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There are two paths that students and educators can take to create an Autodesk account with educational access to Autodesk education products including Autodesk Fusion. The first path, option 1, available to students and educators.

Option 1 Individual Access

A student or educator may create an account and individually confirm their eligibility to access the Autodesk Education plan. This plan provides free, educational access to Autodesk products for eligible individuals. Products can be accessed this way at autodesk.com/eligibility.

Option 2 Access via an Educator or IT Administrator

A student may create an Autodesk account after getting assigned to use one or more Autodesk products by their educator or IT Administrator. This option provide students with access to Autodesk products at manage.autodesk.com/cep/. These students will not have to individually confirm their eligibility for educational access to Autodesk products. If the student doesn't have an Autodesk account, they'll be asked to create their Autodesk account and password.

If a student requires their own education license for a software, this takes precedence over an assigned license. This document will walk you through both options.

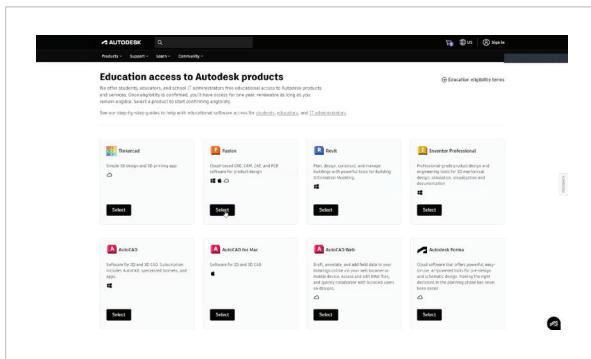


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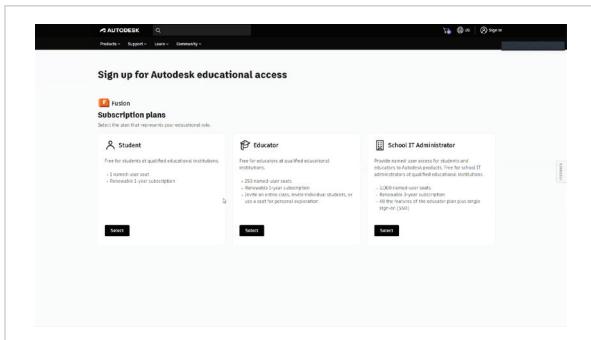


Option 1 Individual Access

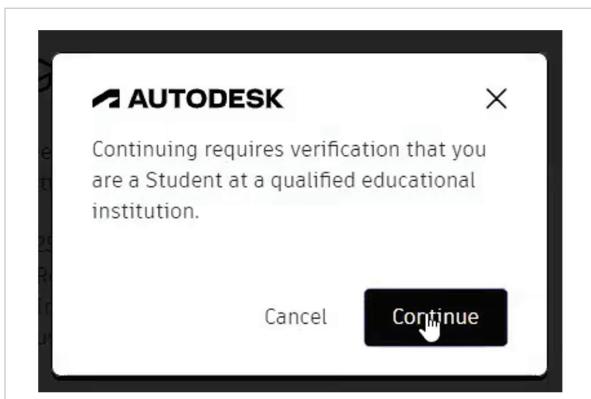


1 Select Fusion

- Go to the [Get Products](#) page within the [Autodesk Education Community](#) and click on “Select” on the Fusion product card.



- Select “Student”.



- If you have not signed in, or have not had your Autodesk account verified, you will see this message. Click “Continue”.



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The screenshot shows the Autodesk Fusion sign-up process. It includes fields for Product details (Fusion), Customer details, Enter account information (with radio button for "I have a verified Autodesk account"), and a Subscription summary section.

The screenshot shows the continuation of the sign-up process. It includes fields for Enter account information (with radio button for "I don't have an Autodesk account"), Account information (with dropdown for "Enter name"), and a User roles section where "Student" is selected from a dropdown menu.

- d. If you already have a verified Autodesk account, click the “Submit” button to obtain the license. You will see a thank you message, and a button to Access Products. Continue to Part 2 “Get Fusion for Education use” to continue to download and installation instructions.

