



# YouTube App



YouTube is a great resource! Below is a list of some of the most popular ways to use YouTube. What do you use YouTube for?

- Listening to music
- Watching shows and movie clips
- Live events
- Exercise classes
- How-to videos
- Recipes

**1** If you're using an iOS device (iPhone or iPad), you will first need to download the YouTube app from the App Store.  YouTube will already be installed on Android devices.

**2** Once the app has downloaded, you can tap the icon to open it. You may be asked to enter your username and password. Remember, these are the same that you use to sign into Gmail.

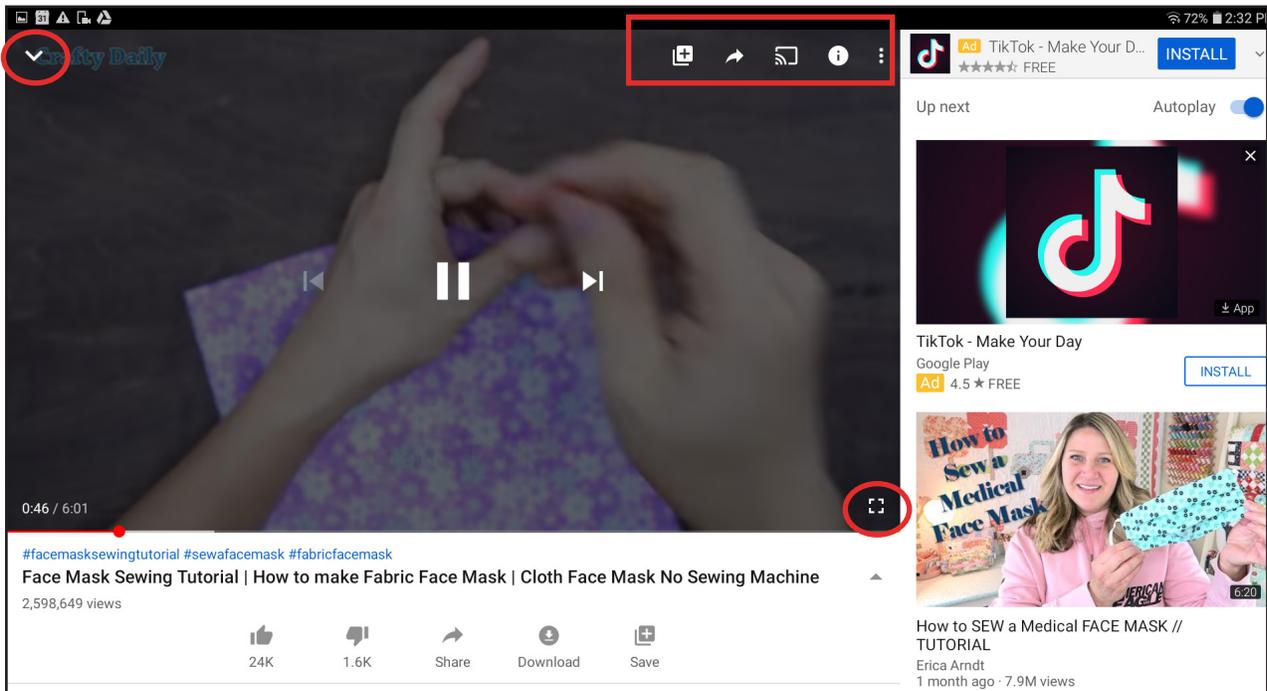
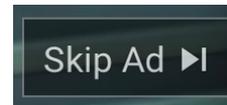
**3** Once the app opens, find the **Search bar** at the top of your screen. Type what you're looking for then tap **Search**.





# YouTube Controls

After you select the video you want to view, it will start playing after you watch a few ads. As soon as you see **Skip Ad**, tap it to start your video sooner.



- To make the video fill your entire screen, just tap the full-screen icon in the lower right-hand corner of the video player.



- To share the video, tap



- To add the video to a playlist, tap



- When you're done watching a video, tap the arrow key in the top, left-hand side of your screen.



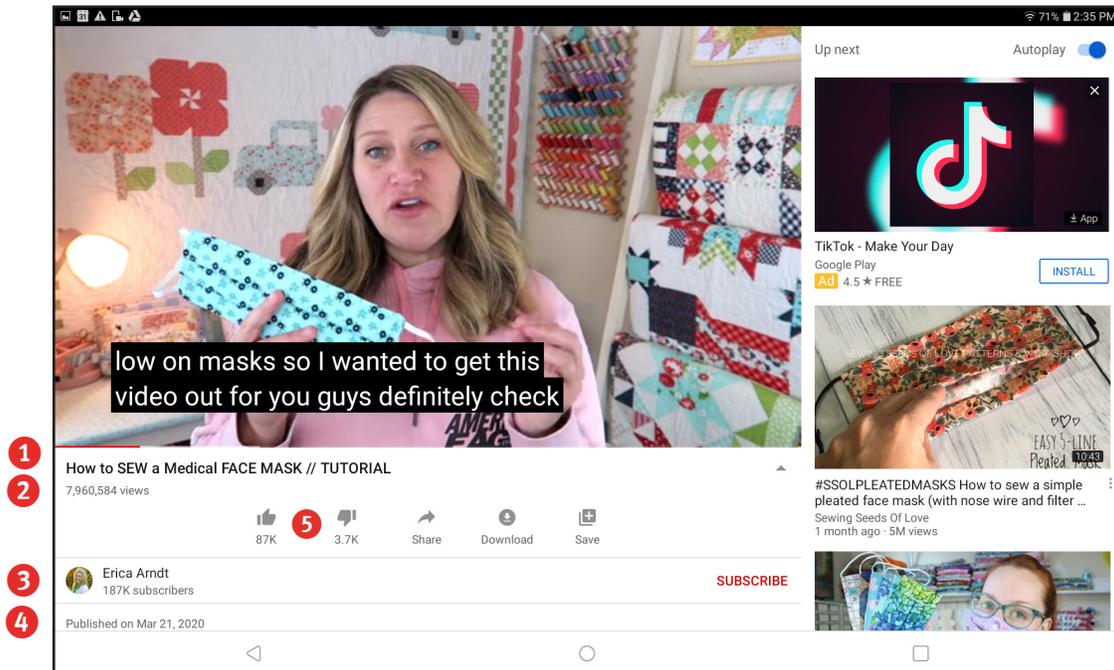
- You may see a thumbnail of the video in the bottom, right-hand corner of your screen. Tap **X** to close the video.





