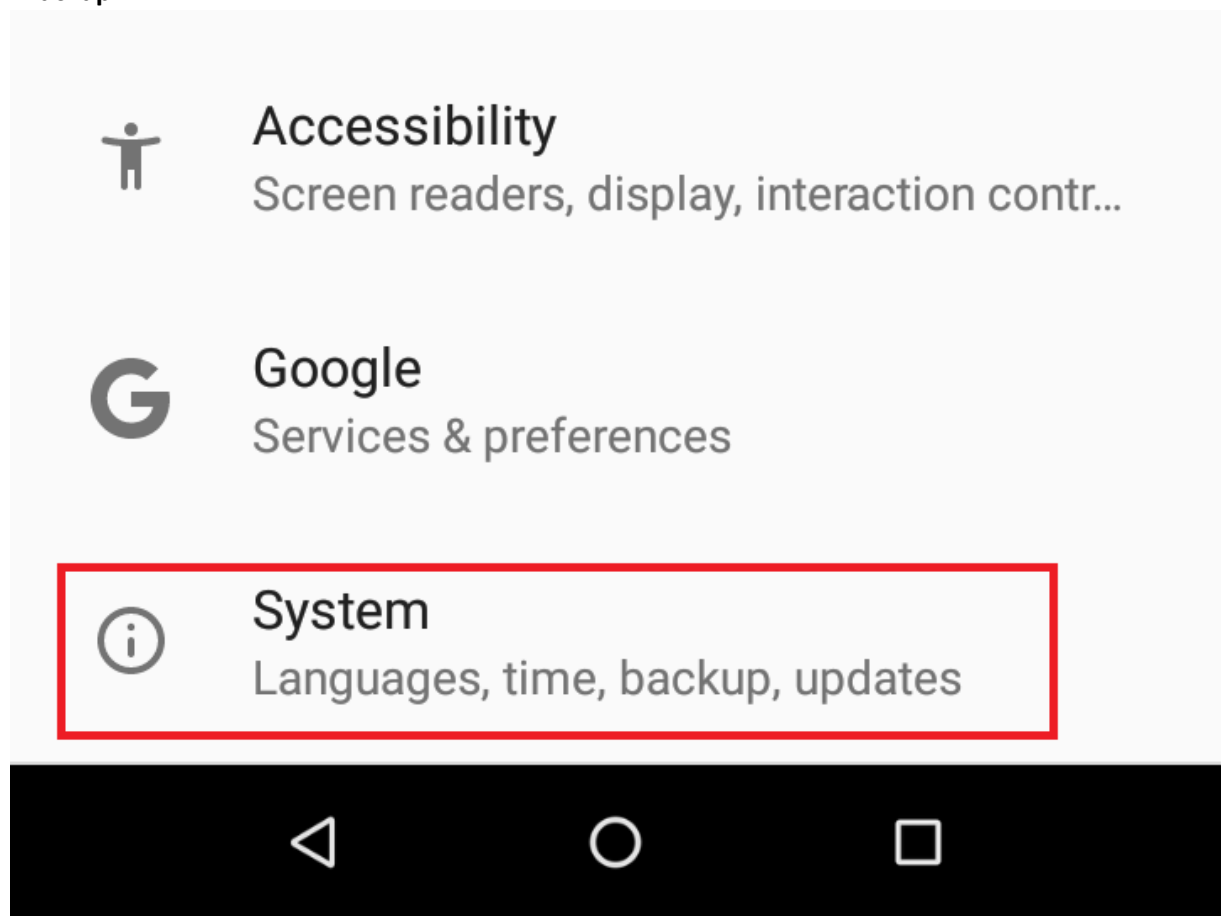**Backing up data and settings**

Use the Android Backup Service to backup data linked to one or more Google accounts. If you have to swap your device or delete data, you can restore the data from every Google account backed up beforehand.

The following data is backed up:
- Google calendar settings
- WLAN networks and passwords
- Wallpaper of start screens
- Gmail settings
- Apps installed with Google Play (apps backed up in the Play Store app)
- Screen settings (i.e. brightness and sleep mode)
- Language and input settings
- Date and time
- Settings and data of third party apps (different depending on app)

Note: The Android Backup Service is not used by all apps. Not all data might be backed up or restored for certain apps.