If you do not have an Autodesk Account, enter your email (recommend using your school email address), your name and education role (Student), and school information and click the submit button on the right side of the screen (enter your name as it appears on your school schedule). Check your email account for a message from Autodesk, Open it and click the “Verify Email” button within the message to verify your email address.

The screenshot shows a "Thank you" message indicating successful account creation. It includes a "Access products" button.

- e. If your account verified correctly, you should see a button to Access Products that will take you to your “All Products and Services” page. Refer to Part 2 “Get Fusion for Education use” to continue to download and installation instructions.

If you received a verification error, see step f below for manual verification process.

The screenshot shows an email from Autodesk titled "Education Access". It includes a greeting, a message about the educational access period, and standard footer information.



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Screenshot of the Autodesk Fusion sign-up page showing the "Sign up for Autodesk educational access" section. It includes fields for Product details (Autodesk Fusion), Customer details (Polaris Maritime System), and Add school information.

Screenshot of the Autodesk Fusion sign-up page showing the "Add school information" section. It includes fields for School address (Country: United States, Address: 123 Main Street, City: Anytown, State: CA, Zip: 90210) and School information (Institution type: Secondary school, Status: Open).

- f. Scroll down to the “Try Again” button and click to manually submit verification documentation.

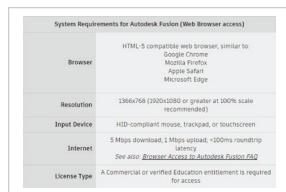
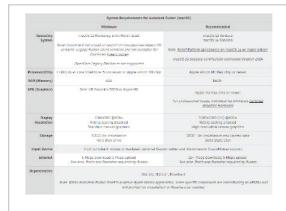
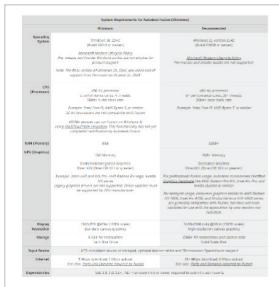
Screenshot of the Autodesk Fusion sign-up page showing the "Upload your document" section. It includes fields for School-issued confirmation letter (document icon) and School ID (ID badge icon). A dashed box indicates where to add attachments, with a note: "Drag and drop files here or click to browse". Supported file types are listed as JPEG, PDF, PNG, GIF. A note at the bottom states: "Note: If your uploaded document is too fuzzy to read, does not show your full and legal name, or shows a name different from the one you used for this Autodesk account, you will not be able to complete the confirmation process. Please do not include any confidential information in the document you upload, such as social security numbers or banking details. Please ensure any sensitive information is blacked out before you upload your document." Identity services powered by SheerID: [SheerID FAQs](#).

- g. Upload the requested document and press “Continue”. You should receive an email once you are verified. We recommend uploading a current class schedule that list your full name, name of the school and date of the current term.

Screenshot of the Autodesk Fusion sign-up page showing the "Sign up for Autodesk educational access" section. It includes a "Thank you" message: "Thank you for your inquiry for Autodesk educational access! Your request has now started. The verification process can take up to 48 hours to complete. Please check your email for next steps. Also be sure to check your Autodesk folder." A note states: "Identity services powered by SheerID: [SheerID FAQs](#)". Below it, a "What happens next?" section lists two options: "Check your email" (with a link to "Check your account setup") and "Complete your account setup" (with a link to "Finish setting up your Autodesk account to access your products. Check your email for the account setup link if you didn't see it in your inbox").

