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## **Assignment# 5 - Kubernetes Home Lab Activity**

### **Hello Minikube**

This tutorial shows you how to run a sample app on Kubernetes using minikube. The tutorial provides a container image that uses NGINX to echo back all the requests.

#### Objectives

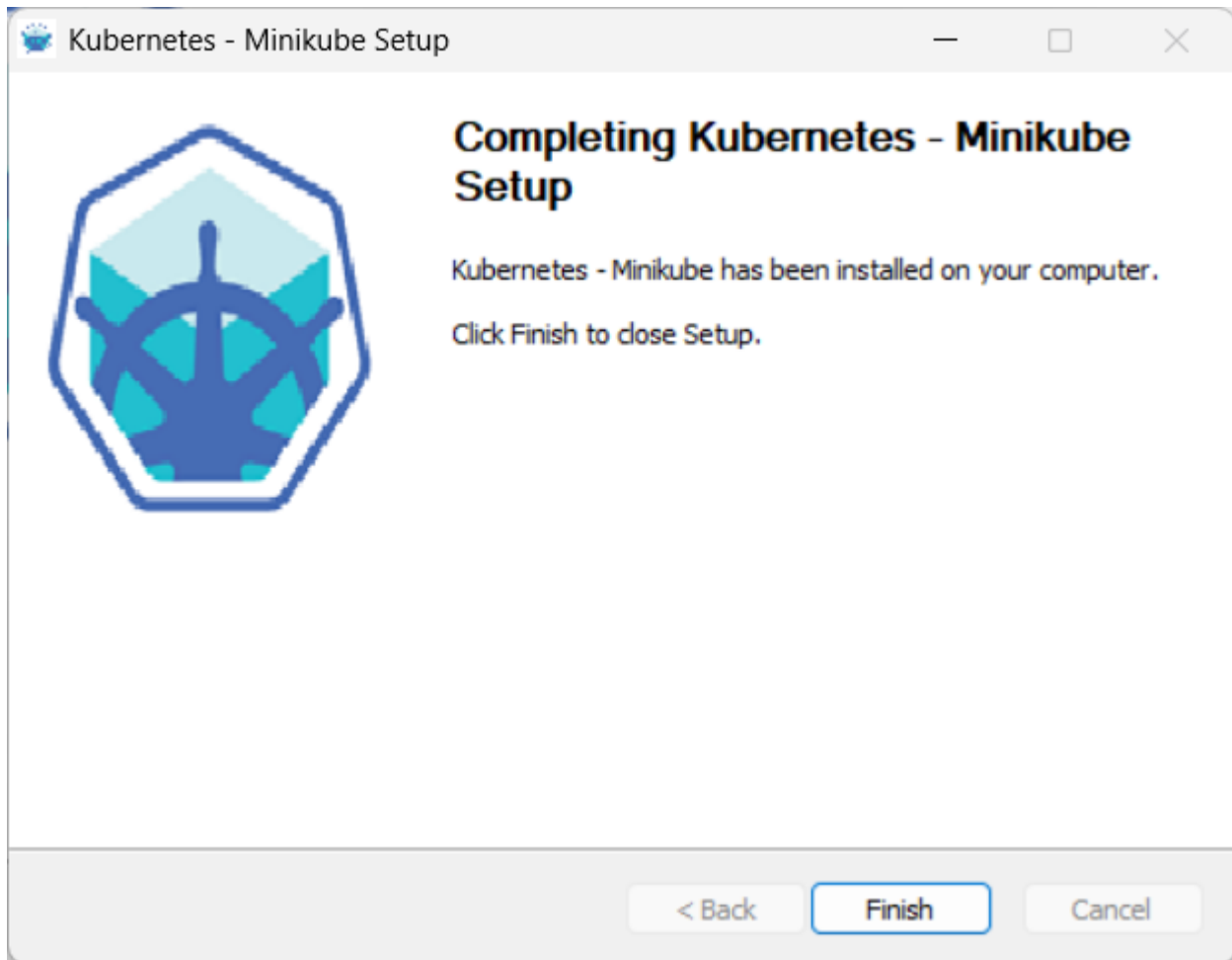
- Deploy a sample application to minikube.
- Run the app.
- View application logs.

