

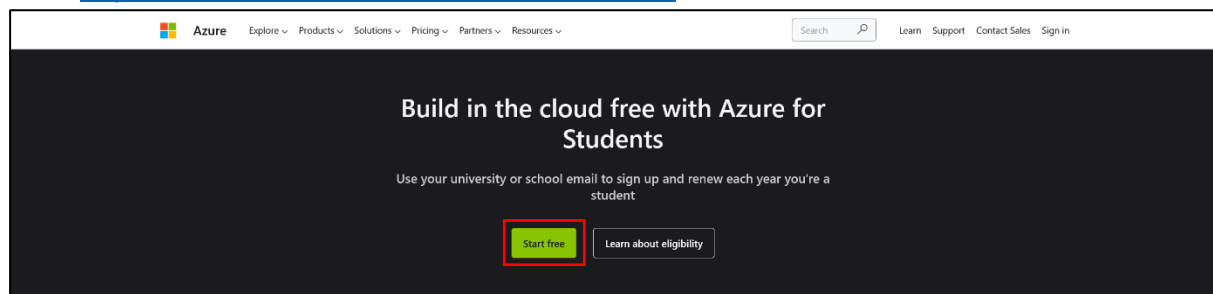
Guide to how to create the SQL SERVER and add DATABASE in Microsoft Azure!

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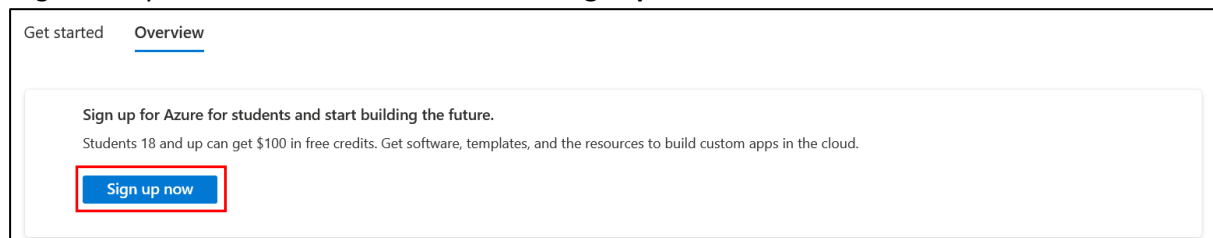
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1. Go to <https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/free/students/> and click on “Start free”.



2. Log in with your student account and click on “Sign up now”



3. Put your phone number and click on “Text me”, insert the **verification code** and click on “Verify code” to confirm your phone number. **(A DUTCH PHONE NUMBER IS REQUIRED!)**

The first screenshot shows the "Identity Verification by phone" form. It has a heading "A text or phone call helps us make sure this is you." Below this, there is a "Country code" dropdown menu set to "Netherlands (+31)". There is a "Phone number" input field with an example "6 123 45678". A note says "Please do not enter country code in your phone number." At the bottom, there are two buttons: "Text me" (highlighted with a red box) and "Call me". The second screenshot shows the same form after the "Text me" button is clicked. It now says "We delivered a code to your phone." There is a "Verification code" input field. At the bottom, there are two buttons: "Verify code" (highlighted with a red box) and "I did not receive a code".

4. Fill in all your details and click on “Sign up”.

Your profile

Country/Region

Netherlands

Choose the location that matches your billing address. You cannot change this selection later. If your country is not listed, the offer is not available in your region. [Learn More](#)

First name

This field is required

Middle name (Optional)

Last name

This field is required

Email address for important notifications

Phone

Example: 6 123 45678

Company VatID

Optional

Address line 1

Address line 2 (Optional)

City

State

--Select--

Postal Code

By proceeding you acknowledge that if you use your organization's email, your organization may have rights to access and manage your data and account. [Learn more](#)

I understand that Microsoft may contact me about my free account.

☐ I agree to the [customer agreement](#).