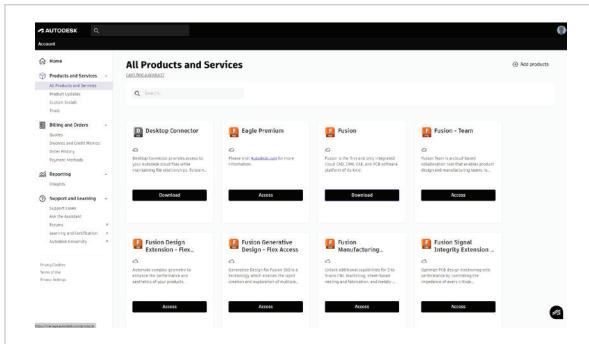


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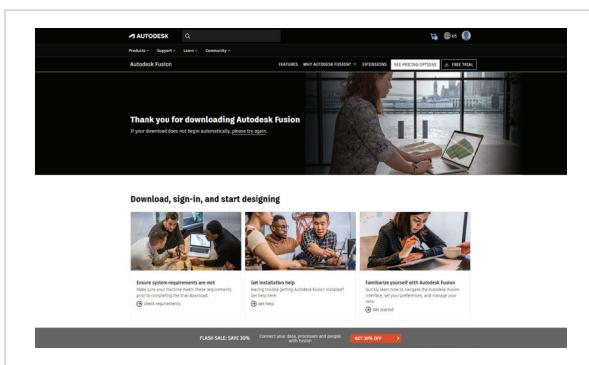


2 Install and run Fusion for education use

- Check the system requirements for Fusion software. If your computer meets these requirements, proceed to the next step and continue with the installation process. If you are using a Chromebook or a computer that does not meet these requirements, go to fusion.online.autodesk.com where you can use Fusion in a browser without installing it. This browser access option is only available in English. Sign into Fusion with the email and password you used for your Autodesk account.



- Access your [Products and Services](#) in your Autodesk Account and click "Download" on the bottom of the Fusion product card.

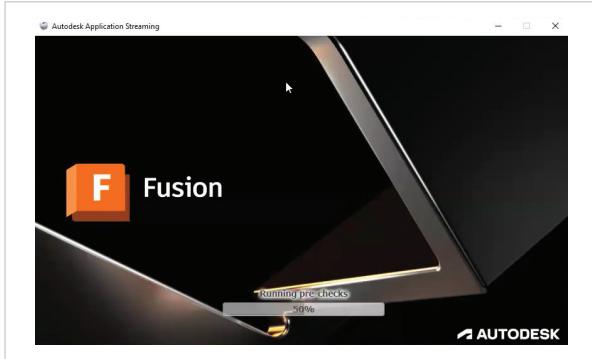


- Once Fusion has completed downloading, run the installer (.dmg or .exe file). You will see a progress bar during installation. When the installation is complete, Fusion will Launch Automatically, this may take a few minutes.

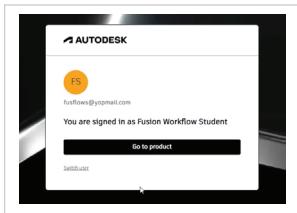


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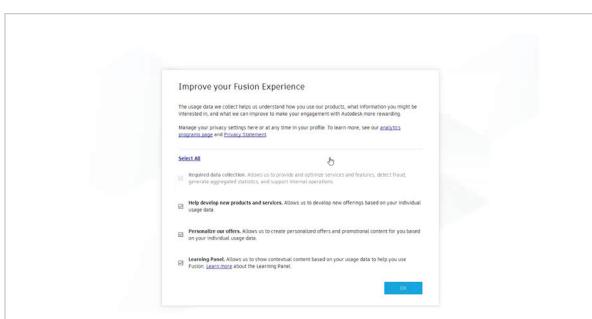
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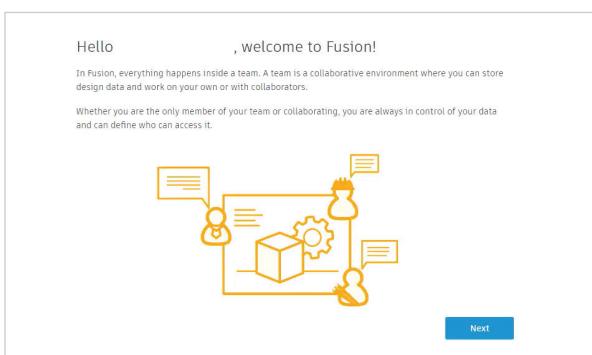
- d. **Sign into Fusion.** This will open a browser window to sign in to your Autodesk Account. Use the email and password you used for your Autodesk account.



- e. **A message may display about improving the Fusion experience.** Make your selections and click “Ok” to continue.



- f. **If you are a new Fusion user, the first time you sign into Fusion, you will see a welcome message. Press “Next”.**





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Hello [Name], welcome to Fusion!

Your email address, [Email Address], belongs to a public or educational organization. With this type of address, you can create a team.

Create a Team
You will be the team administrator and control all data. You can always invite others to the team to collaborate.

