



Signing up for a Twitter account is quick and easy.

**Step 1:** Open a web browser and go to [www.twitter.com](http://www.twitter.com)

**Step 2:** Fill in the three fields in the box in the lower right corner of the screen.

- 1) Your full name.
- 2) The email address you'd like to use for your account. If this account will be for personal use, it's important not to use your work email address.
- 3) Choose a password for your twitter account. 4) Click the button "Sign up for Twitter".

New to Twitter? Sign up

Full name

Email

Password

Sign up for Twitter

**Step 3:** The next screen will look like the image to the right.

- 1) Check the accuracy for your name and email. Note that it says they will send you an email confirmation. Be sure to open the email and confirm. You don't need to do it right away. But you should before you try to use your account again.
- 2) If your password field has a notation that password is just "okay" like it says here, it would be a good idea to use a stronger password.
- 3) Where it says "Choose your username", enter what you'd like your Twitter username to be. No need to type in the "@". Keep your name as short as

### Join Twitter today.

Full name  
My name ✓ Name looks great.

Email address  
lauristevens@gmail.com ✓ We will email you a confirmation.

Create a password  
..... ✓ Password is okay.

Choose your username  
Myname01379832 ✓ Username is available. You can change it later.

Suggestions: lauristevens9 LauristevensMy MyLauristevens

Keep me signed-in on this computer.

Tailor Twitter based on my recent website visits. [Learn more.](#)

By clicking the button, you agree to the terms below:  
These Terms of Service ("Terms") govern your access to and use of the services, including our various websites, SMS, APIs, email

Printable versions:  
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Create my account

Note: Others will be able to find you by name, username or email. Your email will not be shown publicly. You can change your privacy settings at any time.

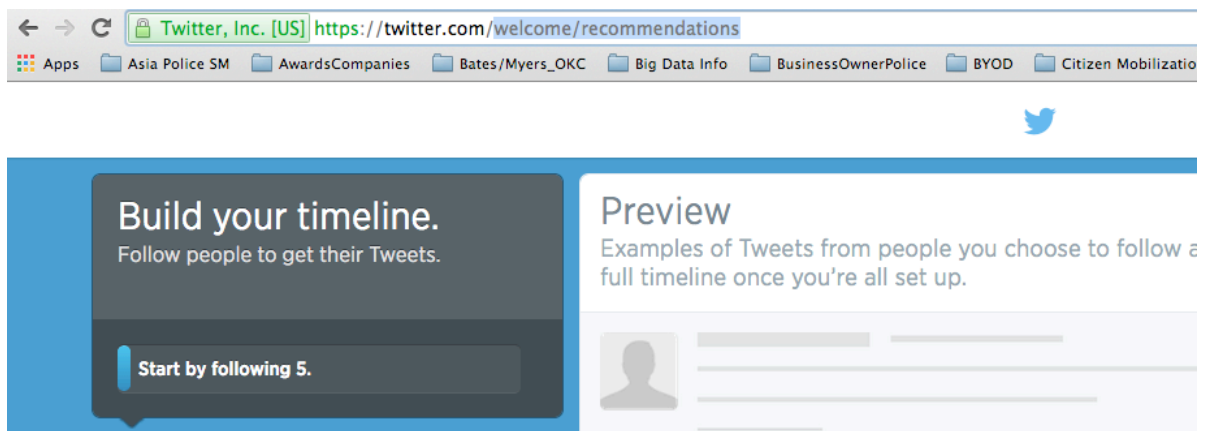
possible; but make it memorable. Try to stay away from using underscores, unless you don't want anybody to remember your name!

- 4) Ignore everything else for now and click "Create my account".

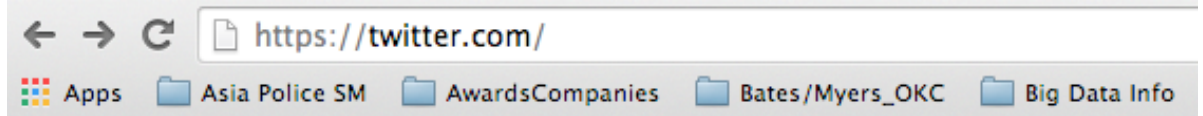
**Step 4:** The next page will explain what a tweet is. Click "Next".

**Step 5:** After that you will get a page that suggests people/accounts to follow and asks you to choose five. Follow some if you want, but if not, to progress past this page, do the following:

- 1) Above, where the URL (web address) is, delete everything after "twitter.com/". Note the highlighted portion below.



- 2) When you're done it should look like this:



- 3) When it does, click the Enter key on your keyboard. You will be presented with your main Twitter screen. You can play around or logout from there. We'll take it from there in class. ***Don't forget your username and password!*** This is also a good time to check email and confirm your Twitter account.

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