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How to Deploy React

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When developing any project we must host it somewhere so that the whole world can see our hard-work. Hosting websites can be hectic sometimes, but you don't need to worry as we can now host our React project on **Firebase** within a minute or two with a very simple setup.

Steps to Deploy React project on Firebase:

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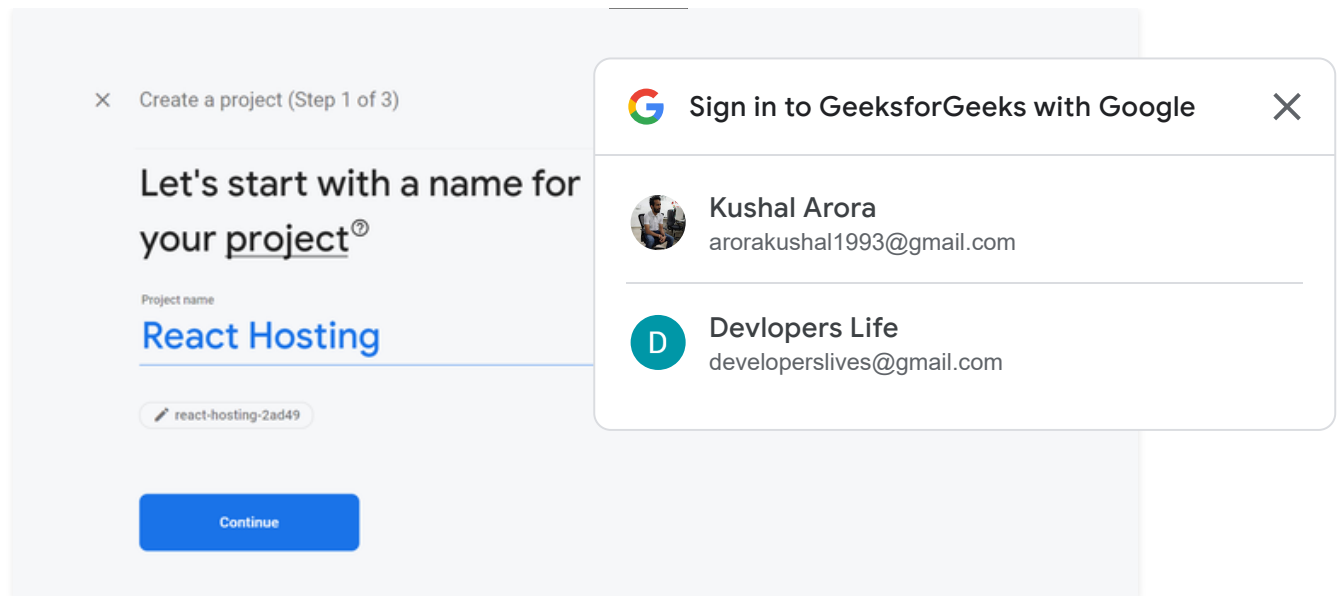
Follow the below steps or specially needed to [Setup a Firebase for your React Project](#).

- **Step 1:** First we shall set up our Firebase project, go to its [official](#) website, and create a project as shown below.