If you want to join a corporate team, sign in with your corporate email address or contact your administrator.

Join Existing Team
You must be signed in with a corporate email address to join teams.

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- g. If you don't have a Fusion Team or have been invited into a Fusion Team you will be prompted to create a team if you do not already have a Fusion team or if you have not been invited to another person's team. You must be associated with a team to use Fusion. For Education accounts, you must create a Team, click "Create a Team". Once you have a Team, you can use it to create projects, add members to your projects, share and manage your project data, and more.

Note: Education accounts cannot join a team from this dialogue.

For more on this topic, visit the Autodesk Knowledge Network article titled [Getting Started with Fusion Team for Education](#).



(No Active Mail - Autodesk Fusion Education License)

Hello Fusion Workflow, welcome to Fusion!

Enter a name for your team. This is the name that people will see when you invite them to the team. You can edit the name of the team and no one will be able to see your data until they join.

Team name goes here

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- h. Enter a name for your team. It could include your name or nickname. The team name you use will be visible to anyone that you invite to your team or project.

Note: Team names cannot contain emojis or any of the following characters \/: * ? “ < > |.



Hello [Name], welcome to Fusion!

Now it's time to create your team, "Team Name Goes Here". Because you're using a public or educational email address ([Email Address]), your team will only be visible to people you invite to it. In other words, people will not be able to find your team in lists or join it without an invitation. This is done to protect your data.

If you would prefer to create a team that is discoverable and automatically joinable by colleagues, sign in to Fusion using a corporate email address. This is helpful for organizations who want their employees to join existing teams instead of creating their own. You can still make this type of team private if you prefer.

Do not allow discovery
Do not allow other people from [Email Address] to discover your team. You will need to invite each team member manually.

Allow discovery and automatic join
Allow your team discoverable and allow people from yopmail.com to join automatically.

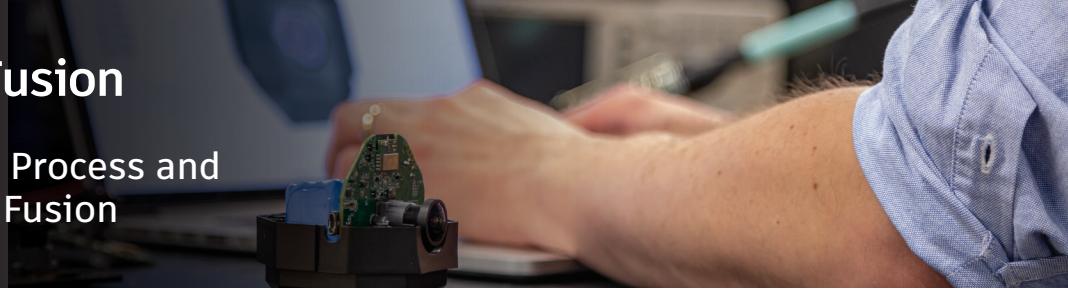
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- i. Check or uncheck the "Do not allow discovery" option and click "Create".

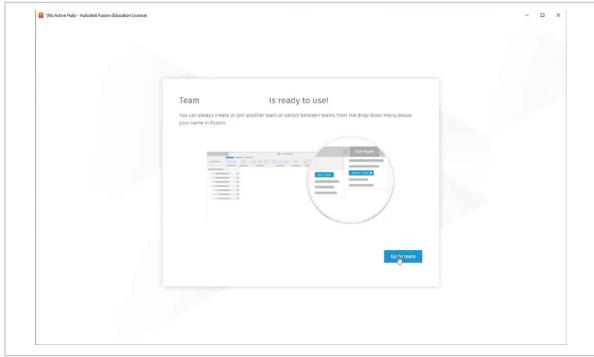


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j. Your team is ready to use. Click “Go” to Team.





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Option 2

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These students will not have to individually confirm their eligibility for educational access to Autodesk products. If the student does not have an Autodesk account, they'll receive an email that will guide them through this process.



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Welcome to your new Autodesk Account
Learn how to get started

Hi IDK why I didnt use,
Welcome to Autodesk's growing community of innovators. Your software admin, Fusion Workflow Educator, has invited you to Autodesk Account, your one-stop shop for accessing Autodesk products, cloud services, and support benefits.

