# Creating the API



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#### This Module



Build an API controller

Use Verbs for different actions

Validation in APIs

Using ViewModel mapping

**Create Association controllers** 

Use QueryStrings in APIs





**Create an API Controller** 





**Returning Data** 





**Implementing POST** 





**Validation and View Models** 





**Using AutoMapper** 





**Creating Association Controllers** 





**Using Query Strings for APIs** 



## Going Deeper

#### Web API Design

- pluralsight.com/courses/web-api-design

#### Implementing an API w/ASP.NET Core

- pluralsight.com/courses/aspdotnetcoreimplementing-securing-api



What We've Learned API and View Controllers are the same

Mapping URIs is simpler at the Controller

You're working with status codes in an API

REST verbs is how you differentiate actions

