

## Google OAuth 2.0 Setup Guide (Google Auth Platform)

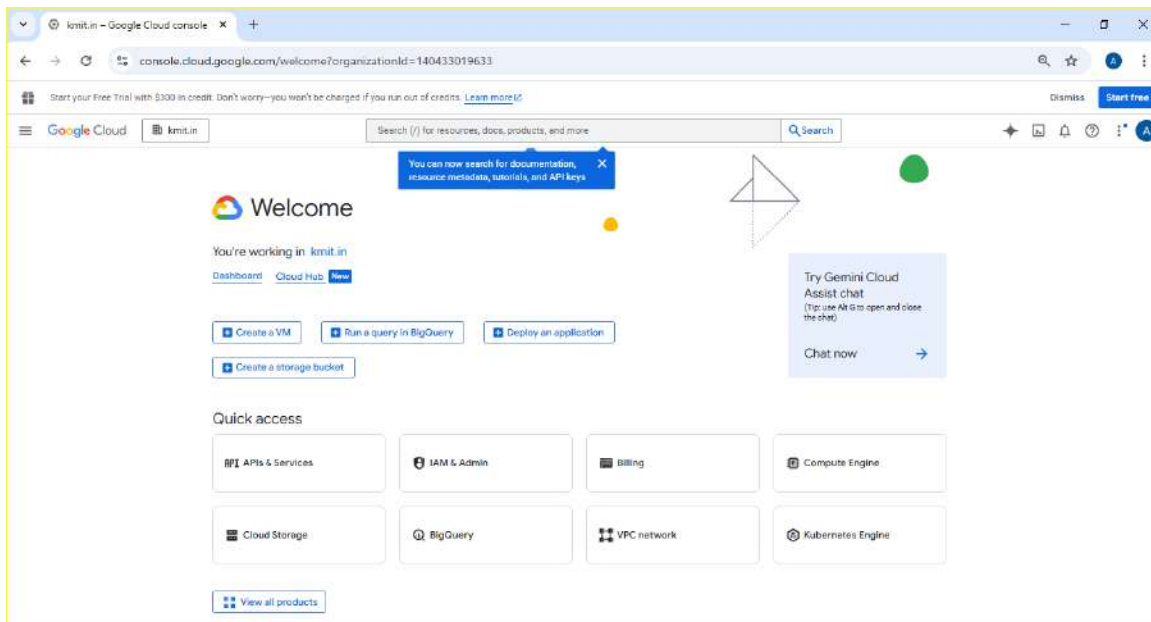
### Goal

Obtain GOOGLE\_CLIENT\_ID and GOOGLE\_CLIENT\_SECRET to enable Google OAuth login.