### **Before you begin**

This tutorial assumes that you have already set up minikube. See **Step 1** in [minikube start](#) for installation instructions.

**Note:** Only execute the instructions in **Step 1, Installation**. The rest is covered on this page.

You also need to install kubectl. See [Install tools](#) for installation instructions.



## Create a minikube cluster

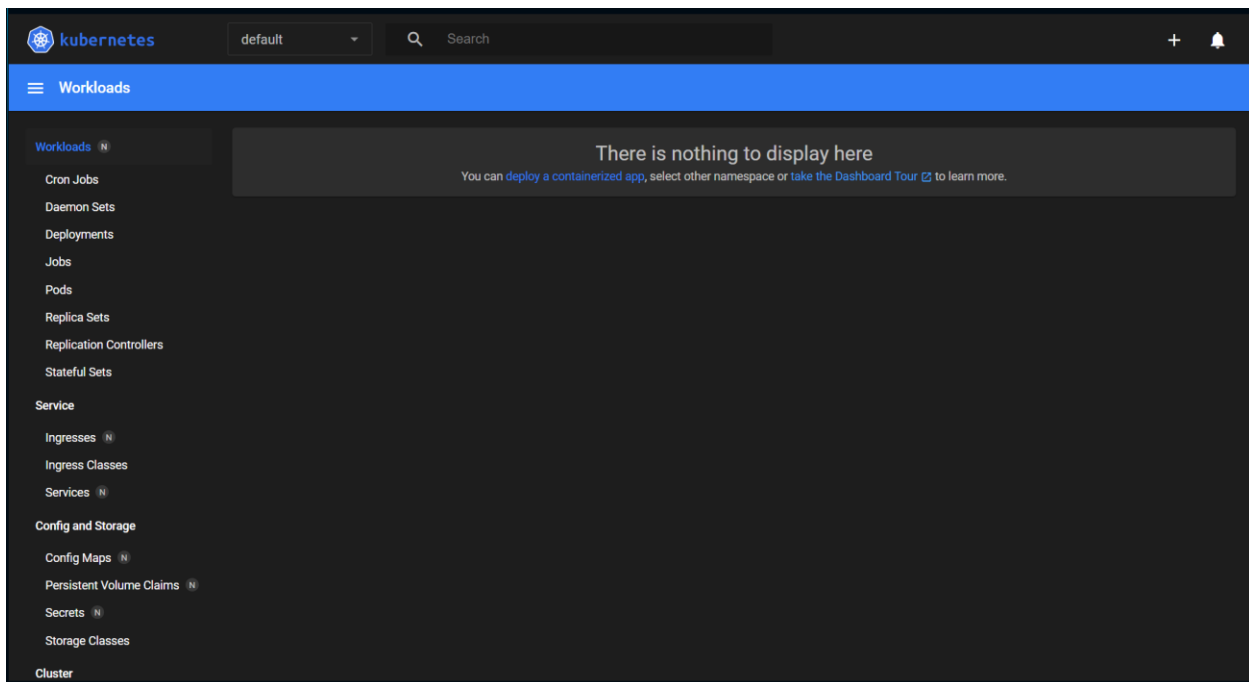
```
C:\Users\silen>minikube start
* minikube v1.37.0 on Microsoft Windows 11 Home 10.0.26200.7171 Build 26200.7171
* Automatically selected the docker driver
* Using Docker Desktop driver with root privileges
* Starting "minikube" primary control-plane node in "minikube" cluster
* Pulling base image v0.0.48 ...
* Downloading Kubernetes v1.34.0 preload ...
  > gcr.io/k8s-minikube/kicbase...: 488.52 MiB / 488.52 MiB 100.00% 4.57 Mi
  > preloaded-images-k8s-v18-v1...: 337.07 MiB / 337.07 MiB 100.00% 3.02 Mi
* Creating docker container (CPUs=2, Memory=8100MB) ...
! Failing to connect to https://registry.k8s.io/ from inside the minikube container
* To pull new external images, you may need to configure a proxy: https://minikube.sigs.k8s.io/docs/reference/networking/proxy/
* Preparing Kubernetes v1.34.0 on Docker 28.4.0 ...
* Configuring bridge CNI (Container Networking Interface) ...
* Verifying Kubernetes components...
  - Using image gcr.io/k8s-minikube/storage-provisioner:v5
* Enabled addons: storage-provisioner, default-storageclass
* Done! kubectl is now configured to use "minikube" cluster and "default" namespace by default
```

