How to install python 2.7 on windows
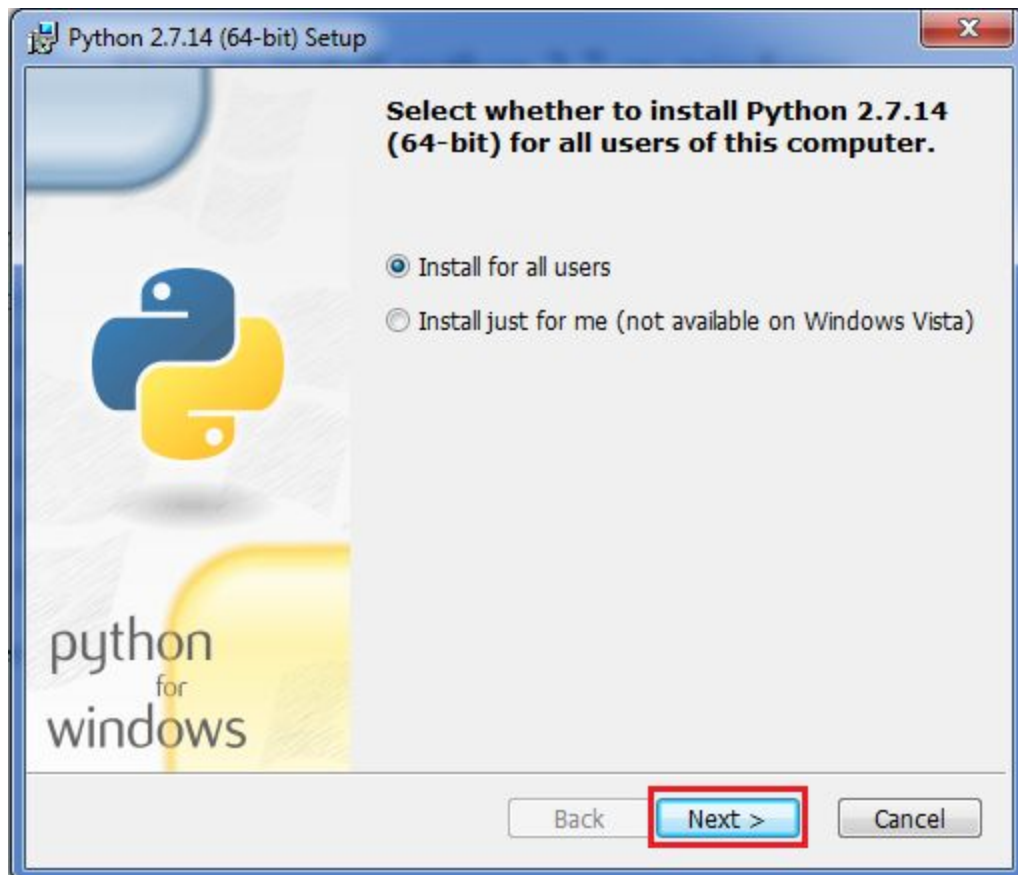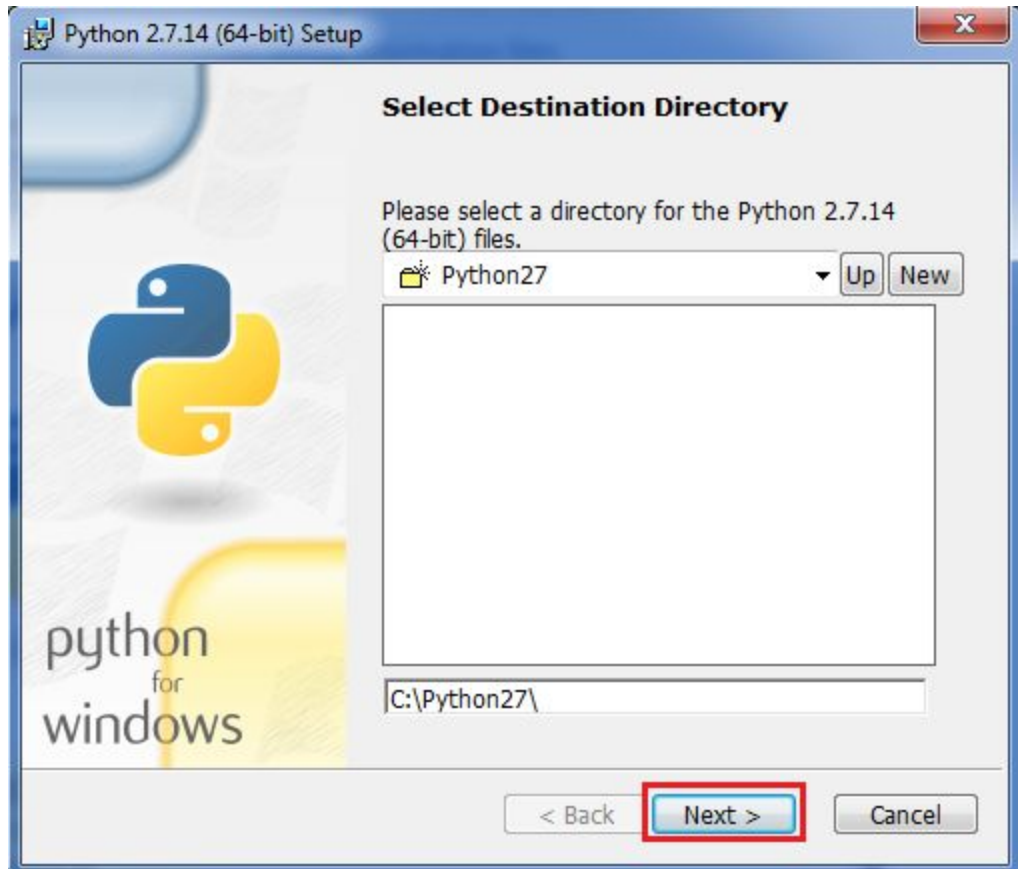
- Use this link and scroll down to the heading Python 2.7.14 - 2017-09-16 and click the download link for windows x86-64 MSI installer. Link: https://www.python.org/downloads/windows/
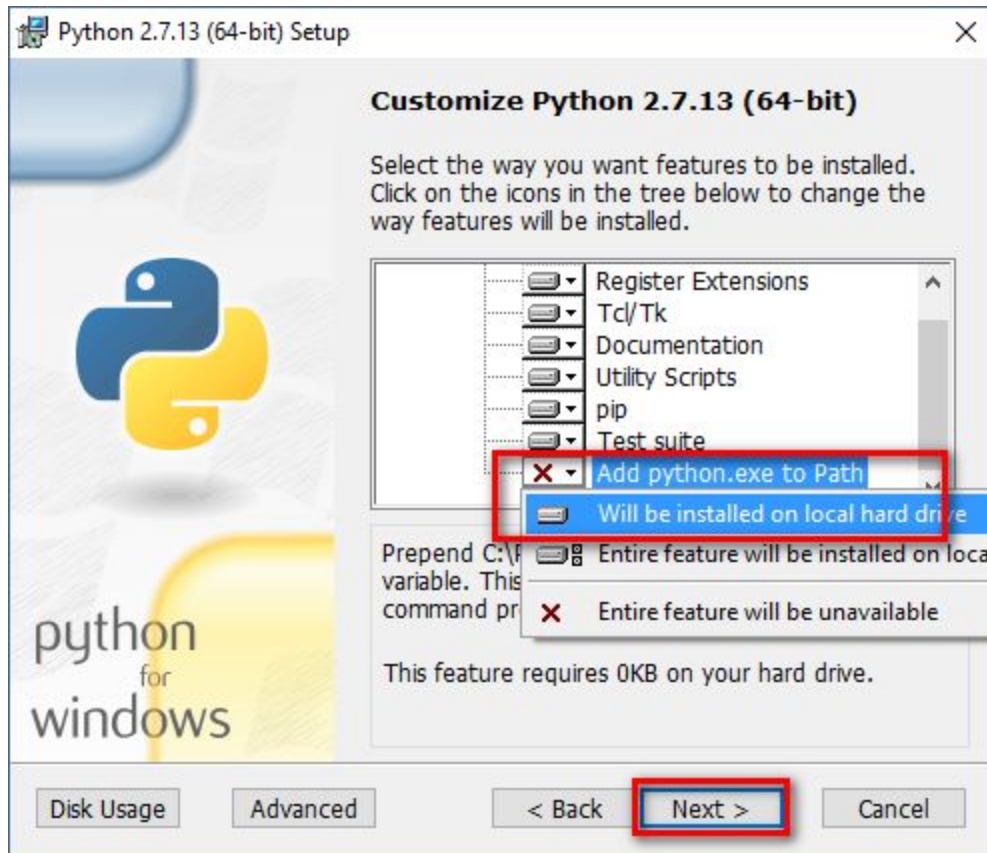

