

Email & Storage

Microsoft Outlook

Section Aims

- # Become familiar with the words 'e-mail' and 'email-address'
- # Login on / logout off and navigate outlook.com
- # Open e-mails (download attachments)
- # Send e-mails

Key Learning Points

- # Know what e-mail is
- # Sign in to outlook.com
- # Open e-mail and download attachment
- # Create a new e-mail
- # Adding attachments
- # Sending an e-mail
- # Log out of outlook.com



1. What is e-mail?

E-mail is **electronic mail.** It is used to send free messages and attachments for free, instantaneously, to anywhere in the world.

To use e-mail, you need to create an e-mail account (free). This is when you will get your unique e-mail address. You also need this e-mail address when applying for other online accounts, from shopping to Universal Johnatch.

2. Sign in to Outlook

Navigate to <u>www.outlook.com</u> by clicking in the address bar of your web browser.

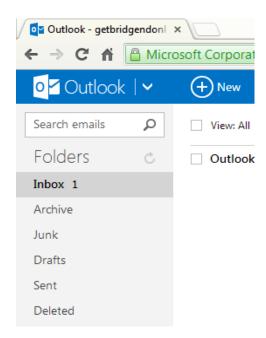


Type in your email address and password (Outlook is also used for Hotmail and Live.com accounts)



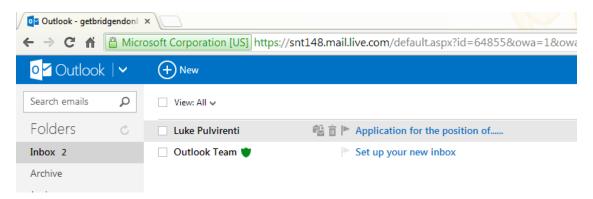


Located on the left side of the browser window is a menu with options to navigate between your inbox and other folders. Your **inbox** is where new emails are found.



3. Open new e-mails and download attachments

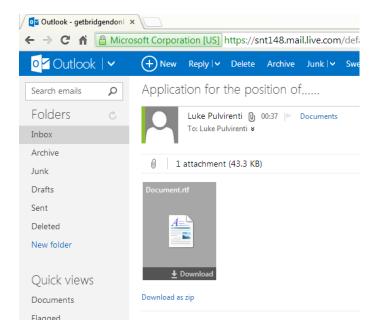
New e-mails will be highlighted in black. To open an email click on it.



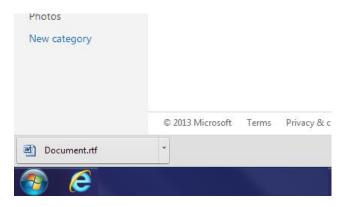
E-mails with attachments will be shown. To download the attachment click the button

◆ Download



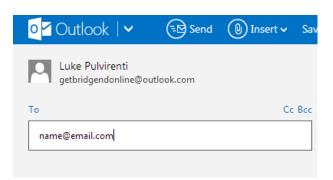


Once the file has downloaded, you will find it located in the bottom left of the browser window. Click to open.



4. Create a new e-mail

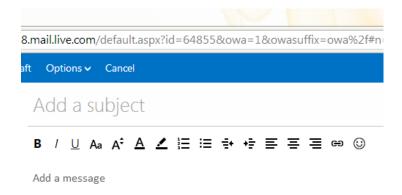
To create a new email click







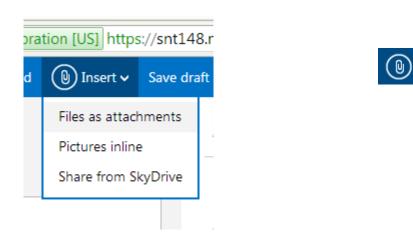
Type in the e-mail address of the person / company you wish to contact



Add a subject of the e-mail you wish to send e.g. "Application for the retail vacancy"

5. Adding an attachment

If you wish to attach a file to your email, locate and click the Insert button.

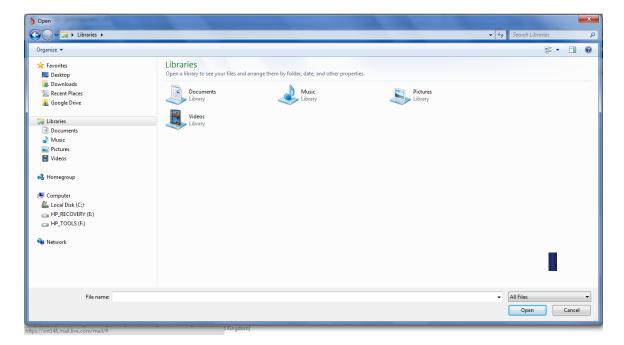


Click Files as attachments

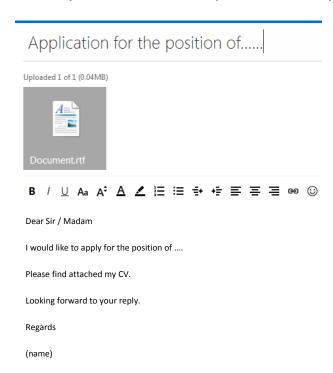
Files as attachments



Proceed to locate the file you wish to attach to your e-mail



Once you have attached your file, write your e-mail message.

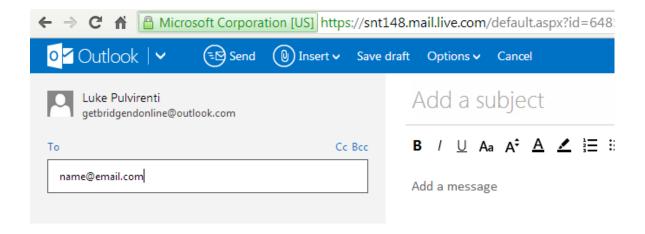




6. Send an e-mail

Once you have finished writing your e-mail, proceed to click the button and your e-mail will be sent.





Once your e-mail has been sent, you will be redirected back to your inbox.

7. Log out

At the end of each session, make sure you log out so your e-mail is kept for your eyes only.

To log out of your e-mail account, locate your name in the top right of the browser window, click it, then click **Sign out**.