## Open the Dashboard

```
C:\Users\silen>minikube dashboard
* Enabling dashboard ...
  - Using image docker.io/kubernetesui/dashboard:v2.7.0
  - Using image docker.io/kubernetesui/metrics-scraper:v1.0.8
* Some dashboard features require the metrics-server addon. To enable all features please run:

    minikube addons enable metrics-server

* Verifying dashboard health ...
* Launching proxy ...
* Verifying proxy health ...
* Opening http://127.0.0.1:56488/api/v1/namespaces/kubernetes-dashboard/services/http:kubernete
s-dashboard:/proxy/ in your default browser...
```



## Create a Deployment

1.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl create deployment hello-node --image=registry.k8s.io/e2e-test-images/agnhost:2.53 -- /agnhost net
exec --http-port=8080
deployment.apps/hello-node created

C:\Users\silen>kubectl get deployments
NAME          READY   UP-TO-DATE   AVAILABLE   AGE
hello-node    0/1     1            0           10s
```

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C:\Users\silen>kubectl get deployments
NAME          READY    UP-TO-DATE    AVAILABLE    AGE
hello-node    0/1      1              0            10s

C:\Users\silen>kubectl get pods
NAME                                READY    STATUS    RESTARTS    AGE
hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl        1/1      Running    0            24s
```

4.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl get events
LAST SEEN   TYPE      REASON              OBJECT                                          MESSAGE
34s         Normal    Scheduled            pod/hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl              Successfully assigned default/hello-no
de-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl to minikube
34s         Normal    Pulling              pod/hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl              Pulling image "registry.k8s.io/e2e-tes
t-images/agnhost:2.53"
17s         Normal    Pulled               pod/hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl              Successfully pulled image "registry.k8
s.io/e2e-test-images/agnhost:2.53" in 16.935s (16.935s including waiting). Image size: 139374622 bytes.
17s         Normal    Created              pod/hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl              Created container: agnhost
17s         Normal    Started              pod/hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl              Started container agnhost
35s         Normal    SuccessfulCreate     replicaset/hello-node-6c9b5f4b59             Created pod: hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62
sl
35s         Normal    ScalingReplicaSet    deployment/hello-node                         Scaled up replica set hello-node-6c9b5
f4b59 from 0 to 1
13m         Normal    Starting              node/minikube                                Starting kubelet.
13m         Normal    NodeHasSufficientMemory node/minikube                                Node minikube status is now: NodeHasSu
fficientMemory
13m         Normal    NodeHasNoDiskPressure node/minikube                                Node minikube status is now: NodeHasNo
DiskPressure
13m         Normal    NodeHasSufficientPID  node/minikube                                Node minikube status is now: NodeHasSu
fficientPID
13m         Normal    NodeAllocatableEnforced node/minikube                                Updated Node Allocatable limit across
pods
13m         Normal    Starting              node/minikube                                Starting kubelet.
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DiskPressure
13m         Normal    NodeHasSufficientPID  node/minikube                                Node minikube status is now: NodeHasSu
fficientPID
13m         Normal    RegisteredNode        node/minikube                                Node minikube event: Registered Node m
inikube in Controller
13m         Normal    Starting              node/minikube                                Starting kubelet.
4m29s       Normal    Starting              node/minikube                                Starting kubelet.
4m27s       Normal    RegisteredNode        node/minikube                                Node minikube event: Registered Node m
inikube in Controller
```

5.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl config view
apiVersion: v1
clusters:
- cluster:
  certificate-authority-data: DATA+OMITTED
  server: https://kubernetes.docker.internal:6443
  name: docker-desktop
- cluster:
  certificate-authority: C:\Users\silen\.minikube\ca.crt
  extensions:
  - extension:
    last-update: Sun, 30 Nov 2025 22:24:03 +08
    provider: minikube.sigs.k8s.io
    version: v1.37.0
    name: cluster_info
  server: https://127.0.0.1:56446
  name: minikube
contexts:
- context:
  cluster: docker-desktop
  user: docker-desktop
  name: docker-desktop
- context:
  cluster: minikube
  extensions:
  - extension:
    last-update: Sun, 30 Nov 2025 22:24:03 +08
    provider: minikube.sigs.k8s.io
    version: v1.37.0
    name: context_info
  namespace: default
  user: minikube
  name: minikube
current-context: minikube
kind: Config
users:
- name: docker-desktop
  user:
    client-certificate-data: DATA+OMITTED
    client-key-data: DATA+OMITTED
- name: minikube
  user:
    client-certificate: C:\Users\silen\.minikube\profiles\minikube\client.crt
    client-key: C:\Users\silen\.minikube\profiles\minikube\client.key
```