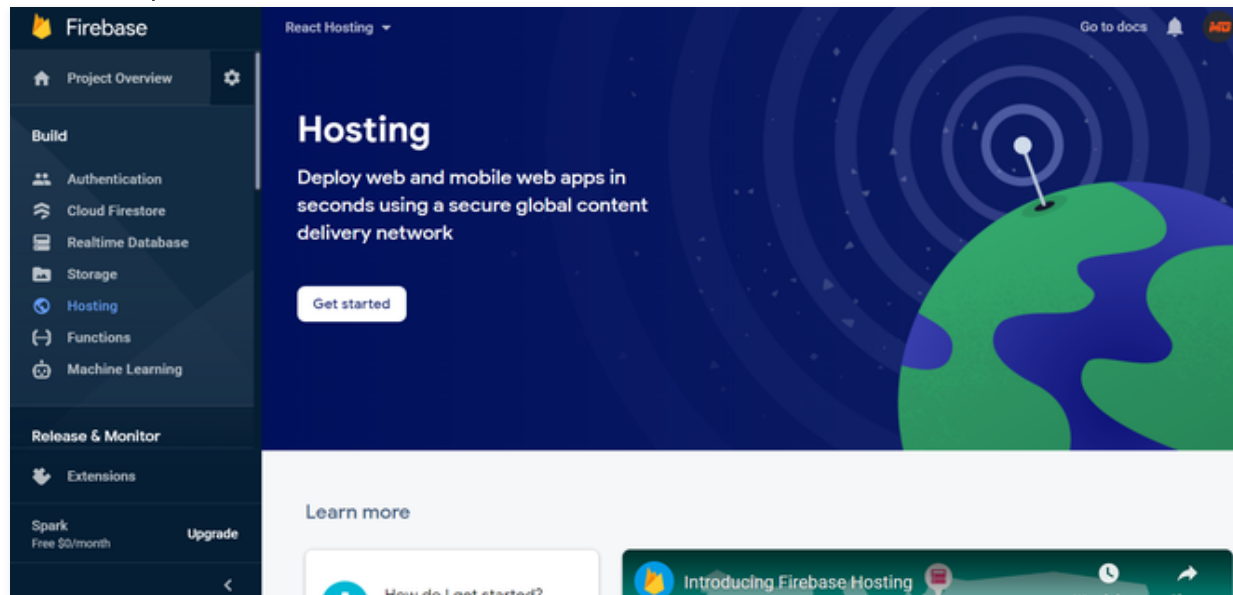


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