

Lifecycle Events



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- Special methods/hooks provided by NestJS.
- Automatically called at different stages of a module/service/component's life.
- Used to perform actions during creation or destruction.





Why are they useful?



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- Helps run some code when app/module/service is initialized.
- Helps run cleanup code when app/module/service is destroyed.
- Useful for tasks like DB connections, logging, resource cleanup, etc.



When are they triggered?



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- onModuleInit() → Called when the module is initialized.
- onModuleDestroy() → Called before the module is destroyed.
- afterModuleInit() (optional) → Called after all modules are initialized.
- onApplicationBootstrap() → When app is fully bootstrapped.
- onApplicationShutdown() → Called when app is shutting down.