6.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl logs hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl
I1130 14:28:18.710619      1 log.go:245] Started HTTP server on port 8080
I1130 14:28:18.710897      1 log.go:245] Started UDP server on port 8081
```

## Create a Service

1.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl expose deployment hello-node --type=LoadBalancer --port=8080
service/hello-node exposed
```

2.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl get services
NAME          TYPE          CLUSTER-IP      EXTERNAL-IP      PORT(S)          AGE
hello-node    LoadBalancer 10.105.103.16   <pending>        8080:32174/TCP   56s
kubernetes    ClusterIP      10.96.0.1       <none>           443/TCP          24m
```

3.

```
C:\Users\silen>minikube service hello-node
```

NAMESPACE	NAME	TARGET PORT	URL
default	hello-node	8080	http://192.168.49.2:32174

```
* Starting tunnel for service hello-node.
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NAMESPACE	NAME	TARGET PORT	URL
default	hello-node		http://127.0.0.1:57033

```
* Starting tunnel for service hello-node.
```

```
* Opening service default/hello-node in default browser...
```




```
! Because you are using a Docker driver on windows, the terminal needs to be open to run it.
```

```
NOW: 2025-11-30 14:39:56.616860689 +0000 UTC m=+697.939811704
```

## Enable addons

1.

```
C:\Users\silen>minikube addons list
```

ADDON NAME	PROFILE	STATUS	MAINTAINER
ambassador	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Ambassador)
amd-gpu-device-plugin	minikube	disabled	3rd party (AMD)
auto-pause	minikube	disabled	minikube
cloud-spanner	minikube	disabled	Google
csi-hostpath-driver	minikube	disabled	Kubernetes
dashboard	minikube	enabled 	Kubernetes
default-storageclass	minikube	enabled 	Kubernetes
efk	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Elastic)
freshpod	minikube	disabled	Google
gcp-auth	minikube	disabled	Google
gvisor	minikube	disabled	minikube
headlamp	minikube	disabled	3rd party (kinvolk.io)
inaccel	minikube	disabled	3rd party (InAccel [info@inaccel.com])
ingress	minikube	disabled	Kubernetes
ingress-dns	minikube	disabled	minikube
inspektor-gadget	minikube	disabled	3rd party (inspektor-gadget.io)
istio	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Istio)
istio-provisioner	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Istio)
kong	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Kong HQ)
kubeflow	minikube	disabled	3rd party
kubetail	minikube	disabled	3rd party (kubetail.com)
kubevirt	minikube	disabled	3rd party (KubeVirt)
logviewer	minikube	disabled	3rd party (unknown)
metallb	minikube	disabled	3rd party (MetalLB)
metrics-server	minikube	disabled	Kubernetes
nvidia-device-plugin	minikube	disabled	3rd party (NVIDIA)
nvidia-driver-installer	minikube	disabled	3rd party (NVIDIA)
nvidia-gpu-device-plugin	minikube	disabled	3rd party (NVIDIA)
olm	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Operator Framework)
pod-security-policy	minikube	disabled	3rd party (unknown)
portainer	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Portainer.io)
registry	minikube	disabled	minikube
registry-aliases	minikube	disabled	3rd party (unknown)
registry-creds	minikube	disabled	3rd party (UPMC Enterprises)
storage-provisioner	minikube	enabled 	minikube
storage-provisioner-gluster	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Gluster)
storage-provisioner-rancher	minikube	disabled	3rd party (Rancher)
volcano	minikube	disabled	third-party (volcano)
volumesnapshots	minikube	disabled	Kubernetes
yakd	minikube	disabled	3rd party (marcnuri.com)

