Perfect! You've already got the backend set up to accept POST requests at /api/auth/register. Now let’s make the frontend **submit the form data** to that endpoint using axios.

**✅ Step-by-Step: Add API Call to handleSubmit**

**1. Install Axios (if not already):**

npm install axios

**2. Import it in your SignUp.jsx:**

At the top:

import axios from "axios";

**3. Update handleSubmit to send API request:**

const handleSubmit = async (e) => {

e.preventDefault();

try {

let payload = {};

if (formData.role === 'admin') {

payload = {

email: formData.email,

password: formData.password,

name: formData.username, // assuming 'name' is expected on the server

role: 'admin',

};

} else if (formData.role === 'seller') {

payload = {

email: formData.email,

password: formData.password,

name: formData.name,

businessName: formData.businessName,

phone: formData.phone,

address: formData.address,

role: 'seller',

};

}

const res = await axios.post("http://localhost:5000/api/auth/register", payload); // change port if needed

alert(res.data.message);

console.log("Success:", res.data);

} catch (error) {

console.error("Error:", error.response?.data || error.message);

alert(error.response?.data?.message || "Something went wrong");

}

};

**🧪 Test Your API**

Make sure:

* Your backend is running at localhost:5000 (or whatever port you’ve set).
* CORS is enabled on the backend. If not, add this to your server code:

const cors = require('cors');

app.use(cors());

Want to also show a success message on the page or redirect to login? I can help you with that next!