

Signing Up for an E-Mail Account

1. Open a Web browser.



2. In the address bar, type **http://home.live.com**, then press the **Enter** key on the keyboard.



3. Click on the **Sign up** link.




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4. Type your personal information in the text boxes on your screen:

Windows Live™

Create your Windows Live ID

It gets you into all Windows Live services—and other places you see 
All information is required.

If you use **Hotmail**, **Messenger**, or **Xbox LIVE**, you already have a Windows Live ID.
[Sign in](#)

Windows Live ID: @ **hotmail.com** 

[Or use your own e-mail address](#)

Create a password:
6-character minimum; case sensitive


Retype password:


Alternate e-mail address:

[Or choose a security question for password reset](#)

First name:

Last name:


Country/region: **United States** 

State: **Select one** 

ZIP code:

Gender: Male Female

Birth year: *Example: 1990*



Characters:
Enter the 6 characters you see

Clicking **I accept** means that you agree to the [Microsoft service agreement](#) and [privacy statement](#). You also agree to receive e-mail from Windows Live, Bing, and MSN with service updates, special offers, and survey invitations. You can unsubscribe at any time.

Be sure to choose a security question and fill out all fields appropriately.

Remember your **Login Name** and **Password**, which are required to log in and access your e-mail account.

Login Name _____ **@live.com**

Password _____ (use 6-20 letters or numbers)

5. Read the “Terms of Service” and then click on the **I accept** button.

AFTER COMPLETING STEP 5, YOU WILL HAVE AN E-MAIL ACCOUNT CONGRATULATIONS!