1. Open the settings of your Gigaset smartphone. Navigate to the menu item **"System"** and then **"Backup"**.

← **System**

🌐 Languages & input
Android Keyboard (AOSP)

📱 Gestures

🕐 Date & time
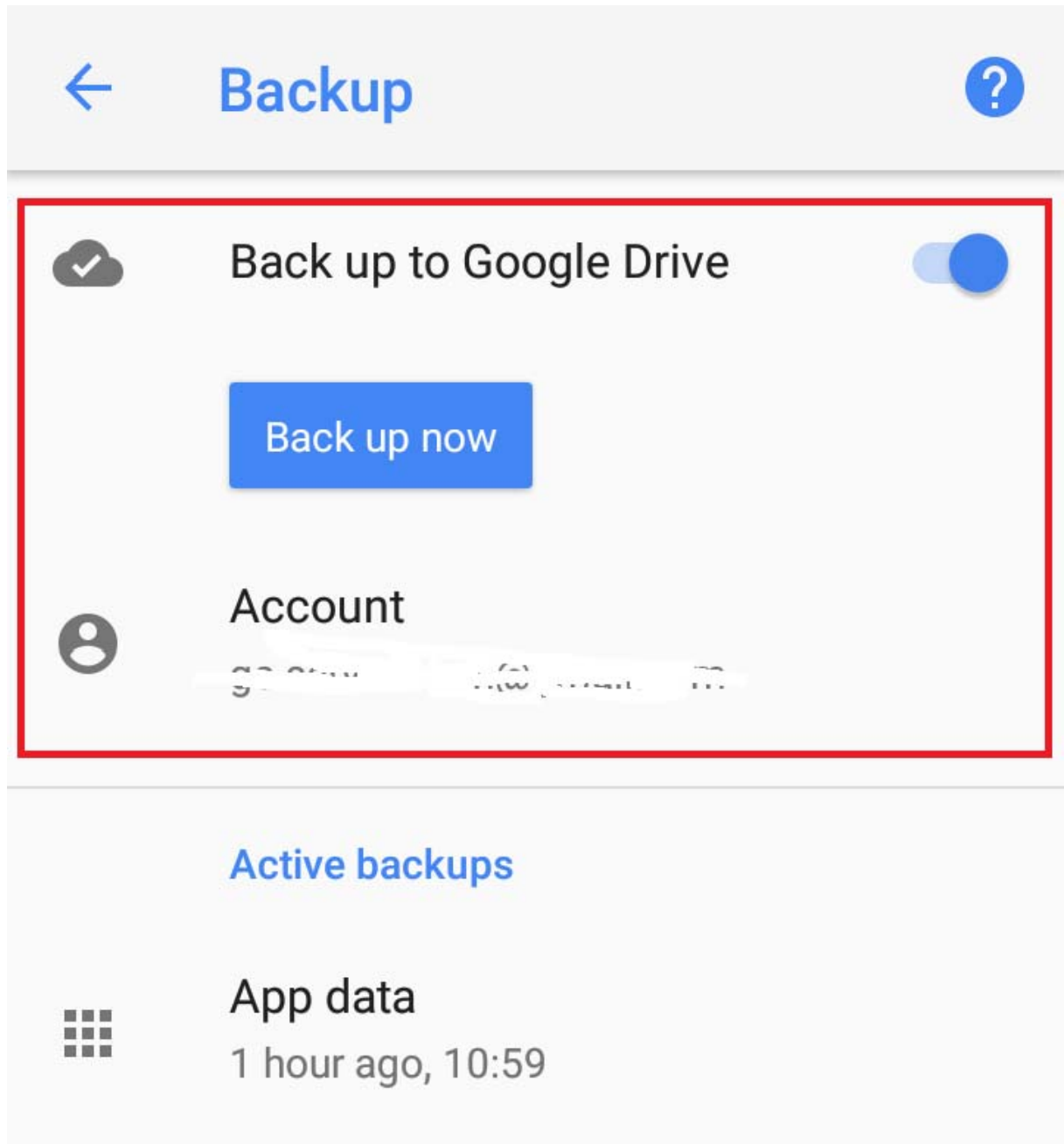GMT+01:00 Central European Standard
Time

