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Enabling Third-party App Login using Google Account

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Sometimes you try to log in to your Gmail account in a third-party app, but your request is denied. You may be trying to use SMTP protocol to send Emails through python IDE, or it may be an IoT device trying to log in into a Gmail account, the request might be denied by Google.

This might occur due to the following reasons:

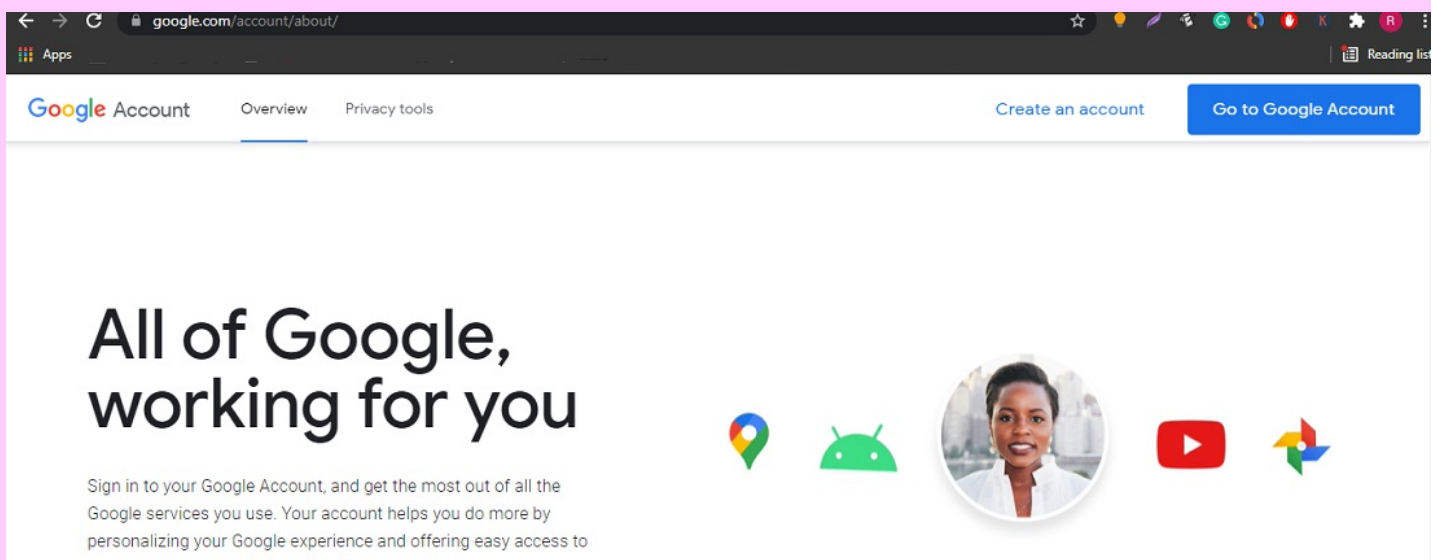
- The app you are using to log in to your Gmail account might not meet the security standards of Google.
- It may be an app that doesn't use official ways to log in to your email account.

Solution:

There is a feature in Google account **Less secure app access**. This should be enabled in order to login into less secure apps.

To resolve this issue follow the below steps:

Step 1: Go to <https://www.google.com/account/about/>.



Step 2: Click on **Go to Google Account**.



This will redirect you to your google account page as shown below:

Google Account

Search Google Account

Home

Personal info

Data & personalization

Security

People & sharing

Payments & subscriptions

About

Welcome, R

Manage your info, privacy, and security to make Google work better for you. [Learn more](#)

Privacy & personalization

See the data in your Google Account and choose what activity is saved to personalize your Google experience

[Manage your data & personalization](#)

You have security recommendations

Recommended actions found in the Security Checkup

[Protect your account](#)

Step 3: Click on the **Security** option on the left menu.

Google Account

Search Google Account

Home

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Step 4: Now click on the **Manage Third-party Access** option.

Google Account

Search Google Account

Home

Personal info

Data & personalization

Security

People & sharing

Payments & subscriptions

About

Your devices

You're currently signed in to your Google Account on these devices

- Windows India ☒ This device
- Realme X2Pro India - 12:44 PM
- Galaxy S4 Jan 6

[Find a lost device](#)

[Manage devices](#)

Third-party apps with account access

You gave these sites and apps access to some of your Google Account data, including info that may be sensitive. Remove access for those you no longer trust or use.

- Coding Competition Has some account access
- Mail.Ru Has access to Gmail, Google Contacts

[Manage third-party access](#)

This will redirect you to the **Apps with access to your account** page as shown below:

← Apps with access to your account

Third-party apps with account access

You gave these sites and apps access to some of your Google Account data, including info that may be sensitive. Remove access for those you no longer trust or use. [Learn about the risks](#)



Coding Competition

Has some account access



Mail.Ru

Has access to Gmail, Google Contacts

Signing in with Google

You use your Google Account to sign in to these sites and apps. They can view your name, email address, and profile picture. [Learn more](#)



4 of your apps are secured by Cross-Account Protection. [Learn more](#)

Step 5: Now enable the **Google Account sign-in prompts** as shown below:

Google Account

Mail.Ru

Has access to Gmail, Google Contacts

← Apps with access to your account

Signing in with Google

You use your Google Account to sign in to these sites and apps. They can view your name, email address, and profile picture. [Learn more](#)

4 of your apps are secured by Cross-Account Protection. [Learn more](#)

Google Account sign-in prompts

Allow Google to offer a faster way to sign in with your Google Account on supported third-party sites

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At this point, the issue is resolved and you can sign in to third-party apps using a google account.

My Personal Notes\arrow_drop_up

Add your personal notes here

Save