

Authentication

What is Authentication

- Making sure someone is who they say they are

Access token

- give user a token
- deny requests if it doesnt contain a valid token
- this works on cross domain requests

Set a cookie

- same domain
- cookies are sent
- put access token in there

JWT or JSON web tokens

- Server sends back a token
- sent back as Authorization header
- Base64 encoded JSON object

Why Should I care

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