

4 Things to Look Out for when Selecting the Perfect iPad Case

An iPad case is one of the first and most popular accessories most new iPad owners purchase once they get their hands on an iPad - after all, what better way to keep your iPad protected, secure, stylish, and safe from dust and debris? With iPad cases being so popular, you'd figure that it'd be easy to shop for an iPad case - but it isn't. The following are several things to check for when selecting an iPad case that's right for you.

Style/Originality

When I get to talking about how protective, scratch resistant, and secure an iPad case is, it's likely that my words are falling on deaf ears. When the average person buys an iPad case, keeping their iPad secure is the least of their concerns - they are just looking to doll up their iPad and express their personal style. An iPad case can be as fancy [expensive] as you want and with every iPad looking the same, there's no other way to make your iPad unique without forking over some cash on a stylish iPad case.



Protection

Now that I've downplayed having a secure iPad case, I'd like to go over exactly why it's important to have an iPad case that isn't just cute, but protects your iPad as well. Gravity, scratches, dust, and grit are the worst enemies of your iPad. After shelling out the big bucks on an iPad all your own, you want to protect your investment, by selecting an iPad that protects your iPad from "the elements." You don't want an iPad case that's so thick that it adds weight and hinders the functionality of your iPad, but you also don't want to own an iPad that's so thin that it hardly has any protective qualities at all.

Functionality

When it comes down to iPad functionality, there are lots of awesome choices, but to select the perfect iPad case for your iPad, you'll have to ask yourself lifestyle questions and figure out how you're going to use your iPad the most. The [tablet wars](#) have highlighted that if someone doesn't properly select the model of iPad for them, they will often blame Apple and go to a different maker. Do not make this expensive mistake.

iPad owners that seek entertainment might prefer an iPad case with an included dock, journalists might prefer an iPad case with an embedded keyboard, or you may want to consider an iPad case that offers added compartments if you have more than one gadget to carry around, travel a lot, or if you don't want to carry multiple bags. Sitting down and thinking about your daily routine and how you'd like to use your iPad will help you determine the type of functions that you want your iPad case to serve.

Portability

Another major concern when selecting a great iPad case is portability. It's likely that as you travel or just walk around the house with your iPad, your iPad case will cloth your iPad as you make it from point A to point B. You want to make sure that your iPad case isn't too heavy, will fit in your main carrying bag, isn't too clunky and fits well in your hands. Check out - <http://www.vsguides.com/fire-tablet-vs-ipad/> for more!