### Step 1: Open Google Cloud Console

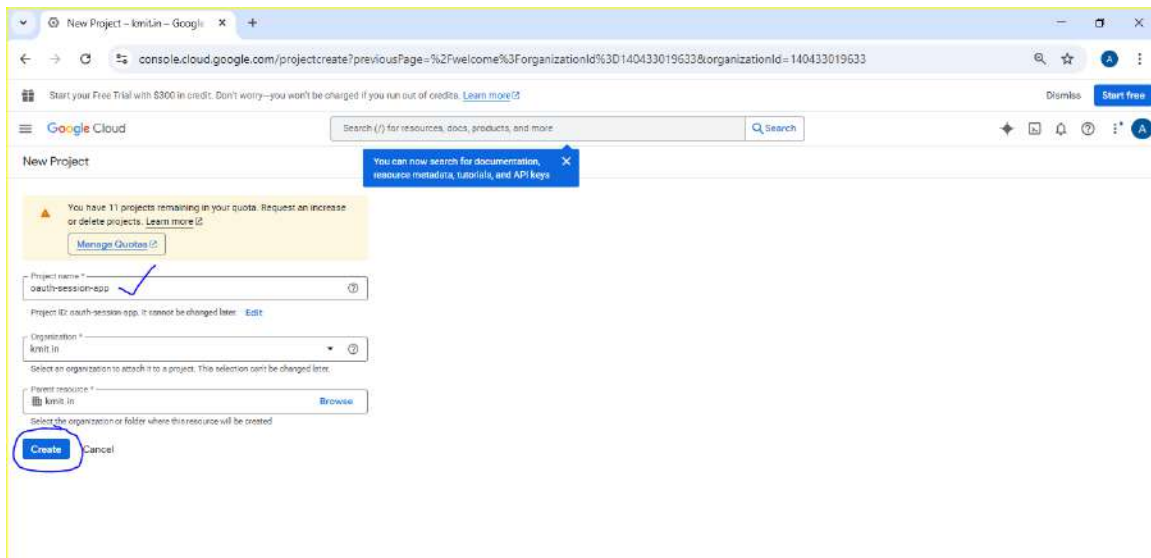
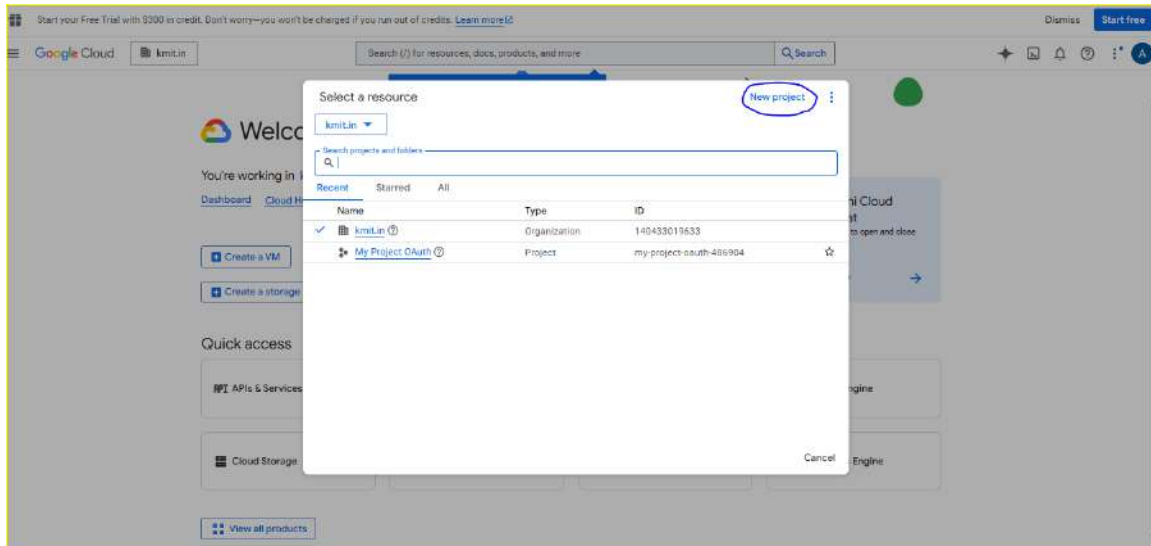
Visit <https://console.cloud.google.com> and sign in.

You'll land on the **Google Cloud Dashboard**.



### Step 2: Create a Project

Create a new project named oauth-session-app.



### Step 3: Configure OAuth Consent and Branding

Navigate to Google Auth Platform → Overview and click Get started.

#### Navigate to:

APIs & Services → OAuth consent screen

#### 1. Choose User Type

You'll see:

- Internal
- External

☞ Select:

External

(Internal works only for Google Workspace orgs)

Click **CREATE**

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## 2. App Information

Field	Value
App name	oauth-session-app
User support email	your email
App logo	leave empty

Scroll down.

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## 3. Developer contact info

Field	Value
Email	your email

Click **SAVE AND CONTINUE**

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## 4. Scopes page

You will see a scopes screen.

