Arlo VMC3060

Arlo Essential Indoor Security Camera 2K (2nd Gen) User Manual

Model: VMC3060 | Brand: Arlo

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your Arlo Essential Indoor Security Camera 2K (2nd Gen). This camera is designed to enhance your home's safety with high-resolution video, two-way audio, and an automated privacy shield, making it ideal for monitoring your home, children, or pets.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- 1x Arlo Essential Indoor Camera
- Power Adapter
- 1x Wall Mount and Screw Kit
- 1x Quick Start Guide

Image: The Arlo Essential Indoor Camera with its power adapter, wall mount kit, and quick start guide, laid out next to its packaging.

SETUP

1. Download the Arlo Secure App

Before you begin, download the Arlo Secure App from your device's app store. The app will guide you through the setup process step-by-step.

2. Power On Your Camera

Connect the power adapter to your Arlo Essential Indoor Camera and plug it into a power outlet. The camera will power on automatically.

3. Connect to Wi-Fi

Open the Arlo Secure App and follow the on-screen instructions to add your new camera. Ensure your Wi-Fi network is 2.4GHz for optimal connectivity. Most dual-band routers support both 2.4GHz and 5GHz networks.

4. Placement and Mounting

Place your camera on a flat surface or use the included wall mount and screw kit to secure it to a wall or ceiling. Position the camera to cover the desired monitoring area, keeping in mind its 130-degree field of view.

Image: An illustration highlighting key features of the Arlo Essential Indoor Camera, including 2K Video, 130-degree field of view, Night Vision, 2-Way Audio, Privacy Shield, Motion Detection & Alerts, Integrated Siren, Easy Setup, and Wi-Fi connectivity.

OPERATING YOUR CAMERA

Live View and Recording

Access live video streaming from your camera anytime through the Arlo Secure App. You can view real-time footage and, with an Arlo Secure plan, record and store video for later review.

Automated Privacy Shield

The camera features an automated privacy shield that allows you to physically close the camera lens for complete privacy. Control this feature directly from the Arlo Secure App.

Easily open and close the automated Privacy Shield to keep your private moments private.

Image: Two views of the Arlo Essential Indoor Camera, one with its lens open and another with the automated privacy shield closed, demonstrating its privacy feature.

Motion Detection and Alerts

The camera's motion sensors detect activity and send real-time notifications to your smartphone. Customize alert settings within the Arlo Secure App to receive notifications for specific events like person or animal detection (with subscription).

Image: A smartphone displaying the Arlo Secure App interface, showing live video feeds and motion detection notifications, alongside the Arlo Essential Indoor Camera.

Two-Way Audio and Night Vision

Utilize the integrated two-way audio to communicate with individuals or pets in the camera's vicinity. The advanced night vision provides clear images even in low-light conditions, ensuring continuous monitoring.

Smart Home Integration

The Arlo Essential Indoor Camera is compatible with Amazon Alexa and Google Home, allowing for voice control and integration into your existing smart home ecosystem.

Image: An Arlo Essential Indoor Camera displayed next to a smart display showing a live feed of a baby, illustrating its compatibility with smart home assistants like Alexa and Google Home.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning Your Camera

To maintain optimal performance, periodically clean the camera lens and body with a soft, dry, lint-free cloth. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.

Software Updates

Ensure your Arlo Secure App and camera firmware are always up to date. Updates often include performance improvements and new features. The app will notify you when updates are available.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Issue	Possible Cause	Solution
Camera Offline	No power, Wi-Fi disconnected, weak signal.	Check power connection. Verify Wi-Fi signal strength. Restart camera and router.
Poor Video Quality	Weak Wi-Fi signal, dirty lens, insufficient lighting.	Improve Wi-Fi signal. Clean the camera lens. Ensure adequate lighting for optimal night vision.
Motion Alerts Not Received	Incorrect app settings, privacy shield active, network issues.	Check motion detection settings in the Arlo Secure App. Ensure privacy shield is open. Verify network connection.

For more detailed troubleshooting, please refer to the comprehensive User Manual available on the Arlo support website or within the Arlo Secure App.

SPECIFICATIONS

Model: VMC3060

Indoor/Outdoor Usage: Indoor

Video Capture Resolution: 2K

Field Of View: 130 Degrees

Connectivity Technology: Wi-Fi (2.4GHz)

Power Source: Corded Electric (5 Volts, 6 Watts)

Special Features: 2-Way Audio, Night Vision, Automated Privacy Shield, Motion Sensor

Compatible Devices: Smartphone, Amazon Alexa, Google Home

Dimensions (L x W x H): 1.42 x 1.85 x 3.82 inches

Weight: 3.36 ounces

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Arlo products come with a limited warranty. For specific warranty details and terms, please refer to the warranty information provided with your product or visit the official Arlo website.

For technical support, FAQs, and community forums, please visit the Arlo support section on their official website or access 24/7 chat support through the Arlo Secure App.

You can also find additional resources and contact information at www.arlo.com/support.