Getting started is easy. Simply click on the link below to confirm your email and create a password for your Autodesk Account.

Act now to get access to Autodesk products and services.

[Create your account](#)

1 Create an account

- You may get an email from Autodesk that your Autodesk Account is waiting.

This email is sent to students who have been assigned to use an Autodesk product by their educator or IT Admin but do not yet have an Autodesk Account associated with the email used by their educator for the assignment.

If you receive this email, open it and click the “Create My Account Now” button to create a new Autodesk Account.

Create account

First name Last name
 First Name Last Name

Email

Confirm email

Password

I agree to the Autodesk Terms of Use and acknowledge the Privacy Statement

[Create account](#)

Already have an account? [Sign in](#)

- Enter your first name, last name, email address, and a password. The email field will be prepopulated with the email address where you received the message that “Your Autodesk Account is waiting.” This email address will be your new Autodesk user ID. Be sure to confirm it by typing the email address in the confirm email field.

Check the box to agree to the Autodesk Terms of Use and Privacy Policy.

Click “Create Account”.

Note: Keep your user ID and password for your Autodesk Account in a safe place, such as in a password management application.

- A message will say that your account has been created. Click “Done”.

Account created

This single account gives you access to all your Autodesk products

[Done](#)



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The screenshot shows the Autodesk software download page. It features the Autodesk logo and a welcome message: "Welcome to your new Autodesk software" and "Get up and running". Below this, there's a greeting "Hi First Name Last Name," followed by a note from Fusion Workflow Educator. A list of included software products is provided, including HSMWorks - Ultimate, Fusion - Team, Fusion Simulation Extension - Flex Access, Desktop Connector, Fusion, Fusion Manufacturing Extension - Flex Access, Eagle Premium, Rendering, Fusion Design Extension - Flex Access, Fusion Generative Design - Flex Access, Fusion Signal Integrity Extension - Flex Access, and HSMWorks. A "Sign in to your Autodesk Account to get started with your software." link is present, along with a "Get your software" button and a "Need help?" link. At the bottom, there's a copyright notice: "Autodesk, Inc. • The Landmark at One Market Street, Suite 400 • San Francisco, CA 94105 © Autodesk, Inc. All rights reserved. Legal Notices & Trademarks. Privacy Policy".

② Download and install Fusion

- You should receive an email from Autodesk that you've got access.

Open this email and click the "Get your software" button.

The screenshot shows the Autodesk sign-in page. It has a "Sign in" header and a logo. There is a text input field labeled "Email" and a "Verifying..." button with a cursor icon hovering over it. Below the button, there is a link "New to Autodesk? [Create account](#)". The left sidebar contains links for "Products and Services", "Billing and Orders", and "Support and Learning".

- If you are not already signed in, you will see a sign in screen. Enter the email address associated with your Autodesk Account and your password at the following screen.

The screenshot shows the Autodesk Account Management page. It features a "Good evening, first name" greeting and a sidebar with "Products and Services", "Billing and Orders", and "Support and Learning". The main content area includes sections for "Get product updates", "Buy products", "What's new in Account", and "Autodesk Account User Tour".

- You will arrive at your Autodesk Account Management page. From here click the "All Products and Services" menu item on the left side of the page.



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The image contains four separate windows showing the system requirements for Autodesk Fusion:

- Windows Requirements for Autodesk Fusion (Windows):** Requires Windows 7 or later, 64-bit processor, 4GB RAM, 10GB free disk space, and a monitor resolution of 1024x768.
- Mac OS Requirements for Autodesk Fusion (MacOS):** Requires Mac OS X 10.10 or later, 64-bit processor, 4GB RAM, 10GB free disk space, and a monitor resolution of 1024x768.
- Linux Requirements for Autodesk Fusion (Linux):** Requires Intel(R) Dual Band Wireless-AC 7265 or similar, 64-bit processor, 4GB RAM, 10GB free disk space, and a monitor resolution of 1024x768.
- System Requirements for Autodesk Fusion (Web Browser access):** Requires an HTML5 compatible web browser, such as Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Apple Safari, or Microsoft Edge, 1366x768 (1920x1080 or greater at 100% scale recommended), HID-compliant mouse, trackpad, or touchscreen, 5 Mbps download, 1 Mbps upload, 100ms roundtrip latency, and a Commercial or Verified Education entitlement.

