Task: Use Postman Auth instead!

Postman has an Auth helper that makes authorizing requests even easier!

Delete the `api-key` header

Before we use the Postman Auth helper, let's remove the hard-coded header we just added on the "add a book" request.

Hover over the `api-key` header in the **Headers** tab and click the "x" icon at the right to **delete the header**. **Save** your request.

Add Auth to the Collection

The Postman Auth helper can help you add authorization at the request, folder or collection level. Let's add the api-key to our entire collection so that all requests will send the key.

1. Click on your collection **"Postman Library API v2"** and select the **Authorization** (or **Auth**) tab

2. Select **API Key** as the auth **Type**

3. Enter the API Key details in the fields below. **Key:** `api-key`, **Value:** `postmanrulz`, **Add to: Header**

4. **Save** the changes to your collection by clicking the floppy disk icon in the upper right (important!)

and therefore be authorized.

Add a new book

1. Go back to your "add a book" request and **add another book by changing the body in the Body tab**

2. Ensure the Auth method in the **Authorization** tab of your request is set to "Inherit from parent" to use the API Key we set at the collection level. This is the default behavior for requests.
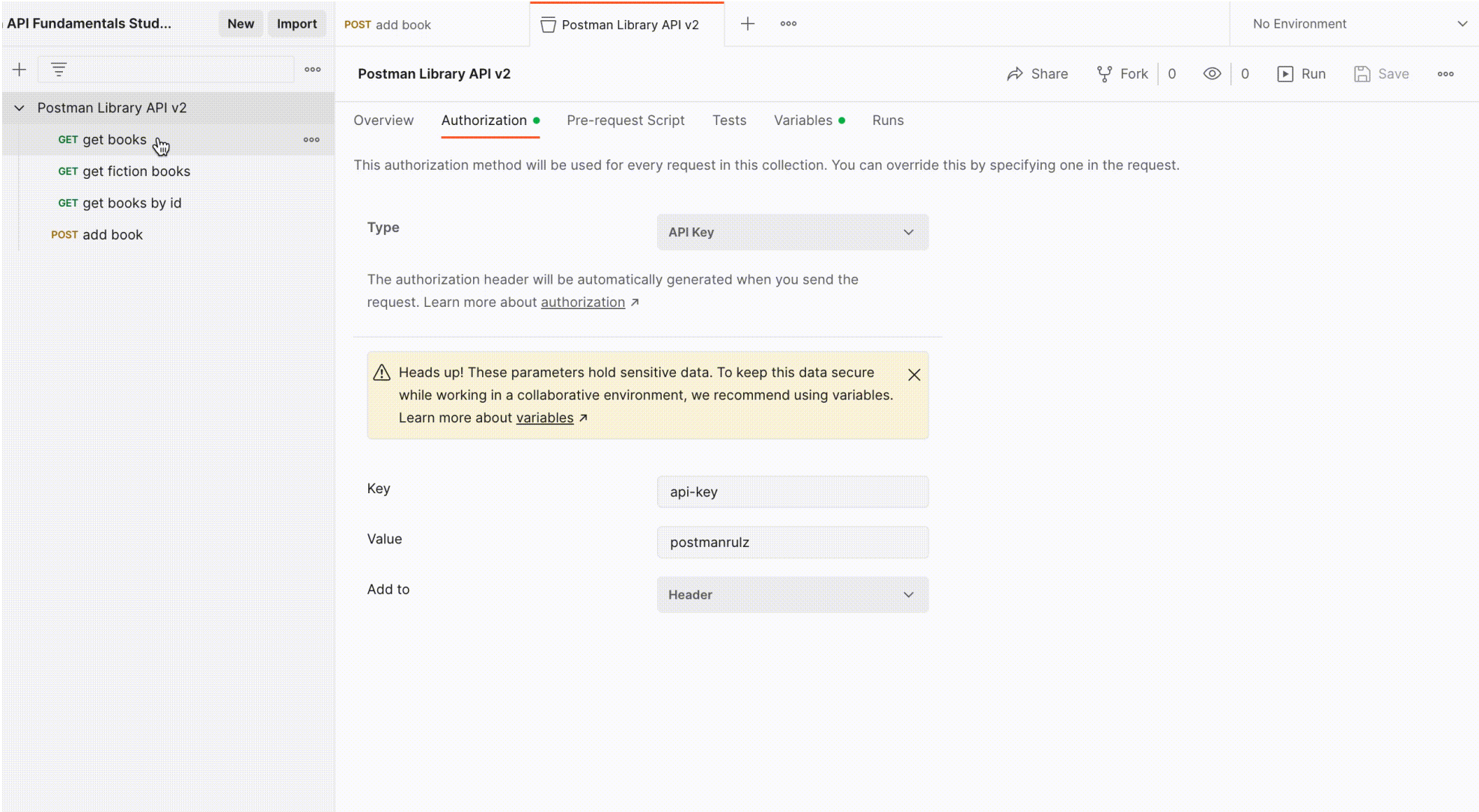
3. **Save** your request and hit **Send**!

You can send the "get books by id" request again to see your new book with the new id