

Salesforce Project: Public Endpoint Access App with VS Code & LWC

Step 1: Set Up Salesforce DX and VS Code

1. Install VS Code and Salesforce CLI.
2. Install Salesforce Extension Pack in VS Code.
3. Authenticate to your org using:

```
sfdx auth:web:login -a DevOrg
```
4. Create a project:

```
sfdx force:project:create -n PublicAPIApp
```
5. Open the project in VS Code.

Step 2: Create a Lightning Web Component (LWC)

1. Run command:

```
sfdx force:lightning:component:create -n PublicDataViewer -d force-app/main/default/lwc
```
2. LWC Files:
 - PublicDataViewer.html:

```
<template>

<lightning-card title="Public Data Viewer">

  <lightning-input label="Enter Record Id" value={recordId} onchange={handleChange}></lightning-input>

  <lightning-button label="Get Data" onclick={handleClick}></lightning-button>

  <p>{result}</p>

</lightning-card>

</template>
```
 - PublicDataViewer.js:

```
import { LightningElement } from 'lwc';
```

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```
export default class PublicDataViewer extends LightningElement {
```

```
    recordId = '';
```

```
    result;
```

```
    handleChange(event) {
```

```
        this.recordId = event.target.value;
```

```
    }
```

```
    handleClick() {
```

```
        fetch('/services/apexrest/publicdata/' + this.recordId)
```

```
        .then(res => res.json())
```

```
        .then(data => {
```

```
            this.result = JSON.stringify(data);
```

```
        })
```

```
        .catch(err => {
```

```
            this.result = 'Error fetching data';
```

```
        });
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

Step 3: Create the Apex REST Class

```
@RestResource(urlMapping='/publicdata/*')
```

```
global with sharing class PublicDataController {
```

```
    @HttpGet
```

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```
global static PublicData__c getData() {  
  
    RestRequest req = RestContext.request;  
  
    String id = req.requestURI.substring(req.requestURI.lastIndexOf('/')+1);  
  
    return [SELECT Id, Name, Description__c FROM PublicData__c WHERE Id = :id LIMIT 1];  
  
}
```

Step 4: Deploy Components to Org

1. Save your changes.
2. Use the command:

```
sfdx force:source:deploy -p force-app
```

3. Verify deployment in your org.

Step 5: Create a Lightning App Page

1. Go to Lightning App Builder in Setup.
2. Create a new App Page.
3. Drag and drop the 'PublicDataViewer' component onto the page.
4. Activate and assign it to apps/navigation.

Step 6: Make API Public via Sites (Optional)

1. Setup > Sites > Create Site.
2. Set Visualforce Page as home page (if needed).
3. Grant Guest User access to Apex Class and object permissions.

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Security Note

- Use authentication for sensitive APIs.
- Always restrict Guest User access to necessary objects and fields only.