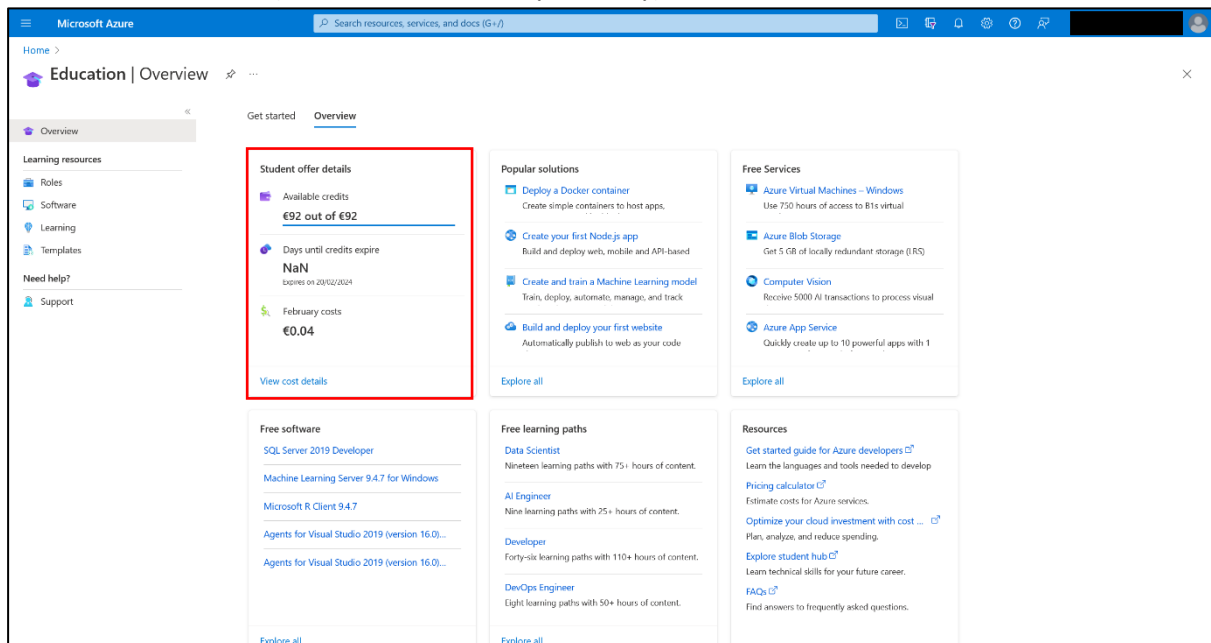
☐ I would like to receive information, tips, and offers about Azure and other Microsoft products and services.

☐ I would like Microsoft to share my information with select partners so I can receive relevant information about their products and services.

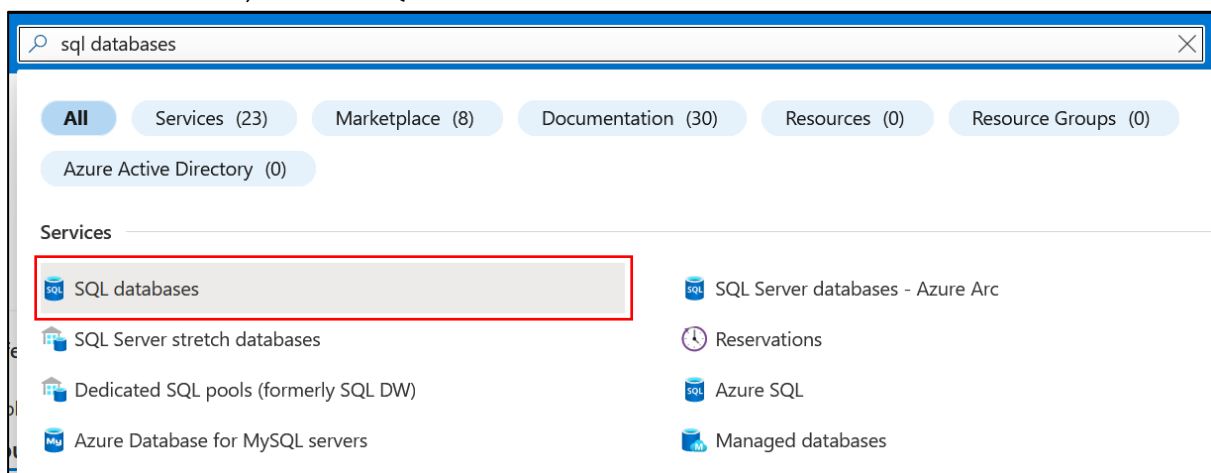
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Sign up