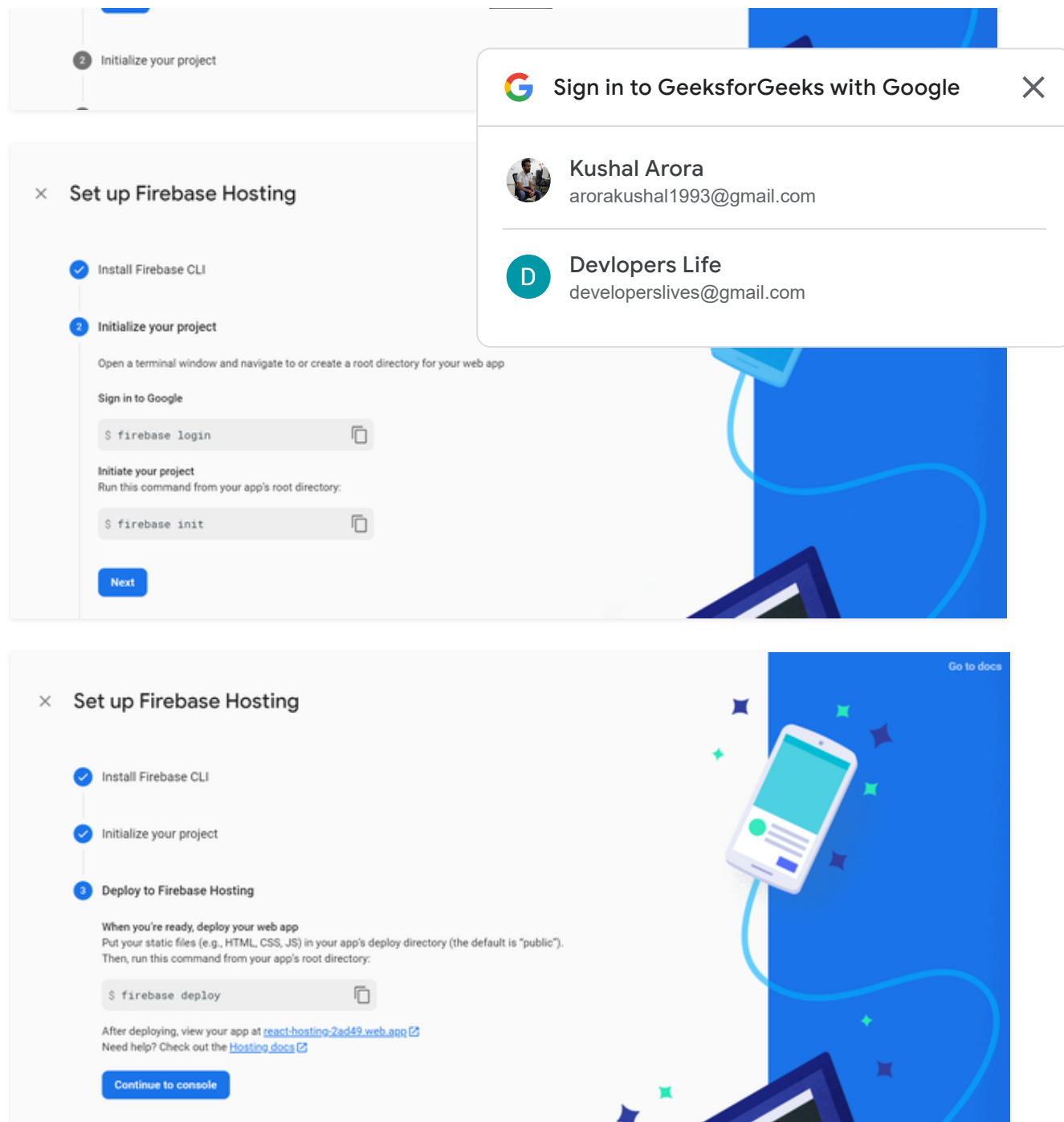


