

MCP Flow in Java WeatherApp with LLM + AccuWeather

This document explains how MCP (Model Context Protocol) roles map to a Java WeatherApp integrated with an LLM and using the AccuWeather API as a tool.

1. User → WeatherApp
 - User types: "What's the weather in London?"
2. MCP Host = Java WeatherApp (with LLM inside)
 - The host runs the LLM.
 - The LLM sees the question and says: "I don't know, but I have a tool for weather."
3. MCP Client = The bridge layer inside your app
 - The Java code that knows how to call the AccuWeather API.
 - Example: `WeatherClient.getWeather("London");`
 - Acts as an adapter: formats requests, handles responses.
4. MCP Server = AccuWeather API
 - Provides the actual weather data.
 - Example endpoint: `GET https://api.accuweather.com/currentconditions/v1/London`
 - Response: `{ "temperature": 18, "condition": "Cloudy" }`
5. MCP Client (Java WeatherClient)
 - Takes the response JSON and hands it back to the LLM inside WeatherApp.
6. MCP Host (WeatherApp)
 - LLM integrates it into natural language:
"It's 18°C and cloudy in London."

Mapping Table:

- Host = Your Java WeatherApp (with LLM integrated)
- Client = Java client/connector code (e.g., WeatherClient)
- Server = AccuWeather API

Summary:

- Your WeatherApp = Host
- Your connector code = Client
- AccuWeather = Server