

You're very close to getting your **Tauri + Svelte + TypeScript** app running! The error you're seeing:

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```
nvm : The term 'nvm' is not recognized...
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means `nvm` (**Node Version Manager**) is not installed or not available in your current terminal (**PowerShell**).

Your project has a `.nvmrc` file with content like `20` or `lts/*`, which tells `nvm` to switch to a specific Node.js version — but since `nvm` isn't recognized, we need to fix that.

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Step-by-Step Fix

1. Install `nvm-windows` (since you're on Windows)

Go to:

<https://github.com/coreybutler/nvm-windows/releases>

Download the latest:

`nvm-setup.exe` (or `.zip`)

Run the installer and follow the steps.

After installation, restart your terminal (PowerShell).

2. Verify `nvm` is working

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nvm version
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You should see something like `1.1.12` or similar.

3. Check available Node versions

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nvm list available
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Look for **LTS versions** (recommended). As of Nov 2025, **Node 20 or 22** are LTS.

4. Install and use the correct Node version

Your `.nvmrc` likely says `20` or `lts/iron`. Let's check:

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If it says `20` or `20.x.x`:

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nvm install 20
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nvm use 20
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If it says `lts/*` or `iron`:

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nvm install --lts
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nvm use --lts
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Now `node -v` should match the version in `.nvmrc`.

5. Install dependencies

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pnpm install
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Make sure `pnpm` is installed globally:

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npm install -g pnpm
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6. Run the app

For Desktop (Windows/Linux/macOS):

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pnpm tauri dev
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For Android (requires Android Studio + SDK):

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pnpm tauri android init  
pnpm tauri android dev
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Bonus: Auto-switch Node version on `cd`

`nvm` automatically reads `.nvmrc` when you `cd` into the folder **if** you have shell integration.

After installing `nvm-windows`, close and reopen PowerShell, then:

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cd E:\Specialization\taurispp\CampusGpt
```

It should **auto-switch** to the correct Node version.

Quick Checklist



Step	Command
Install nvm-windows	Download installer
Restart terminal	Close & reopen PowerShell
Check nvm	nvm version
Install Node	nvm install 20
Use Node	nvm use 20
Install deps	pnpm install
Run dev	pnpm tauri dev

Let me know what `Get-Content .nvmrc` says — I'll give you the **exact** commands to run!

- ↳ Troubleshooting pnpm install errors
- ↳ Setting up Android Studio for Tauri