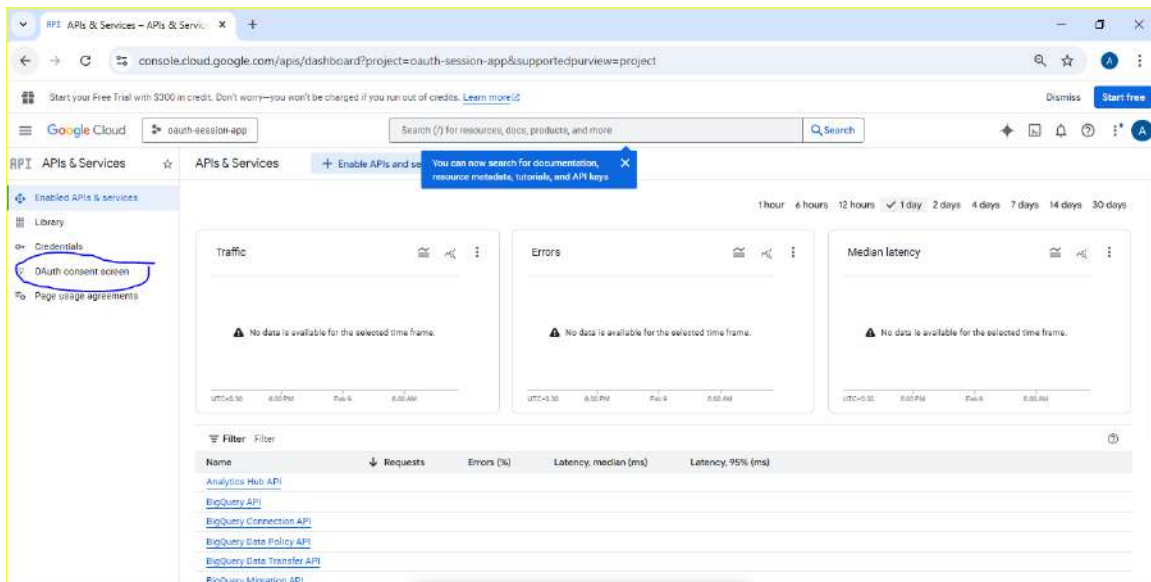
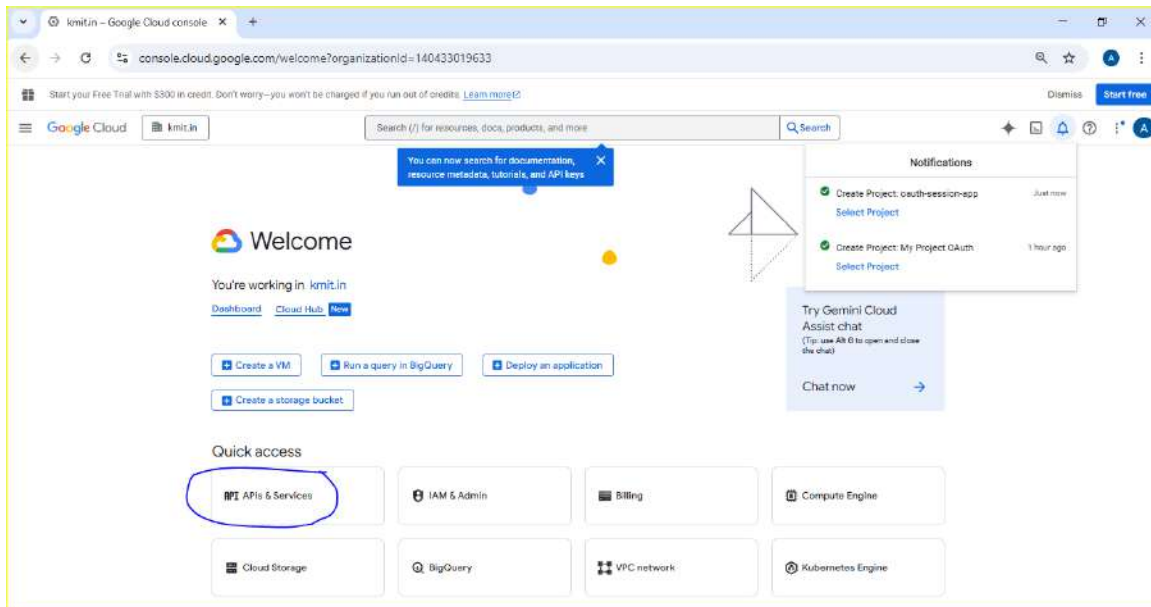
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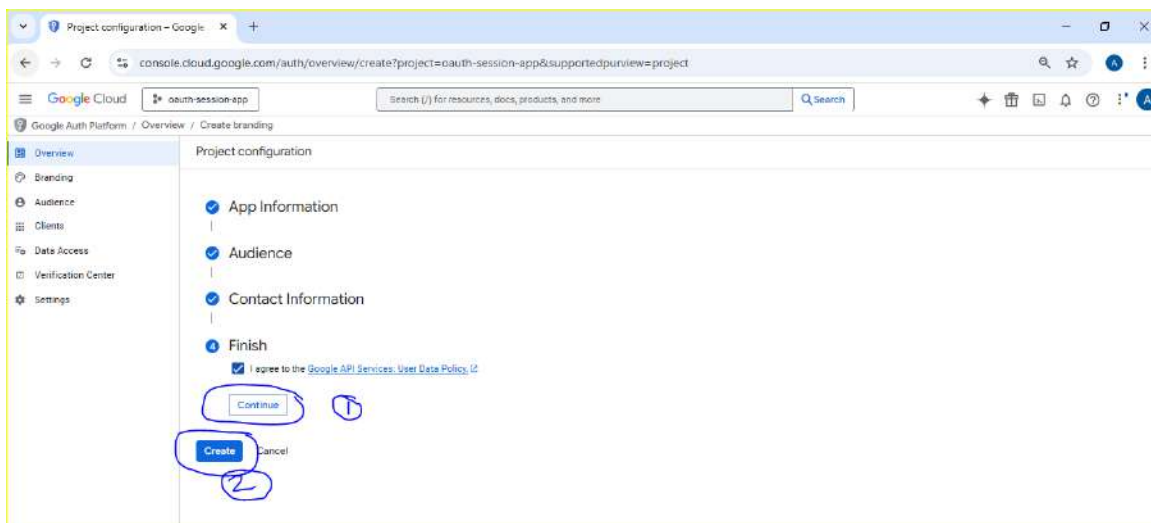