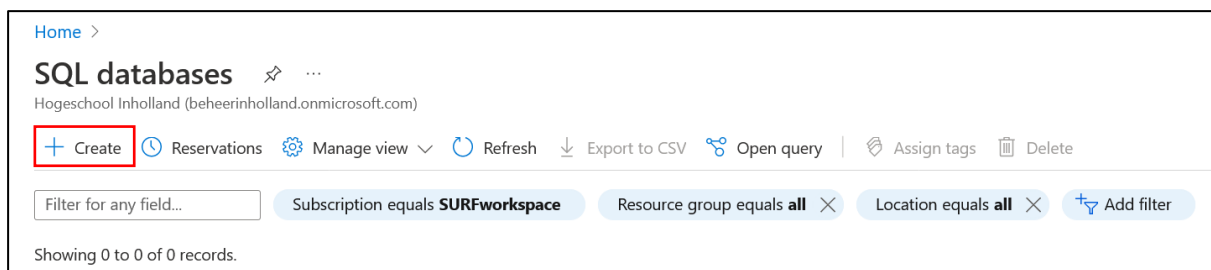
5. Once you finish everything, you will end up on the Microsoft Azure homepage. Make certain that you have **credits available** (amounts and currency can vary).



6. Go to the search bar, look for “SQL databases” and click on it.



7. Click on “Create”.



8. Click on **“Subscription”**, change it to **“Azure for Students”** and then click on **“Create new”**.

Project details
Select the subscription to manage deployed resources and costs. Use resource groups like folders to organize and manage all your resources.

Subscription * ⓘ

1. Azure for Students ▼

Resource group * ⓘ

2. Select a resource group ▼

Create new

9. Fill in the resource group name and click **“OK”**.

A resource group is a container that holds related resources for an Azure solution.

Name *

test1 ✓

OK

Cancel

10. Fill in the Database name and click on **“Create new”**.

Database details
Enter required settings for this database, including picking a logical server and configuring the compute and storage resources

Database name *

test1database ✓

Server * ⓘ

Select a server ▼

Create new

11. Choose the Server name, then in **Location** choose “**(Europe) West Europe**”, click “**Use SQL authentication**”, fill in all the login fields, and then click “**OK**”.

Server details

Enter required settings for this server, including providing a name and location. This server will be created in the same subscription and resource group as your database.

Server name *

1. ✓
.database.windows.net

Location *

2. ▼

Authentication

Select your preferred authentication methods for accessing this server. Create a server admin login and password to access your server with SQL authentication, select only Azure AD authentication [Learn more](#) using an existing Azure AD user, group, or application as Azure AD admin [Learn more](#), or select both SQL and Azure AD authentication.

Authentication method

☐ Use only Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) authentication

☐ Use both SQL and Azure AD authentication

3. ☒ Use SQL authentication

Server admin login *

✓

Password *

✓

Confirm password *

✓

12. In Workload environment choose “**Development**”.

Workload environment

☒ Development
☐ Production

13. Click on “**Configure database**”.

Compute + storage * ⓘ

General Purpose
Standard-series (Gen5), 2 vCores, 32 GB storage, zone redundant disabled
[Configure database](#)

14. Choose the **“Basic”** service tier and click on **“Apply”**.

Service and compute tier

Select from the available tiers based on the needs of your workload. The vCore model provides a wide range of configuration controls and offers Hyperscale and Serverless to automatically scale your database based on your workload needs. Alternately, the DTU model provides set price/performance packages to choose from for easy configuration. [Learn more](#)

Service tier: Basic (For less demanding workloads) ▼

DTUs: [Compare DTU options](#)

5 (Basic)

Data max size (GB):

DTU-based purchasing model

- General Purpose (Scalable compute and storage options)
- Hyperscale (On-demand scalable storage)
- Business Critical (High transaction rate and high resiliency)
- Basic (For less demanding workloads)**
- Standard (For workloads with typical performance requirements)
- Premium (For IO-intensive workloads)

Cost summary

Basic (Basic)	
Cost per DTU (in USD)	0.98
DTUs selected	x 5
ESTIMATED COST / MONTH	4.90 USD

15. Choose **“Locally-redundant backup storage”**.

Backup storage redundancy

Choose how your PITR and LTR backups are replicated. Geo restore or ability to recover from regional outage is only available when geo-redundant storage is selected.

