schonell_call-* tap and enable all").

2. Make sure that **Microphone**, **Phone** and **Storage** are turned on.

3. Enable Data Usage for the app.

4. Make sure that "Appear On Top" or "Draw over other apps" is turned on or enabled.

5. Check that there are no apps that might be interfering in your phone's background. (Enable **Autostart**, Disable **Doze feature**).

- 6. Turn off **Battery Saving Restrictions** for the app.
- 7. Make sure that you are **Logged In** on your app.

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Restarting your phone may result in killing google services running in the background, and the app may not work correctly. You may need to relaunch the app when yourr phone restarts.

Common issue A: My phone rings but there is no pop up

This occurs because advanced notifications are not turned on. Kindly go to **Notifications> Other> schonell_call** Tap on **schonell_call** and enable the following sub settings (if any):



Common issue B: My phone is unable to receive calls after app is closed

This occurs because your phone is putting the app to sleep after you close the app due to battery saving functions by your phones manufacturer.

Depending on your device brand and android version,

you may need to **disable** the following for the Schonell Interphone app :

- 1. Battery optimization/ Power saving / Battery restrictions
- 2. Doze mode (Xiaomi, Huawei)

And enable

- 1. Autostart (Vivo, Xiaomi, Huawei, Oneplus)
- 2. Autolaunch/ Run in background (Vivo, Xiaomi, Huawei, Oneplus)
- 3. Background data usage
- 4. Enable high background battery consumption (Vivo)

- 2. Additional settings: Various phone manufacturers:
- 2a. Samsung Device Settings:



- 1. Settings> Schonell App> Battery Allow background activity
- Settings> Schonell App Enable other Notifications (Schonell_call), Camera, Microphone, Storage Appear on top
- Settings> Schonell App> Mobile Data Allow background data usage Allow app while data saver on
- 4. Settings> Device care> Battery > App power management Apps that wont be put to sleep> Add Schonell App

2b. Xiaomi

For this application to work properly, kindly enable "Auto Start" ,disable "Doze feature" and disable MIUI Battery Saver

Step 1: Enable Autostart feature for Schonell

- 1. Open the Security menu on your Xiaomi device
- 2. Tap Permissions
- 3. Tap *Autostart*
- 4. Enable Autostart for Schonell App

Step 2: Disable Doze feature for Schonell

- 1. Open the *Settings* menu on your Xiaomi device.
- 2. Tap Battery & performance from Settings
- 3. Tap *Manage apps battery usage* to save battery by turning off restricting background service of *Schonell*
- 4. Tap Choose apps from Manage apps' battery usage
- 5. Tap *Installed apps* and choose *Schonell*
- 6. Tap *No restrictions*. Please note that *Schonell* is no longer affected from the *Doze feature*

Step 3: Disable MIUI Battery Saver

Settings > Apps > Manage Apps > Schonell App > Battery Saver ("MIUI Battery Saver" Default), change to "**No restrictions**"

2c. Huawei

- Step 1: Open "phone manager"
- Step 2: Select battery
- Step 3: Select launch
- Step 4: Select manage batch manually
- Step 5: Enable all three options for "Schonell"

(Auto-launch, Secondary launch, Run in Background)



Launch	3
When enabled, identify specific apps and estrict unnecessary auto-launch, and us power saving measures.	l scenarios, e targeted
Manage batch manually	
Manage all automatically	
Schonell	
Manage manually	
Manage manually	
Auto-launch	
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Auto-launch Auto-launch in specific scenarios Secondary launch Can be launched by other apps Run in background	
Auto-launch Auto-launch in specific scenarios Secondary launch Can be launched by other apps Run in background Keep app running in background	

2d. Oppo

- Step 1: Open "Security Centre"
- Step 2: Select Privacy Premissions
- Step 3: Select Startup Manager
- Step 4: Enable autostart for Schonell



Kenergy Saver Schonell

Settings> Battery> Power Saving> OFF Settings> Battery> Energy Saver> OFF (background freeze, abnormal apps optimization, doze)

2e. OnePlus



Settings > Battery > Battery Optimization > All Apps > Schonell > Don't Optimize



Step 2: Turn off background restriction on OnePlus

Settings > Advanced > Recent App Management > Normal Clear > Lock Schonell in recent apps

OR

Settings > Utilities > App Locker > Add apps > Schonell

← Recent app management		
Normal clear Clears task list and cache without clearing background processes.	۲	
Deep clear Clears background processes, which may lead to unintended results. Some apps might stop working and may not receive	0	

2f. Google Pixel

Step 1: Turn off battery optimization on Google

Settings > Battery > Battery Optimization > All Apps > Schonell > **Don't Optimize**

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	All apps	~
•	Google VR Services Optimizing battery use	
8	Google Wallpaper Images Optimizing battery use	
8	HTML Viewer Optimizing battery use	
S	Schonell Not optimized	
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2g. Vivo

Step 1: Settings>Battery> High background power consumption> enable Schonell app

Step 2: Settings> Battery> Energy Saver> Schonell> Disable 'Background Freeze, Optimization & Doze'

Step 3: Settings>More settings>Permission management(Applications)
>Autostart> Schonell (Enable)