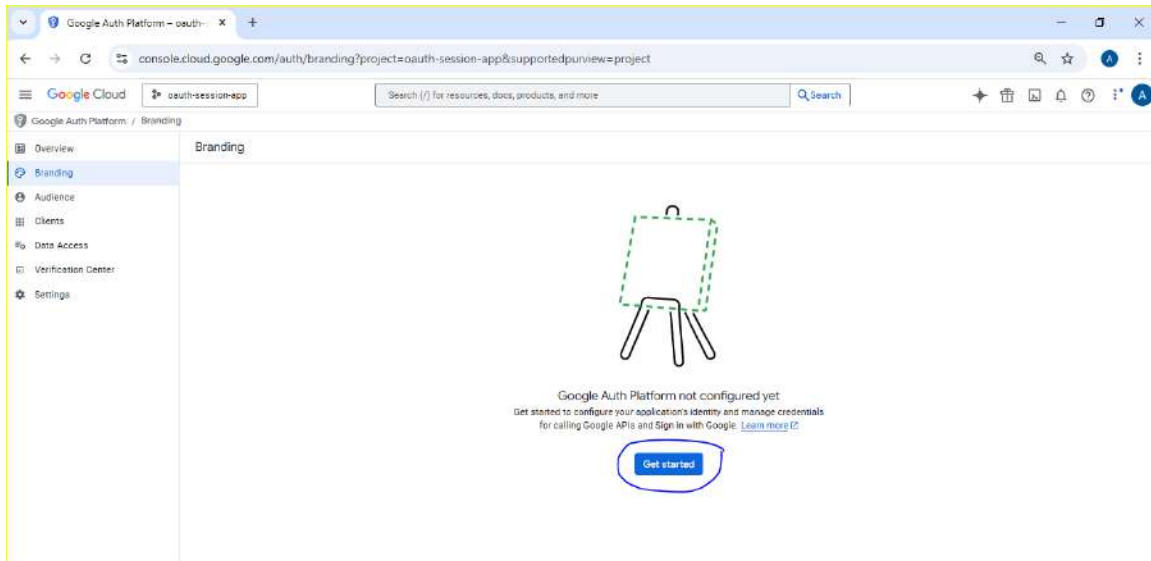
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(We'll request scopes dynamically in code)

