

# DELETE Method

In this lesson, we will learn about the HTTP Delete method.

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The **HTTP DELETE** method deletes the specified resource on the server.

**DELETE** is **idempotent**, which means that an outcome will remain the same even if it's called several times successively with the same request data.

Let's make a **DELETE** request for the given **URL**.

```
curl -iX DELETE https://reqres.in/api/users/2
```

Here, we are trying to delete the user ( id = 2).

• Terminal

## Understanding the terminal output

- The response of **DELETE** request is empty { } **JSON** which means that the resource is deleted and the **HTTP** response status code is **204 OK**.

Please refer to this [link](#) to learn more about **HTTP** Methods.

Let's go through a quick quiz to test your understanding of HTTP methods.