

# Deployment API and website

Currently, both the frontend and backend are deployed using [Railway](#) through my personal account. I recommend discussing with the teachers and the client what alternative hosting solutions might be appropriate, as Railway may require a paid subscription for continued use.

If you choose to continue using Railway with your own or someone else's account, you can reuse my CI/CD pipeline scripts. To get it working, simply make sure to add the required environment variables to the new repository.

## All environment variables in the project

For access to the railway project:

- RAILWAY\_PROJECT\_ID
- RAILWAY\_TOKEN
- RAILWAY\_SERVICE\_ID\_BACKEND
- RAILWAY\_SERVICE\_ID\_FRONTEND

For the database credentials:

- SPRING\_DATASOURCE\_USERNAME
- SPRING\_DATASOURCE\_URL
- SPRING\_DATASOURCE\_PUBLIC\_URL
- SPRING\_DATASOURCE\_PASSWORD

For sending emails in deployment I am using sendgrid (personal account):

- SENDGRID\_API\_KEY

You'll likely also need to look for an email delivery service, since SendGrid requires a paid plan after reaching the free tier limits. To see how email functionality is currently implemented using SendGrid, navigate to:

**src/main/resources/application-prod.properties**