



## Prerequisites

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You should have a running environment for Python 3 ready set up. We will utilize the excellent `requests` library to fetch the data. Check your version and install the library like so:

```
(base) ~ % python --version  
Python 3.8.8  
(base) ~ % pip3 install requests
```

In case there is no Python installed yet, I'd advice to use [Anaconda](#) to do so.

## Plain request

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```
import requests  
import json  
  
uri = 'https://api.football-data.org/v4/matches'  
headers = { 'X-Auth-Token': 'UR_TOKEN' }  
  
response = requests.get(uri, headers=headers)  
for match in response.json()['matches']:  
    print match
```

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