

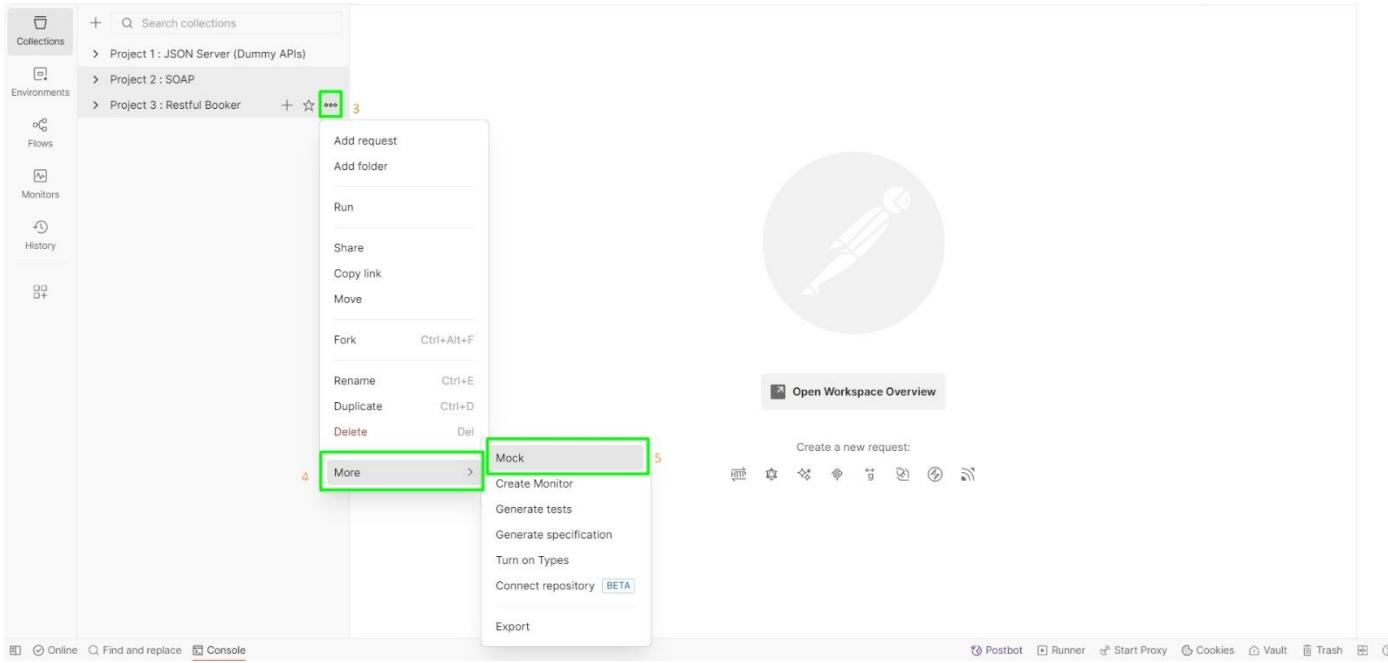
API Mocking in Postman

- API Mocking means **creating a fake (dummy) version of an API** before the real one is ready.
- In Postman, you can **set up mock servers** that return sample responses.
- This helps developers **continue building and testing apps** without waiting for the actual API.
- You can define **sample requests and responses** to show how the real API will behave.
- Mock servers are useful for **testing, demos, and prototyping**.
- It saves time by allowing **parallel development** (frontend and backend teams can work together).
- Mock APIs can also be shared with the team for **early feedback**.

Step 1

The screenshot shows the Postman workspace settings interface. On the left, there's a sidebar with icons for Collections, Environments, Flows, Monitors, History, and a plus sign (1). The main area is titled "Avinash Sinha's Workspace" and contains sections for "Internal" (Build and test APIs within your team), "People in this workspace" (Manage People), and "Configure sidebar". Under "Configure sidebar", there's a list of items with toggles: Collections (on), Environments (on), Flows (NEW) (on), APIs (off), Mock servers (2) (on), Monitors (on), Specs (off), Insights (NEW) (off), and History (on). At the bottom, there's a "Workspace theme" section with a note about making the workspace unique. The bottom navigation bar includes links for Postbot, Runner, Start Proxy, Cookies, Vault, Trash, and Help.

Step 2



Step 3