Backup storage redundancy ⓘ

☒ **Locally-redundant backup storage**

☐ Zone-redundant backup storage

☐ Geo-redundant backup storage

16. Click on **“Next : Networking”**.

[Review + create](#) [Next : Networking >](#)

17. In **Network connectivity** select **“Public endpoint”**.

Basics Networking Security Additional settings Tags Review + create

Configure network access and connectivity for your server. The configuration selected below will apply to the selected server 'test1serverproject' and all databases it manages. [Learn more](#)

Network connectivity

Choose an option for configuring connectivity to your server via public endpoint or private endpoint. Choosing no access creates with defaults and you can configure connection method after server creation. [Learn more](#)

Connectivity method * ⓘ

☐ No access

☒ **Public endpoint**

☐ Private endpoint

18. In the **Firewall rules** change section **Add current client IP address** to “Yes” and leave the rest as is.

Firewall rules

Setting 'Allow Azure services and resources to access this server' to Yes allows communications from all resources inside the Azure boundary, that may or may not be part of your subscription. [Learn more](#)

Setting 'Add current client IP address' to Yes will add an entry for your client IP address to the server firewall.

Allow Azure services and resources to access this server * ☐ No ☒ Yes

Add current client IP address * ☐ No ☒ Yes

19. Leave the rest on default and click on “**Review + Create**” and then click on “**Create**” again.

20. Now it will start deploying the server. (It can take a few minutes)

Deployment is in progress

Deployment name: Microsoft.SQLDatabase.newDatabaseNewServe... Start time: 2/20/2023, 7:26:30 PM
Subscription: [Azure for Students](#) Correlation ID: 359e3af1-ced9-4281-9898-116838997d8f
Resource group: test1

21. Server is deployed once you see this message. Click on “**Go to resource**”.

✓ Your deployment is complete

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Deployment details

Next steps

22. Make sure that the status is set to **Online** and copy the **Server name**.

Home > Microsoft.SQLDatabase.newDatabaseNewServer_78a3d5fa2e994fb7bedf5 | Overview

test1database (test1serverproject/test1database)

SQL database

Search

Copy Restore Export Set server firewall Delete Connect with... Feedback

This database was just created. Do you need any help [getting started](#)?

Essentials

Resource group (move) : test1

Status : Online

Location : West Europe

Subscription (move) : [Azure for Students](#)

Subscription ID : 925ce3c2-ec1f-4892-ab97-5d1b9443e153

Tags (edit) : [Click here to add tags](#)

Server name : test1serverproject.database.windows.net

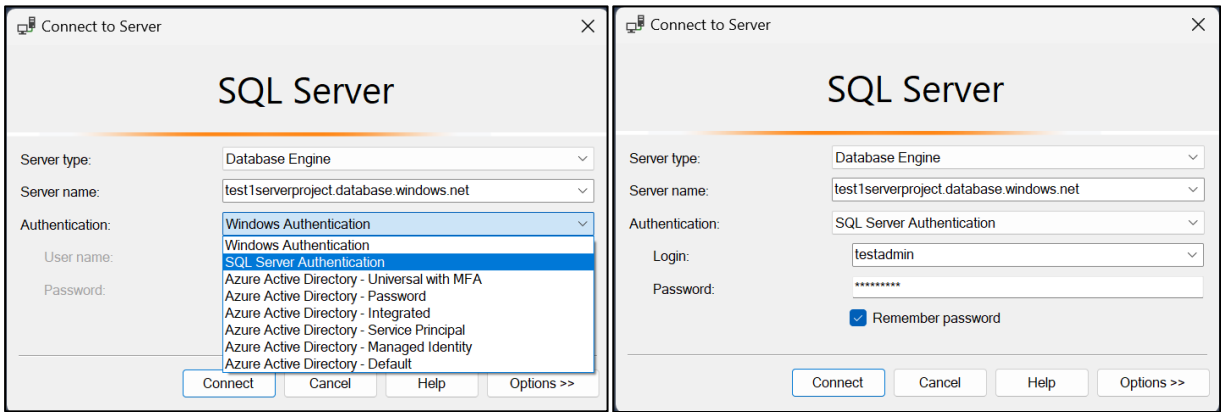
Elastic pool : [No elastic pool](#)

Connection strings : [Show database connection strings](#)

