

Microphone recommendations

Using an external microphone gives your recording a richer sound than a computer's built-in microphone or a headphone's in-line mic.

Here are some external mics frequently used by creators in the Riverside community.

USB microphones

- **Audio Technica ATR 2100X** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Samson Q2U** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Shure MV7** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **The Tula mic** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Rode NT-USB Mini** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)

XLR microphones

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- **Shure MV7** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Shure SM58** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Shure Beta 87A** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Earthworks Ethos** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Electro-Voice RE20** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Shure SM7B** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)

3.5 mm microphones

- **Rode VideoMic GO** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)
- **Rode Wireless GO II** - [Buy the mic](#) - [Set it up on Riverside](#)