- After the download finishes open it up and the installer should look like this! In this step you are choosing whether to install python for all user on the computers or just for you. Click next.
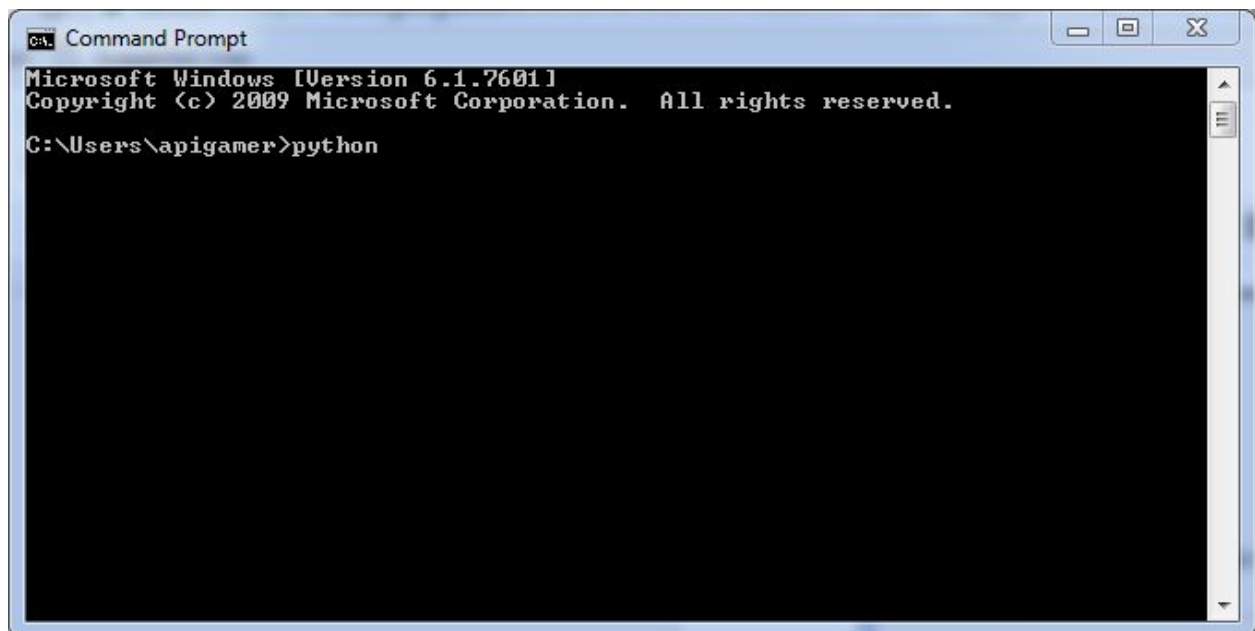

