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📌 Must-Read: Education Community Essential Guide – Updated Monthly! (🐰 April Edition) #152919

`Pinned` `Unanswered`   samus-aran asked this question in **GitHub Education**

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samus-aran on Mar 3   `Maintainer`   edited ▾

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Welcome to the GitHub Education Community!

Whether you're a student, teacher, or lifelong learner, this post is your go-to guide for everything happening in the Education community. Check this resource monthly for key resources, important discussions, and the latest events to explore. For Frequently Asked Questions see these resources:

- Student Developer Pack Application + Copilot Pro FAQs 🔒 ✨ – Get help for verification before posting!
- Educators & GitHub Classroom FAQs 🍎 📽️ – Tips for educators getting verified and using GitHub Classroom

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🔑 Key Discussions & Announcements (April Edition)

Stay up to date with the latest community discussions and important updates.

🚀 GitHub Foundations Certificate: Get Prepped and Ready to Go with Us!

Thinking of **Leveling Up** your GitHub knowledge? We're running a 4 week **GitHub Foundations Exam** prep course right here in our community! **Actively participate throughout the course** for a chance to receive a free Github Foundations Certification exam voucher — with **25 vouchers** available to be awarded!

🔒 GitHub Bug Bounty Program Series - Join the Challenge!

Did you read our March Dive into Bug Bounty series giving you an introduction and How to Get Involved? Be sure to test your detective skills with our SQL Injection challenge and *have a chance to earn a free voucher for the GitHub Advanced Security certification test!* 🎉

🌀 Weekly Coding Challenges? Yesssssssssssssssss, Pleasssssssssse!

Join in on the fun with **@mecodeatlas** for a 4 week series of **Python coding challenges**. We're practicing being Alien translators 👽 and Medieval scorekeepers ⚔️

👏 👏 Let's congratulate our GitHub Copilot Learning Course Winners 🧑‍🎓 ✈️ 🧑‍🏫

Jump into the conversation and celebrate with your fellow community members. These 10 awesome champions have earned a *free GitHub certification exam voucher* 🎫 If you want to test your skills as well, work through from the beginning and let us know how you get on in the discussions 💬

🙌 Thank you for sharing your experiences! Check out the results from our Latest Community Survey

We just dropped the results from our March 2025 Community Survey! GitHub Education was one of your top mentioned categories 🔒 including **Copilot** and **Programming Help**. We had **24K** created discussions in the past year 🤯 **45% shared they visit us daily**, let us know how we can make our community even more engaging 📝 ✍️

📣 Your participation helps make our community stronger! Review these discussions and share your thoughts.

📅 Upcoming Events & Opportunities (April Edition)

We've teamed up with one of our top community contributors for a special collaboration! 🎉

@davevad93 generously agreed to help us create better tools and guidance to empower you to support each other. **Stay tuned for that this April** 📅 Your engagement inspires everything we do—thank you for helping shape the future of this space. 💗

Upcoming Hackathons from MLH 2025 Season 💻 ⚡

- 📍 Apr 4–6 – HackByte3.0 @ Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh (In-Person)
- 📍 Apr 5 – SharkHack Spring 2025 @ Simmons University, Boston (In-Person)
- 🌐 Apr 11–13 – Global Hack Week: AI Hackfest (Online)
- 📍 Apr 11–13 – DragonHack 2025 – Ljubljana, Slovenia (In-Person)
- 🌐 Apr 11–17 – Global Hack Week: API Week (Online)
- 📍 Apr 19–20 – HackDavis – Davis, CA (In-Person, social good focus)

👉 See more MLH events

Ready to boost your AI skills? Registration for the Microsoft AI Skills Fest is now open!

🏛️ **April 8 - May 28**, Kick off April 8 with a **Guinness World Record** (AI lesson) & enjoy 50 days of learning (hackathons, training & more).

Sign up: gh.io/aiskillsfest 👈

☀️ Community Spotlight – Shoutout to Our Contributors! (April Edition)

Each month, we highlight members who go above and beyond—whether by helping others, asking insightful questions, or sharing valuable resources. A huge thank you to:

- 🧍 **@JibrilExe**, **@Saadullahkhan3**, **@allubie**, **@stop1204**, **@ahmad-bradii** for their amazing efforts and sharing their findings with everyone in Borrow and Build: Unlocking New Skills Through Code Reuse post. *Super Stars* 🌟 🌟
- 🧍 **@imDarshanGK** is just flying into discussions helping others - they also took the time to share more on what they are working on in our Introduction discussion. We would love more members like them replying back so we can all get to know each other a little more! 💗
- 🧍 With **205+** comments in GitHub Education alone in the past month, **@davevad93** continues to be the **community's go-to problem solver**. Helpful in everything from benefit activation to domain issues and re-verification troubleshooting. 🙏

👏 Want to be featured? Keep engaging, helping, and contributing valuable insights!

