

POSTMAN SENDING YOUR FIRST REQUEST

Sending a request is easy as posting a url in your browser , we can easily send request to APIs in Postman

An APIs request helps you access or send data from data source

To send API request , we need an need an HTTP method

Commonly used in HTTP method is POST , GET , DELETE , PUT AND PATCH

GET: this HTTP method is used to access the data from an API

POST: this method transmit new data

DELETE: remove existing data

PATCH: this method is used to update the existing data

PUT: this method is used to update the existing data

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PUT AND PATCH

When you use put in postman you are sending complete set of instruction to replace an entire thing on server

And when you use patch you are making changes to only several elements

HOW TO SEND REQUEST IN POSTMAN :

OPEN POSTMAN

Create new request

Name your request: name the request and select a collections

Set up your request: choose the http method you want to get for example (get , post , put , delete) from dropdown next to the url field

Enter the request url : type or paste the URL of the API endpoint you want to send the request to

Configure request header: go to header tab you might need to add header like “content type “, “Authorization “etc.

Add Request Parameter: go to parameter tabs if your request required parameter then add them

Configure the Request Body (if needed): for post or put method you might need to send a request body

Send the request: located on the right ul field “click on the send button “

View the response: after sending the request you will see the response details, including status code, response body and headers

Save the request: if you haven't send the request previously, you can do after configuring it to keep it for future use