2.

```
C:\Users\silen>minikube addons enable metrics-server
* metrics-server is an addon maintained by Kubernetes. For any concerns contact minikube on GitHub.
You can view the list of minikube maintainers at: https://github.com/kubernetes/minikube/blob/master/OWNERS
- Using image registry.k8s.io/metrics-server/metrics-server:v0.8.0
* The 'metrics-server' addon is enabled
```

3.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl get pod,svc -n kube-system
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
pod/coredns-66bc5c9577-fv2cj	1/1	Running	2 (6m40s ago)	33m
pod/etcd-minikube	1/1	Running	2 (6m38s ago)	33m
pod/kube-apiserver-minikube	1/1	Running	3 (6m35s ago)	33m
pod/kube-controller-manager-minikube	1/1	Running	2 (6m45s ago)	33m
pod/kube-proxy-9w2sb	1/1	Running	2 (6m45s ago)	33m
pod/kube-scheduler-minikube	1/1	Running	2 (6m45s ago)	33m
pod/metrics-server-85b7d694d7-x2h2l	1/1	Running	0	5m25s
pod/storage-provisioner	1/1	Running	5 (6m32s ago)	33m

NAME	TYPE	CLUSTER-IP	EXTERNAL-IP	PORT(S)	AGE
service/kube-dns	ClusterIP	10.96.0.10	<none>	53/UDP,53/TCP,9153/TCP	33m
service/metrics-server	ClusterIP	10.103.56.53	<none>	443/TCP	5m25s

4.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl top pods
```

NAME	CPU(cores)	MEMORY(bytes)
hello-node-6c9b5f4b59-j62sl	1m	7Mi

5.

```
C:\Users\silen>minikube addons disable metrics-server
* "The 'metrics-server' addon is disabled"
```

## Clean up

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl delete service hello-node
service "hello-node" deleted from default namespace

C:\Users\silen>kubectl delete deployment hello-node
deployment.apps "hello-node" deleted from default namespace
```

```
C:\Users\silen>minikube stop
* Stopping node "minikube" ...
* Powering off "minikube" via SSH ...
* 1 node stopped.
```



```
C:\Users\silen>minikube delete
* Deleting "minikube" in docker ...
* Deleting container "minikube" ...
* Removing C:\Users\silen\.minikube\machines\minikube ...
* Removed all traces of the "minikube" cluster.
```

## Get a Shell to a Running Container

This page shows how to use `kubectl exec` to get a shell to a running container.

Before you begin

You need to have a Kubernetes cluster, and the `kubectl` command-line tool must be configured to communicate with your cluster. It is recommended to run this tutorial on a cluster with at least two nodes that are not acting as control plane hosts. If you do not already have a cluster, you can create one by using [minikube](#) or you can use one of these Kubernetes playgrounds:

- [iximiuz Labs](#)
- [Killercodea](#)
- [CodeKloud](#)
- [Play with Kubernetes](#)

## Getting a shell to a container

1.

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl apply -f https://k8s.io/examples/application/shell-demo.yaml
pod/shell-demo created
```

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl get pod shell-demo
NAME          READY   STATUS    RESTARTS   AGE
shell-demo    1/1     Running   0           53s
```

```
C:\Users\silen>kubectl exec --stdin --tty shell-demo -- /bin/bash
root@minikube:/# ls /
bin    dev          docker-entrypoint.sh  home  lib64  mnt  proc  run  srv  tmp  var
boot  docker-entrypoint.d  etc          lib   media  opt  root  sbin  sys  usr
root@minikube:/# |
```

## Writing the root page for nginx

I'm very sorry sir; this is the farthest I can do since I could not find the nginx folder.  
Again, I am very sorry sir.