- d. Check the system requirements for Fusion software. If your computer meets these requirements, proceed to the next step and continue with the installation process. If you are using a Chromebook or a computer that does not meet these requirements, go to fusion.online.autodesk.com where you can use Fusion in a browser without installing it. This browser access option is only available in English. Sign into Fusion with the email and password you used for your Autodesk account.

- e. From here, locate Fusion, and click “Download”.

The screenshot shows the Autodesk website's "All Products and Services" section. The Fusion product is listed under the "Design & Manufacturing" category. It includes a "Download" button, an "Access" button, and a brief description: "Fusion is the easiest way to learn and use CAD, CAM, CAE, and PCB software designed for today's engineers."

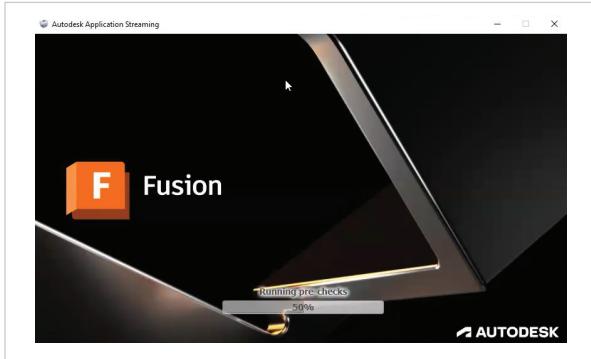
- f. A new browser tab will open and the Fusion client downloader will download automatically.

The screenshot shows the Autodesk Fusion download page. It features a "Thank you for downloading Autodesk Fusion" message, three small images of people using the software, and a "Download, sign-in, and start designing" call-to-action. At the bottom, there are links for "Check system requirements", "Get installation help", and "Familiarize yourself with Autodesk Fusion". A "FLASH SALE: SAVE 30%" banner is also visible.

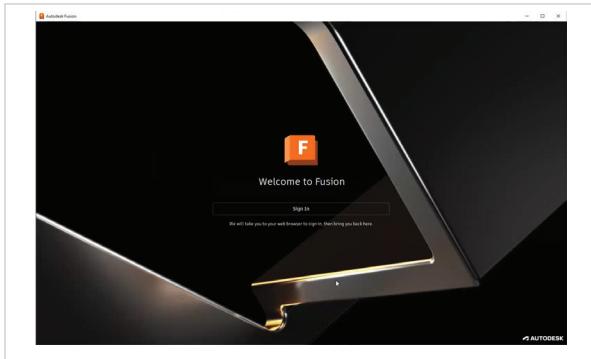


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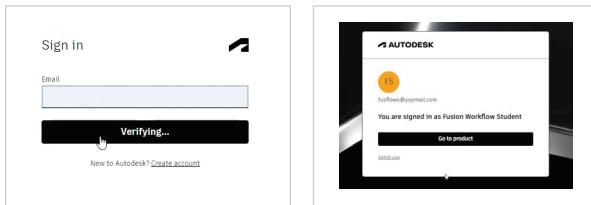
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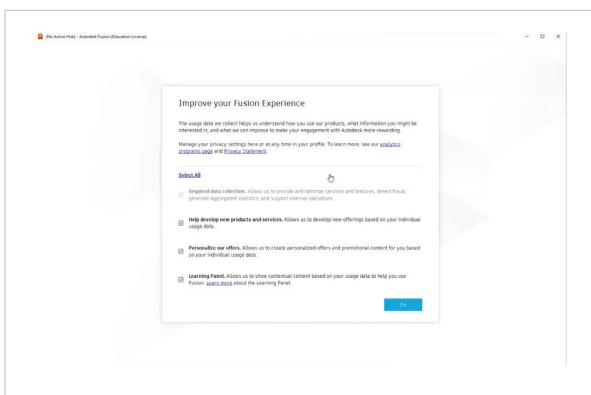
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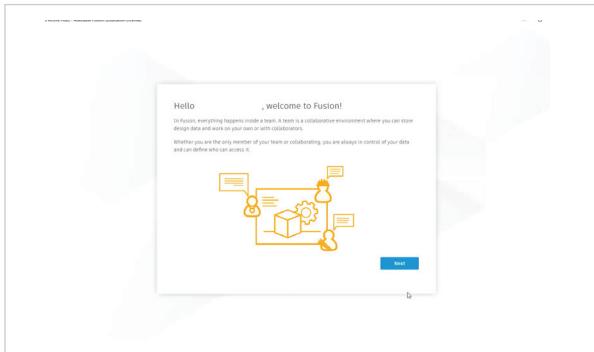
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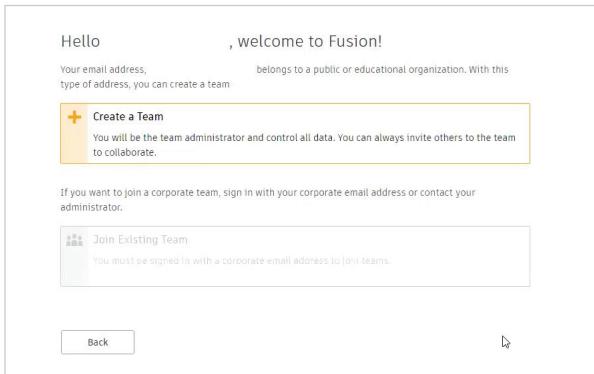