☁ Backup
On

🕐 Reset options
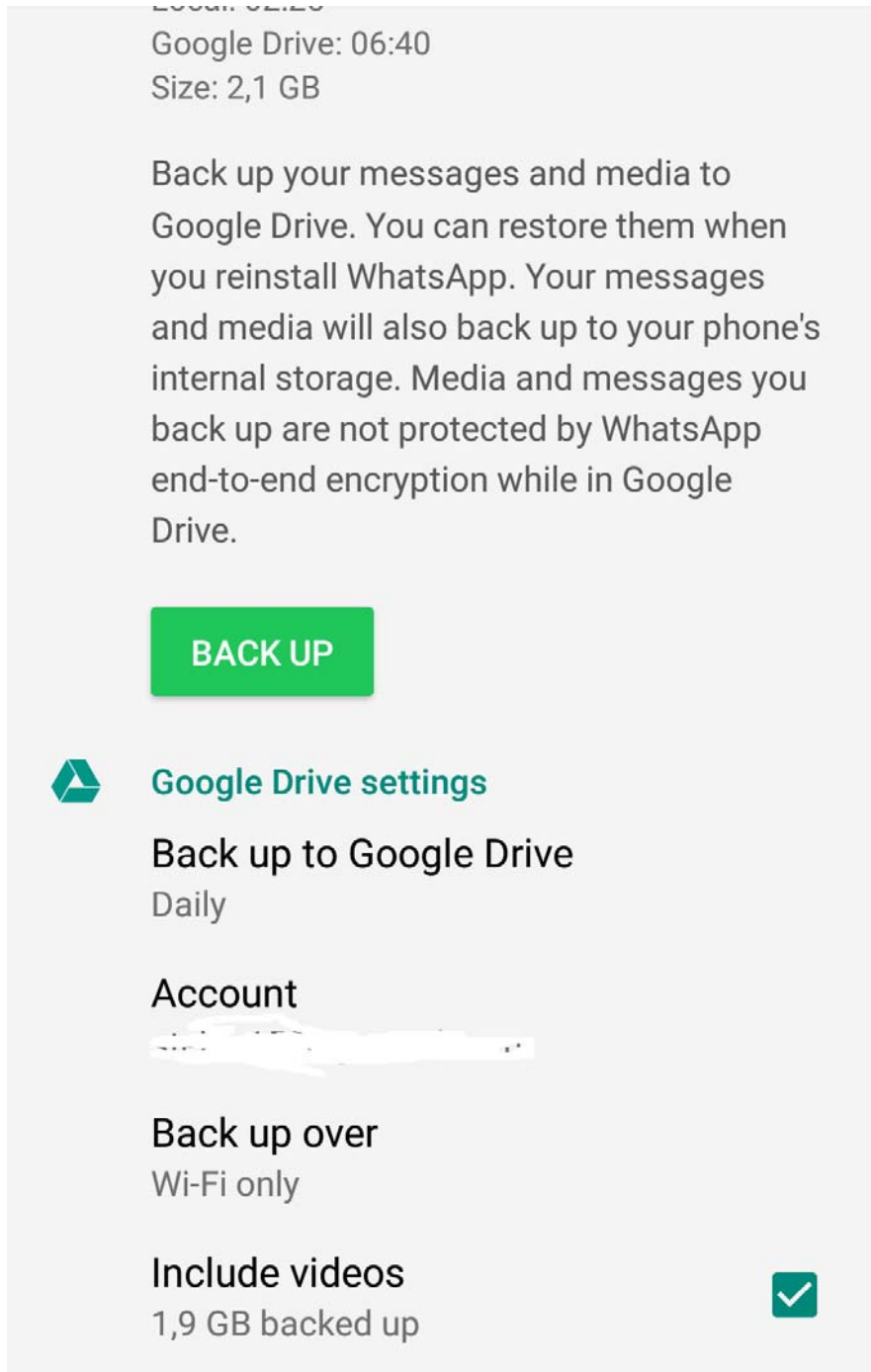Network, apps or device can be reset

2. Now make sure that the option **"Back up to Google Drive"** is set to **"On"**. If this is not the case, activate the Android backup. Under "Account" you will see your Google Account. Go to **"Back up now"** to perform the backup.

Create WhatsApp Backup:

WhatsApp offers an **automatic backup option** that is not automatically enabled after installation.
Open the option in WhatsApp and navigate to **Menu > Settings > Chats > Chat-Backup**.

Select the Google Account you want to back up to. Tap **„Back up"** to create a backup of your
WhatsApp chats (including photos and voice messages) **on Google Drive**.

If you reinstall WhatsApp or later move to a new phone, WhatsApp will automatically offer you data
recovery - assuming you sign in with the same Google Account.
More information about WhatsApp you will find on the WhatsApp website
https://faq.whatsapp.com/en/android/?lang=en