- **Step 2:** Then we will enable **Firebase Hosting** by going into the hosting section under Build dropdown.



- **Step 3:** Then we will go through the hosting setup as described below.





Creating React Application:

- **Step 1:** Create a React application using the following command:

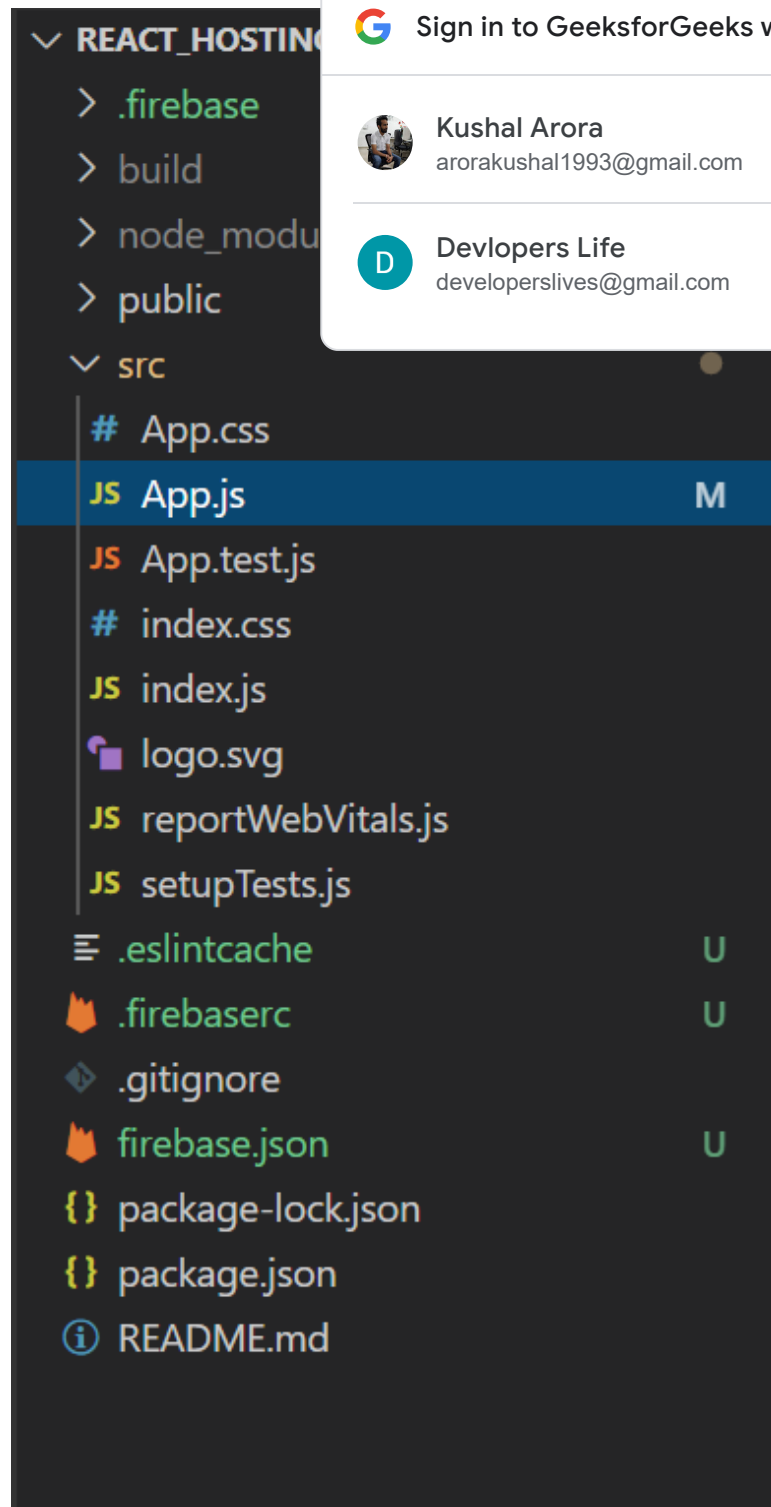
```
npx create-react-app react_hosting
```

Step 2: Install Firebase Tools:

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Project Structure:



Project Structure

Hosting Website:

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- **Step 1:** First, we will initialize a firebase project in our React app by running the following command in the console in our

```
firebase init
```

Now type **y** as we are ready to proceed

```
C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe - firebase init
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.19042.685]
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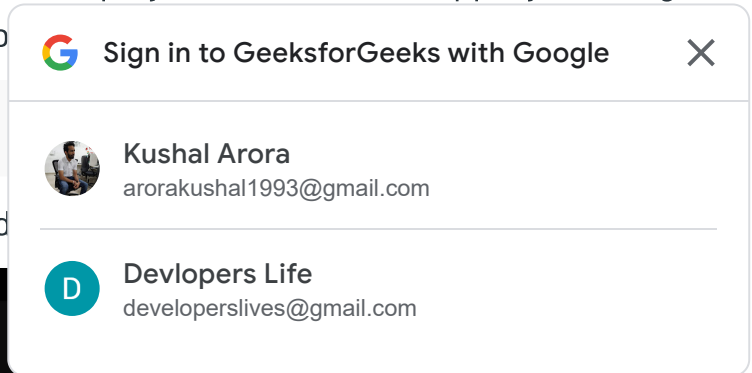
C:\Users\mihir\OneDrive\Desktop\GFG Hosting\react_hosting>firebase init

##### 
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You're about to initialize a Firebase project in this directory:

  C:\Users\mihir\OneDrive\Desktop\GFG Hosting\react_hosting

? Are you ready to proceed? (Y/n)
```



- **Step 2:** Select **Hosting** from the options provided.