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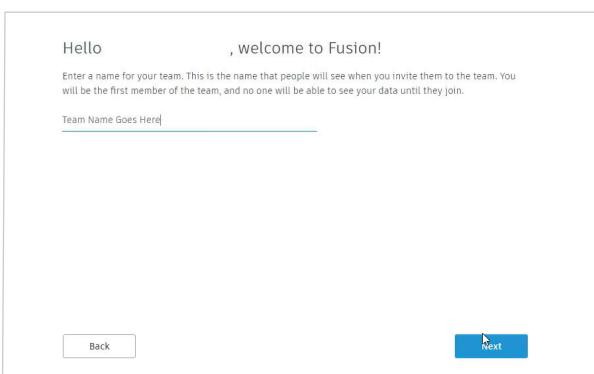
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Do not allow discovery
Do not allow other people from [User] to discover your team. You will need to invite each team member manually.

Allow discovery and automatic join
Make your team discoverable and allow people from yopmail.com to join automatically.

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- m. Check or uncheck the “Do not allow discovery” option and click “Create”.

Team [User] is ready to use!

You can always create or join another team or switch between teams from the drop-down menu below your name in Fusion.

[User Name](#)

[Go to team](#)

- n. Your team is ready to use. Click “Go to Team”.

Fusion

Team Name goes here... Open... New... Recent Projects My Folders Groups

Hi [User], tell us how you want to get started with Fusion. We'll tailor your experience to your choice. You can change this later from Preferences.

Design Design more produced or hand crafted products.

Computer-Aided Manufacturing (CAM) Create parts and tool paths for manufacturing processes to take your designs from computer to reality.

Generative design Create designs that meet specific performance requirements using optimization and manufacturing constraints.

Electronics engineering Design and analyze electronic circuits.

Simulation Test your design's performance.

Surfacing Use surface modeling to create smooth geometry or to create something new.

Drawing Create 2D drawings from sketches.

Other

[Get Started](#)

Help Product Documentation Self-paced Learning Forum App Store

- o. Fusion is now ready to use.

All Autodesk Accounts with access to Fusion software also have browser access to Fusion. Browser access to Fusion is ideal for Chromebooks and similar devices. With no downloads or installs required to get started, browser access ensures a seamless experience between home computers and the IT lab. Browser access to Fusion is only available in English. To use browser access to Fusion, visit fusion.online.autodesk.com.



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Learning resources

To help you learn Fusion, you can access training tutorials on the [Fusion product center](#).

Support resources

If you need additional support, visit the [Education Support](#) page or use the following resources:

- For help with the confirmation of educational eligibility process read the [Sheered Student FAQ](#) or the [Sheered Educator FAQ](#).
- If you have questions about your educational eligibility, contact our verification service provider SheerID at customerservice@sheerID.com.
- For more information about getting started with Fusion Team for Education, visit the [Autodesk Knowledge Network](#).