

## 1. API Selection

- **API Name:** Restful-Booker
- **Base URL:** <https://restful-booker.herokuapp.com>
- **Description:** I chose this API because it supports full CRUD operations and token-based authentication, allowing for robust testing scenarios.

## 2. Authentication Method

- **Method:** Token-based Authentication (Cookie).
- **Workflow:** I used a **POST** request to the **/auth** endpoint with valid credentials (**admin/password123**).
- **Automation:** A test script captures the returned token and stores it in the **{{token}}** environment variable automatically.
- **[Insert Screenshot of your "Auth - Get Token" request and the Body response]**

## 3. CRUD Operations

- **Create (POST):** Created a new booking. The script captured the new **bookingid**.
  - **[Insert Screenshot of POST Body and Response]**
- **Read (GET):** Retrieved the booking using **{{id}}**.
  - **[Insert Screenshot of GET Response]**
- **Update (PUT):** Updated the "firstname" using the **Cookie: token={{token}}** header.
  - **[Insert Screenshot of PUT Body and Response]**
- **Delete (DELETE):** Removed the booking. Returns **201 Created**.
  - **[Insert Screenshot of DELETE Response]**

## 4. Automation & Variables

- **Environment Variables:** I used **{{base\_url}}**, **{{token}}**, and **{{id}}** to ensure requests were dynamic and not hardcoded.
- **Pre-request Script:** On the DELETE request, I added a pre-request script to automatically refresh the authentication token before execution to prevent expiration errors.

## 5. Collection Runner



