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**Sift** - May 1, 2026, 5:02 am

If you're trying to find someone on Snapchat using their phone number, the process is simple—but there are a few important details to get right. Follow this expanded guide to make sure everything works smoothly:

## Step 1: Save the Phone Number to Your Contacts

Start by adding the person's phone number to your phone's contact list.

Open your phone's Contacts app

Create a new contact

Enter their phone number (make sure it's correct and includes the country code if needed)

Save the contact

This step is essential because Snapchat pulls suggestions directly from your saved contacts.

## Step 2: Open Snapchat and Log In

Make sure you're logged into your Snapchat account. If you're not already logged in, enter your username/email and password to access the app.

## Step 3: Allow Snapchat Access to Your Contacts

For Snapchat to find people from your phonebook, it needs permission:

Go to your phone's settings

Find Snapchat in your apps list

Enable "Contacts" permission

Without this, Snapchat won't be able to match phone numbers to accounts.

## Step 4: Use the "Find Friends" Feature

Once everything is set up:

Open Snapchat

Tap your profile icon (top left corner)

Tap "Add Friends"

Choose "All Contacts" or "Find Friends from Contacts"

Snapchat will now scan your saved contacts and display any matches.

## Step 5: Look for the Contact in the List

If the phone number is linked to a Snapchat account, the person should appear in the list of suggested friends.

Important Notes:

The person must have their phone number linked to their Snapchat account  
They must allow others to find them using their phone number  
If they don't appear, it doesn't necessarily mean they don't have Snapchat—it may just be private settings

By following these steps carefully, you'll have the best chance of finding and adding someone on Snapchat using just their phone number.

**casper** - May 1, 2026, 11:08 am

Nice share , Thanks !

**Sift** - September 4, 2026, 2:01 pm

This also works for whatsapp.