

Steps for installing MySQL and its associated DataBase for AirBooks

Step 1

Install MySQL. Air-Books is designed to work on Windows, so the included .msi file within this directory can be used for install.

During the install, as of AirBooks.v1.0, on the “Choosing setup type” tab, Client only or Full must be selected.

Step 2

Once MySQL has been installed, follow the direction at [this](#) website to set up an initial user by following the directions specified in “Connecting to the MySQL Server with the MySQL Client”.

Step 3

If one is not already present, create a new connection with your root user. [This](#) website has directions that can be followed to create the connection.

Step 4

Using the connection tied to the root user in MySQL Workbench, open up a new query tab. This can be done through Home > MySQL Connections and selecting any connection with the user labeled as “root”.

Once this is opened, open a new SQL script file. This option can be found right below the “Edit” tab. This will open up a file explorer prompt. Select the file named “AirBooksCreation.sql”.

Once this is opened in the workbench, execute the query (lightning blot).

If you have already initialized parts of the SQL database, remove the sections in this file that have already been done to avoid errors before execution. It is recommended, however, that these changes are not saved to the file when the query is exited.

Once this has been done, the connection can be exited.

Step 5

Back in the home screen of MySQL Workbench, select the plus sign to make a new connection. The following are the specifications that need to be specifically set:

- Connection Name = AirBooks
- Connection Method = Standard(TCP/IP)
- Parameters > Hostname = 127.0.0.1
- Parameters > Port = 3306
- Username = AirBooksDBHandler
- Default Schema = air-books

When selecting these options, it is also recommended to select “Store in Vault” for the password, but it is not necessary.

Click test connection to ensure you can connect to the database. Once you can connect, the connections is complete and ready to communicate with AirBooks, so it is safe to close the workshop.