## External Login Overview

An external login is where you e.g. use your Twitter, Facebook, or similar, account, to gain access to a website without having to go through the motions of logging in to them. In this article, I will explain my method to you and guide you through building a small ASP.NET Core application, where a Facebook account can optionally be used to bypass the standard login screen.

# The standard code scaffolded for external logins an ASP.NET Core is, with a few exceptions, great, with you having to write very little of your own. The online guides are overall very high quality. E.g. Enabling authentication using Facebook, Google, and other external providers., This document is the official docs’ starting point for most external login material, and It links to a wide range of other documents for more detailed subject areas.

There is indeed no such thing as a free lunch, and when we use the free-code (as in beer Abd copyright), we end up with a some problems.

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Explain trust of externals.

Narrow down to Facebook for example and follow in stories.

People use their email addresses Many people have significantly more than one email address. Work, personal, spam addresses, etc.