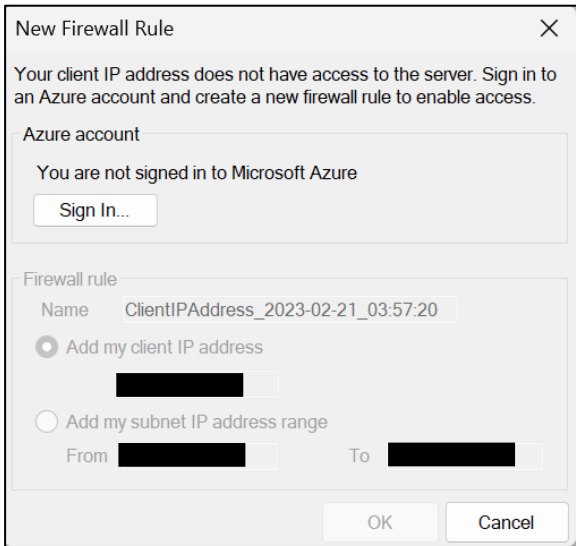
Pricing tier : [Basic](#)

Earliest restore point : No restore point available

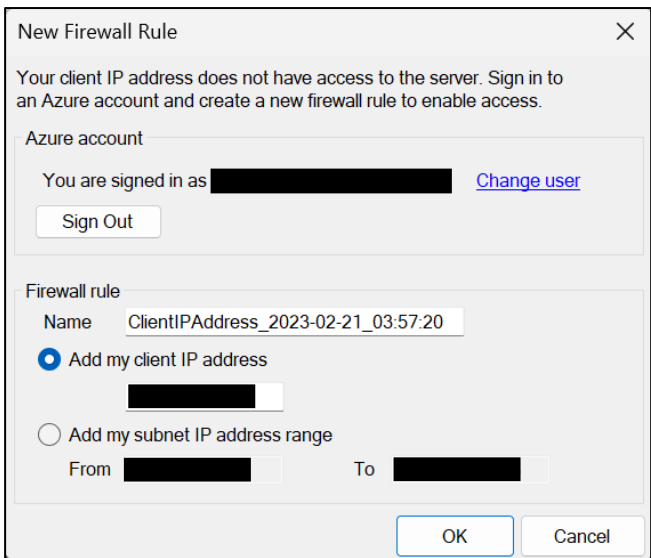
23. Open “SQL Server Management Studio”, paste the server’s name, select "SQL Server Authentication" and proceed to log in with your previously created admin account in the **step 11**.



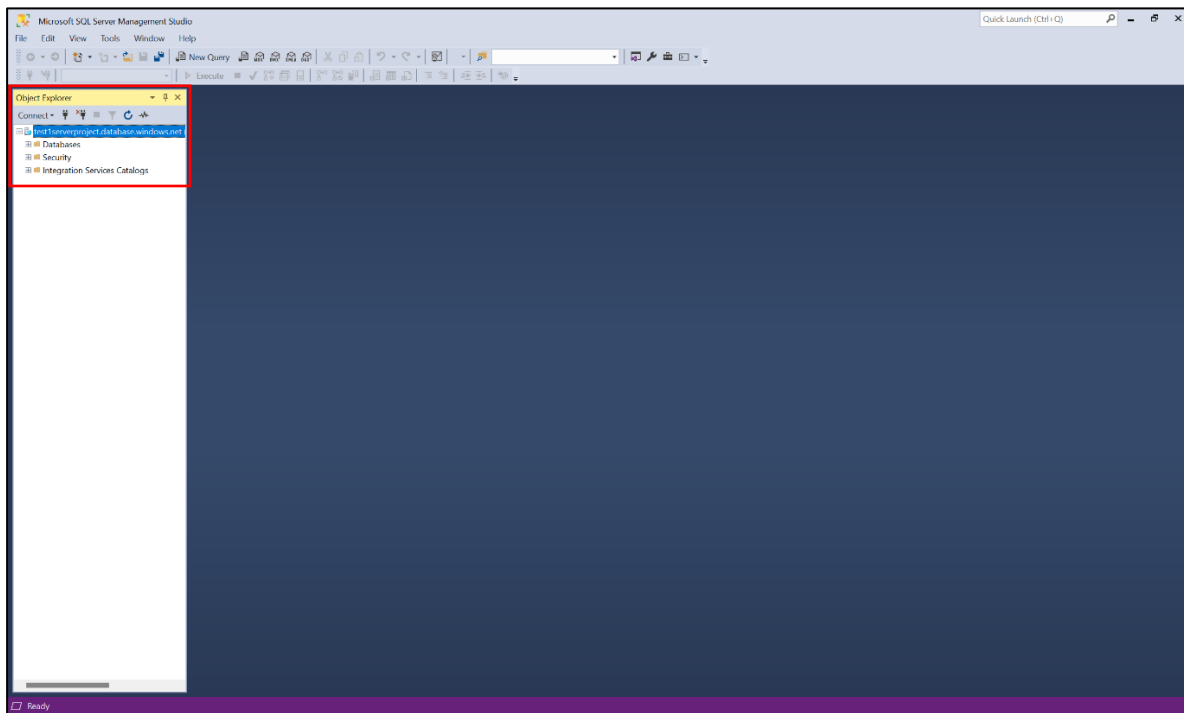
24. Click on “Sign In...” and log in to your student account.