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## Step 4: Audience and Clients

1. Go to **Audience**
  - o Ensure **External**
  - o Add yourself as **Test user**
2. Go to **Clients**
  - o Create OAuth Client (Web)
3. Authorized JavaScript Origins

`http://localhost:5000`

4. Add redirect URI:

`http://localhost:5000/auth/google/callback`

Audience - Google Auth Platform

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Audience

External ☒ [Make Internal](#)

OAuth user cap

While publishing status is set to "Testing", only test users are able to access the app. Allowed user cap prior to app verification is 100, and is counted over the entire lifetime of the app. [Learn more](#)

0 users (0 test, 0 other) / 100 user cap

Test users

[+ Add users](#)

Filter: Enter property name or value

User information

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OAuth configuration created

Add users

While publishing status is set to "Testing", only test users are able to access the app. Allowed user cap prior to app verification is 100, and is counted over the entire lifetime of the app. [Learn more](#)

Email

0 / 100

[Save](#)

Clients - Google Auth Platform

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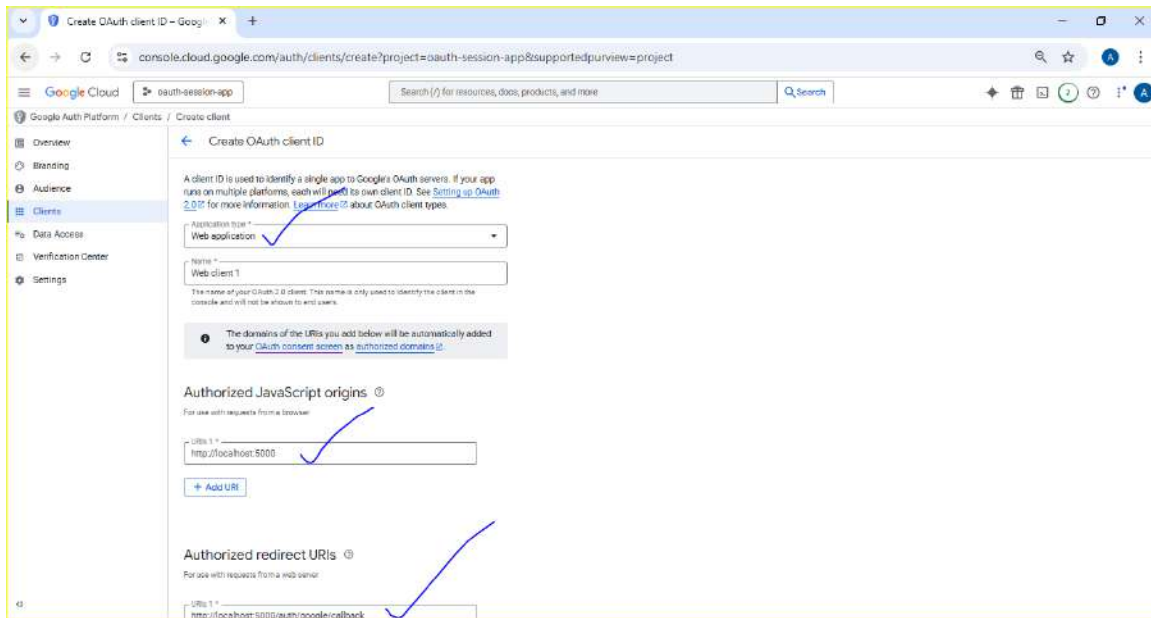
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Clients

[+ Create client](#) [Delete](#) [Restore deleted OAuth clients](#)

OAuth 2.0 Client IDs

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Creation date ↓	Type	Client ID	Actions
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## Step 5: Environment Variables

Add `GOOGLE_CLIENT_ID` and `GOOGLE_CLIENT_SECRET` to `.env` file.

## Step 6: Restart Server

Restart Node.js server.

## Step 7: Test OAuth

Open `http://localhost:5000/auth/google` in Incognito.