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📌 **Subscribe to this discussion and never miss out!**

On the right sidebar of the discussion page, locate the "**Notifications**" section. Click on the "**Subscribe**" button to start receiving notifications for updates to this discussion. Every month we'll post a comment so you know when the latest edition is ready 🔔

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samus-aran on Mar 10 [Maintainer] [Author]

Hey folks! Felt this needed a separate shout out 🎉

Share Your Feedback on the GitHub Community! 🚀

We want to hear from you! Take our quick 5-minute survey, open from **March 10-24, 202**5 to help us improve the GitHub Community. Your input helps us understand what's working, what could be better, and how you like to participate.

Take the survey now and make your voice heard! 🎉

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AttackerGans 3 weeks ago
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krpi8429 last week
Stale. Should be removed.
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Write a reply

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samus-aran on Mar 31 [Maintainer] [Author]

🚀 New Update Alert – April Edition is Here!

Hey everyone! The April update just dropped and it's packed with great discussions from the community and links to some exciting upcoming Hackathons! 🎉
Don't miss out — check it out here and join the conversation. See ya there! 👋

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gftvlie on Apr 2

come on, good

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imDarshanGK on Apr 3

Thanks @samus-aran! 😉 I'm glad to be part of this community and looking forward to contributing more. Excited for the upcoming events and discussions! 🚀

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aeratory678 on May 4

Hiya, @samus-aran .waiting for an monthly update to may edition

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LR-Argentino on May 4

Hey, is it possible to take the May edition in June? I have to wait for my company to pay me first.

Thanks!

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Akash-Gupta-git on May 9

If my exam is in between two months, can I take the exam after two months?

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LLizman on May 17 | 🚀 1

Just now, my application for Github student package certification was rejected. I clicked on the community hoping to find some help. But I didn't lose heart. There are always more solutions than difficulties. Maybe slowly understanding the policy is a good start. As Github is the best website in the world.

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ahmad-bradii on May 17

I was rejected 4 times for blurry photos, but after improving the quality, I was approved.

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Dues-ExMachina 2 weeks ago

Can i apply with college fees slip? I don't have a college email or id.

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krpi8429 last week

There doens't seem to be any way to upload screenshots or actual, machine readable documents. No clue what they're expecting.

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WNR-Official last week

yes this not valid way to get edu support

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Write a reply

OlympicC1 on May 24

I've been trying sense Winter Quarter to get approved and now almost done with Spring and about to start Summer lol! Seriously frustrating. I turned my transcripts. Any other suggestions?

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krpi8429 last week

I haven't figured it out either.

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Write a reply

victoriajohn7811 on May 24

Super helpful roundup these monthly updates really make it easy to stay in the loop. The Student Pack FAQ link is a lifesaver too https://mepcobillchk.pk/mepco-bill-calculator/!

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hakkiduran3455 3 weeks ago

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kangwonlee last week

@samus-aran Hi thanks for the info.

Can you remind me how I can upgrade one of my organizations to Teams through the educator's benefit ?

Recently I created an organization and upgraded but asked for payment method. I entered my card number and it charged.

However, after I distributed my assignment links, students' repositories are not created.

Could you please let me know how I would be able to resolve the issues?

Good day,

KW

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WNR-Official last week

Hi @kw, thanks for reaching out!

To upgrade an organization to Teams using the educator's benefit, you need to be a verified educator through GitHub Education. After approval, visit your GitHub Global Campus dashboard, find the "Upgrade your academic organizations" section, and click "Upgrade to GitHub Team" next to the organization name. This should apply the free upgrade if eligible —no payment should be required. If you were charged, it might be due to a delay in benefit activation or an error in the process. I recommend contacting GitHub support at support@github.com to request a refund and verify your educator benefits are properly applied.

Regarding the student repository creation issue, after distributing assignment links via GitHub Classroom, ensure students have accepted the invitations. If repositories aren't created, check that the organization is correctly linked to your classroom, the assignment settings (e.g., team options, visibility) are configured, and students have the necessary permissions. If the problem persists, it could be related to the recent upgrade glitch—revisit the assignment setup in GitHub Classroom and resend the links.

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kangwonlee 5 days ago   edited ▾

@W-N-R

Thanks. I could lookup the Global Campus dashboard and upgrade the organization.

I am currently testing my assignment links.

I think it is always helpful to check & double check in advance.

Best wishes

KW

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Write a reply

kartik-vats 10 hours ago

Hi team, I've been verified since July 3 2025, but I'm still not in the github-students org and can't apply for Campus Expert. Could someone from GitHub run the backend sync or add me manually? Thank you!

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