

# Speak Selection / Speak Screen

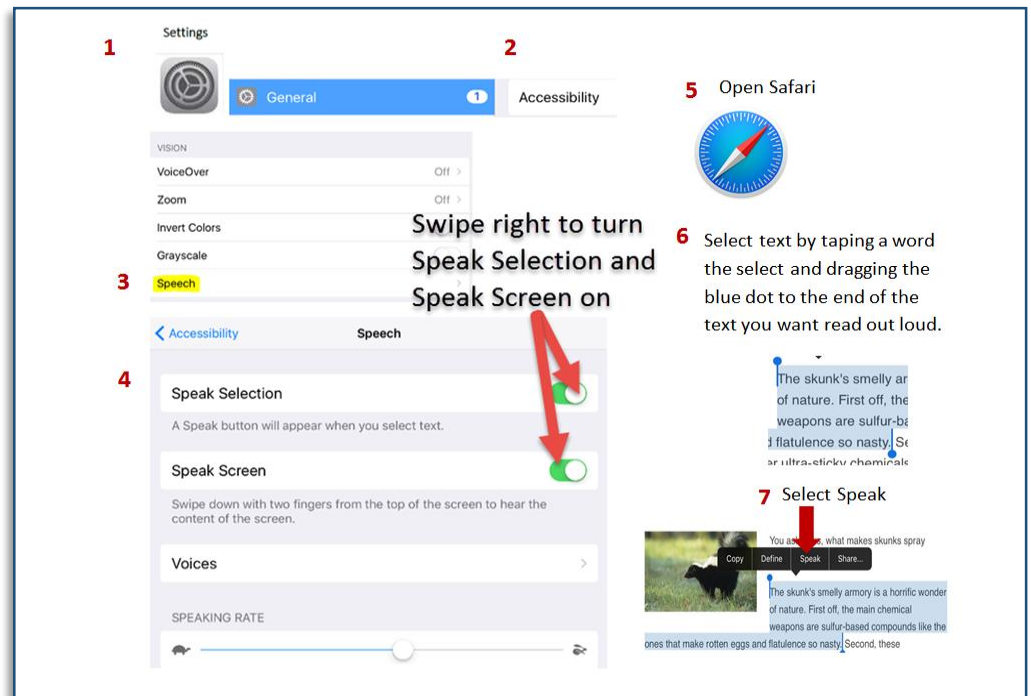
## Introduction

Speak Selection and Speak Screen are accessibility settings built into Apple iOS that provide text to speech for websites and text based apps.

These features come turned off by default but can be enabled under Settings > General > Accessibility > Speech. Swipe or slide the toggle to the right to turn Speak Selection and Speak Screen on.

## Integration Ideas

- Use Speak Selection to have text on websites read out loud.
- Use Speak Selection with text in apps to listen to your work so that you can review and edit it.
- Use Speak Screen to read eBooks or eText in their entirety.



**1** Settings

**2** Accessibility

**3** Speech

**4** Speak Selection  
A Speak button will appear when you select text.

Speak Screen  
Swipe down with two fingers from the top of the screen to hear the content of the screen.

**5** Open Safari

**6** Select text by tapping a word, the select and dragging the blue dot to the end of the text you want read out loud.

**7** Select Speak

Swipe right to turn Speak Selection and Speak Screen on

## Task

- Make sure Speak Selection and Speak Screen are turned on in the Accessibility Settings. [video](#)
- Open Safari and navigate to a website and an article within like [TweenTribune](#)
- To use Speak Selection, Select the text by tapping and holding on the first word you want read out loud.
- Tap and drag the blue dot to the last word you want read out loud.
- Select Speak to have text read out loud
- To use Speak Screen swipe two fingers down from the top of the iPad screen and a tool bar will appear and you can hear text read out loud