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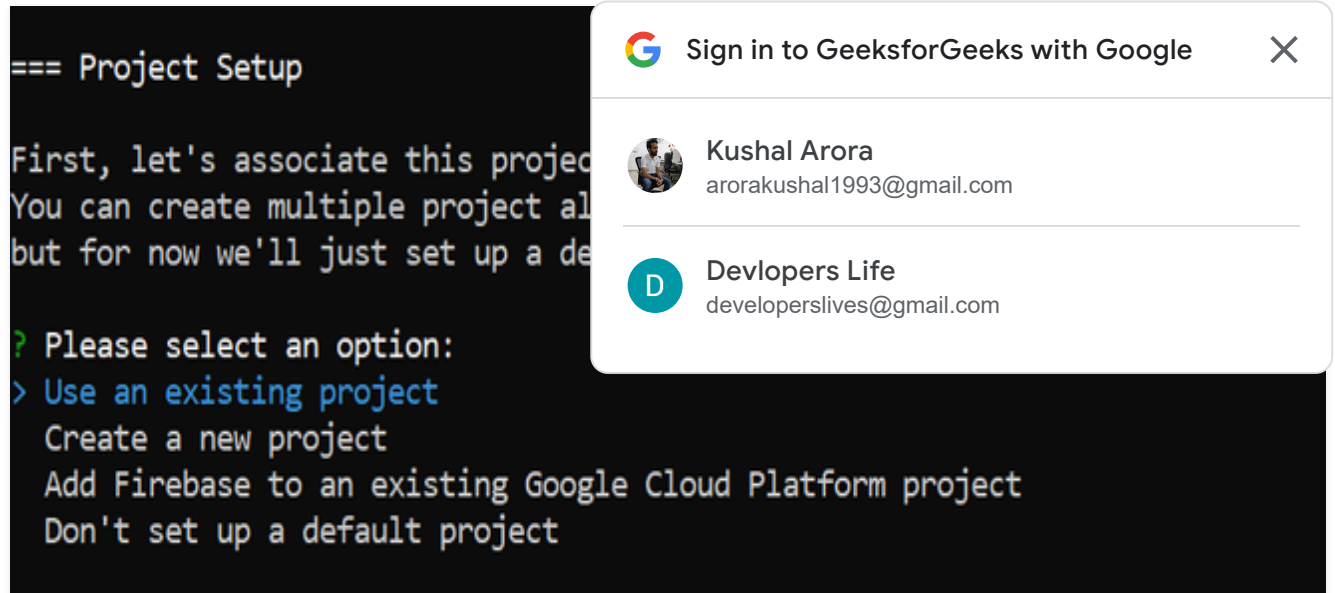
? Are you ready to proceed? Yes
? Which Firebase CLI features do you want to set up for this folder? Press Space to select features, then Enter to confirm your choices.
( ) Database: Configure Firebase Realtime Database and deploy rules
( ) Firestore: Deploy rules and create indexes for Firestore
( ) Functions: Configure and deploy Cloud Functions
> (*) Hosting: Configure and deploy Firebase Hosting sites
( ) Storage: Deploy Cloud Storage security rules
( ) Emulators: Set up local emulators for Firebase features
( ) Remote Config: Get, deploy, and rollback configurations for Remote Config
```

- **Step 3:** Select the **Use an existing project** option.



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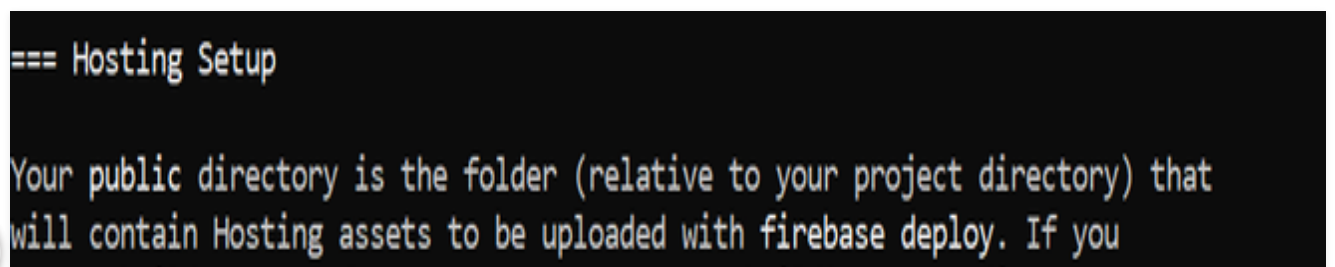
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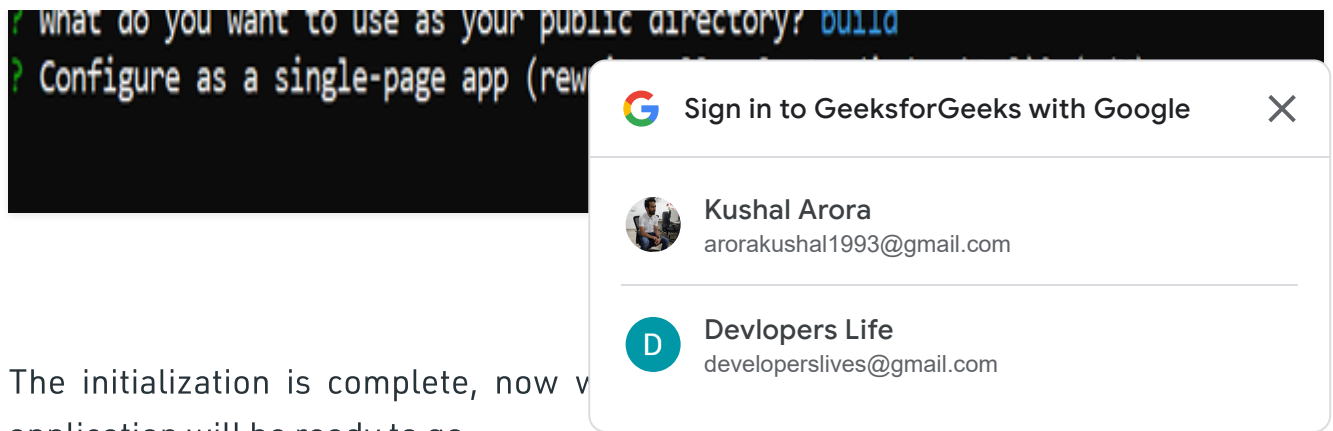


- **Step 4:** As the build folder of react apps is generated in the build folder by default, we will use the same as our public directory.



- **Step 5:** Type **y** as we want to configure our app as a single-page app.





The initialization is complete, now your application will be ready to go.

```
=== Hosting Setup

Your public directory is the folder (relative to your project directory) that
will contain Hosting assets to be uploaded with firebase deploy. If you
have a build process for your assets, use your build's output directory.

? What do you want to use as your public directory? build
? Configure as a single-page app (rewrite all urls to /index.html)? Yes
? Set up automatic builds and deploys with GitHub? No
+ Wrote build/index.html

i Writing configuration info to firebase.json...
i Writing project information to .firebaserc...
+ Firebase initialization complete!

C:\Users\mihir\OneDrive\Desktop\GFG Hosting\react_hosting>
```

- **Step 6:** Now we will run the following command to build our react app.

```
npm run build
```

- **Step 7:** Now we just need to run the last command and our application will be deployed.

```
firebase deploy
```

This will deploy our project and also provide us the **hosting** link which we can visit.

```
C:\Users\mihir\OneDrive\Desktop\GFG Hosting\react_hosting>firebase deploy

=== Deploying to 'react-hosting-2ad49'
```



```
+ hosting[react-hosting-2ad49]: release complete
```

```
+ Deploy complete!
```

```
Project Console: https://console.firebase
Hosting URL: https://react-hosting-2ad49.
```



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Output: We can verify that our website works as the link provided by firebase in the console as



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