# Anatomy of a Video Page

You can find out all kinds of information about a video on its page. You just have to know where to look!



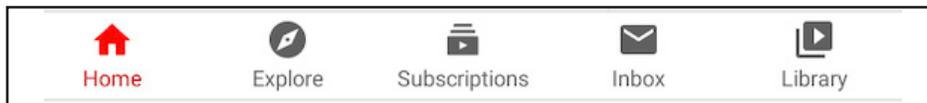
- 1 **Title of video:** How to Sew a Medical Face Mask // Tutorial.
- 2 **Number of views:** 7,960,584.
- 3 **Username** of person or organization posting the video: Erica Arndt  
**Number of people subscribed** to their channel: 187,000
- 4 **Date** video was posted: March 21, 2020
- 5 Number of **Likes**  87,000 and **Dislikes**  3,700.



# Subscribe to YouTube Channels

If you find yourself going to the same YouTube channel frequently, it's probably time to subscribe. Since you're using YouTube on a mobile device, you may be already signed in to your YouTube account. YouTube is owned by Google, so your Gmail address and password are what you use to sign in to YouTube. You can quickly confirm that you're signed in by going to your YouTube homepage.

- 1 Go to the bottom of the screen and find the **home icon**.

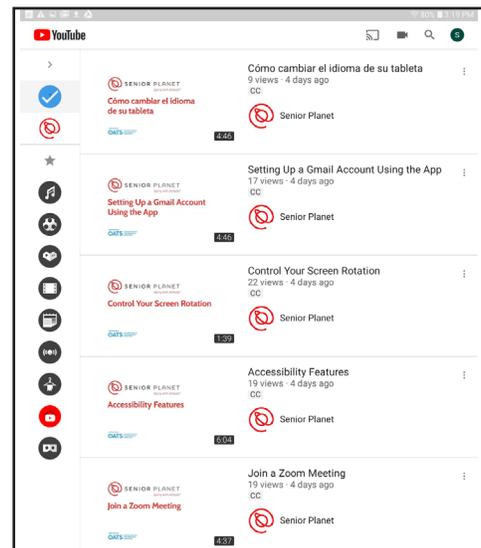


- 2 Then, look to the top of the screen. Do you see the first initial of your username? If so, you're signed in and ready to go!



There are lots of benefits to subscribing to a channel on YouTube:

- It makes it easy to find new content that you like.
- New videos will appear in your subscription feed.

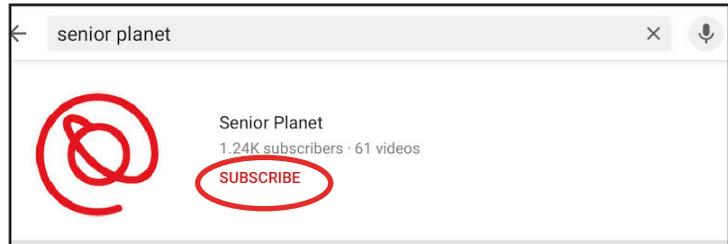




# Subscribe to the Senior Planet Channel

1 Confirm that you're signed in.

2 Type Senior Planet in the search field.

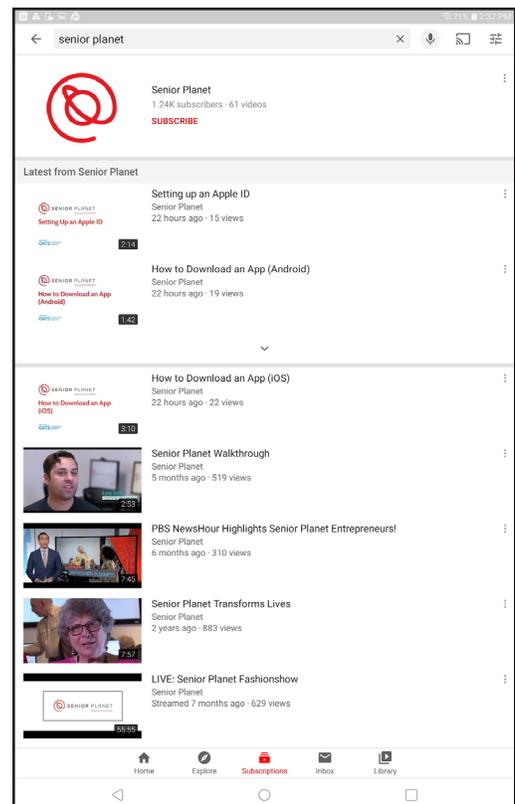


3 Look for the **Subscribe** button. Tap to subscribe.

4 You'll know you've successfully subscribed when the red lettering changes to gray.



This is a good way to stay on top of Senior Planet events, exercise classes, and more!





## Explore YouTube

Explore YouTube by searching for the following videos!

- Find good stretching / exercising videos.
- Use YouTube to figure out how to do something.
- Find a new recipe you're willing to try.
- Share a video with a friend.
- Your favorite video on the Senior Planet channel.