- In this step click next again.

- In this next step you need to scroll down to where it says "Add python.exe to path" and select the option **will be installed on local hard drive** then click next.
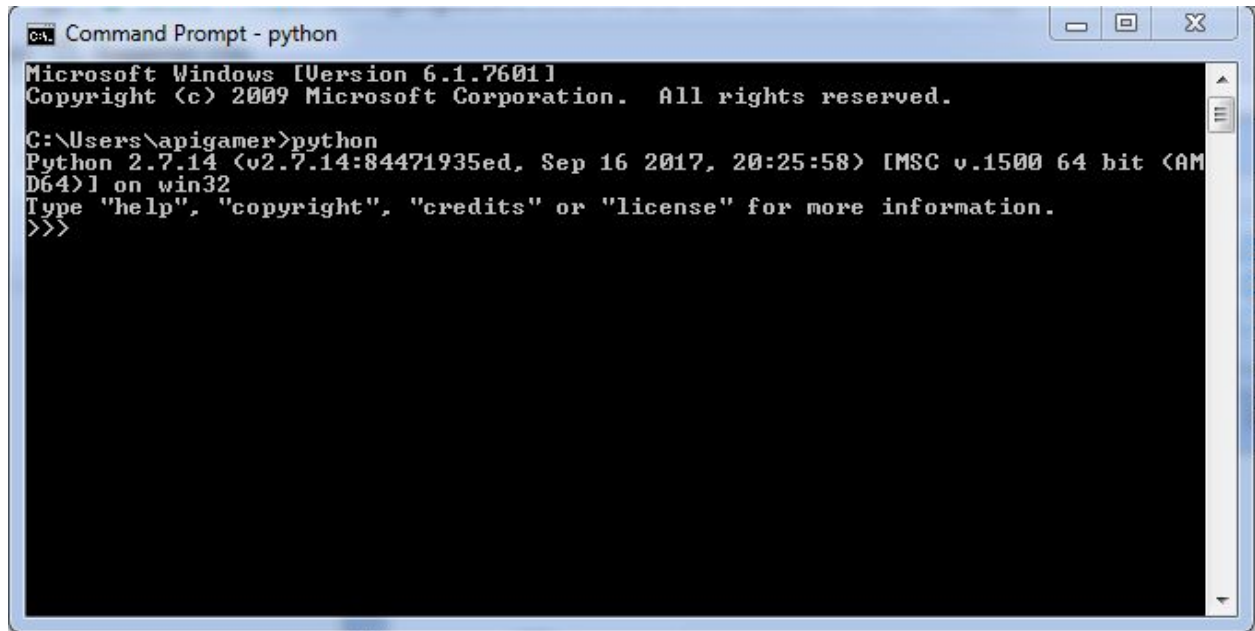
- Once it installs it will give you this screen. Click finish.

- Next click on the quick start toolbar(bottom left corner of your screen) and search for the command prompt. Open it up and type in python.

- It should return this!

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Command Prompt - python

Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7601]
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C:\Users\apigamer>python
Python 2.7.14 (v2.7.14:84471935ed, Sep 16 2017, 20:25:58) [MSC v.1500 64 bit (AM
D64)] on win32
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>>
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- Congrats on completing this tutorial!
- Side note: you can check the version of python you're running by typing python -V in the command prompt