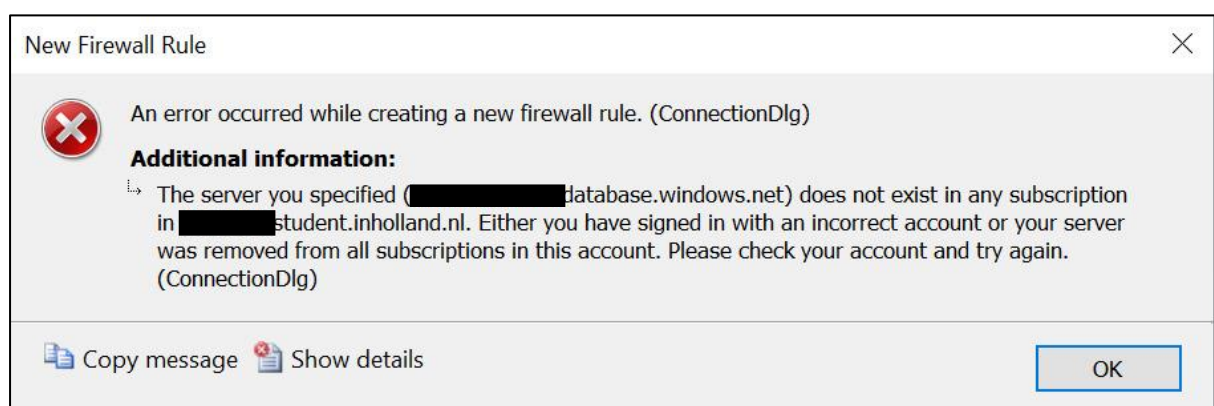
25. Leave everything on default and click “OK”. (DO NOT MODIFY THE CLIENT IP ADDRESS)






26. Once you see this page and directories on the left – configuration is done, and your SQL server is ready to use!



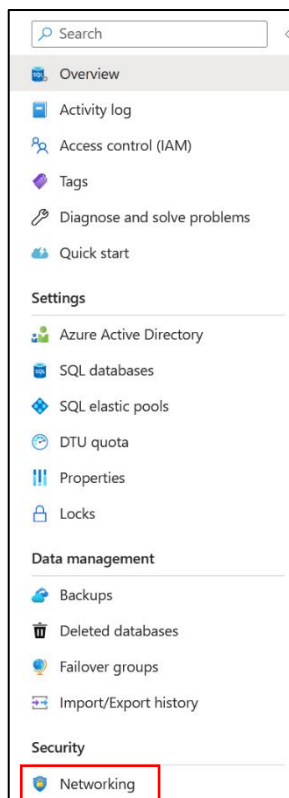
EXTRA STEP IF YOU GET THIS ERROR!



1. Go to <https://portal.azure.com/#home> and click on your **SQL database**.

Resources		
<div>Recent Favorite</div>		
Name	Type	Last Viewed
 somerenterm3	SQL server	15 minutes ago
 somerentest	Resource group	28 minutes ago
 somerentest1	SQL database	28 minutes ago
See all		

2. On the left side search for **Networking**.



3. Click on **“Set server firewall”**.



4. Click on **“Add a firewall rule”**.



5. Fill in **Start IP** and **End IP** as shown in the screenshot and click on **OK**.

Add a firewall rule

Rule name	Start IP	End IP
<input type="text" value="firewall all"/>	<input type="text" value="100.0.0.0"/>	<input type="text" value="255.255.255.255"/>

6. Click on **Save**.