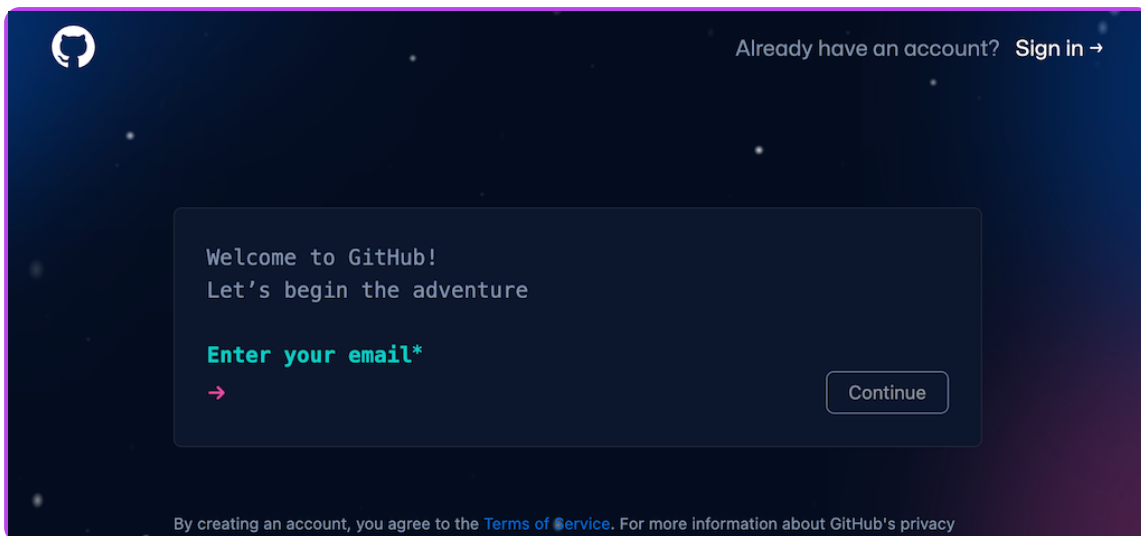




3.1.1. STEP 1 - FORKING THE AI4T GITHUB REPOSITORY

1- CREATE AN ACCOUNT ON GITHUB

The preliminary step is to create an account on GitHub (it's free) if you do not already have one.



Creating an account on github.

Access to [the sign up page on GitHub](#)

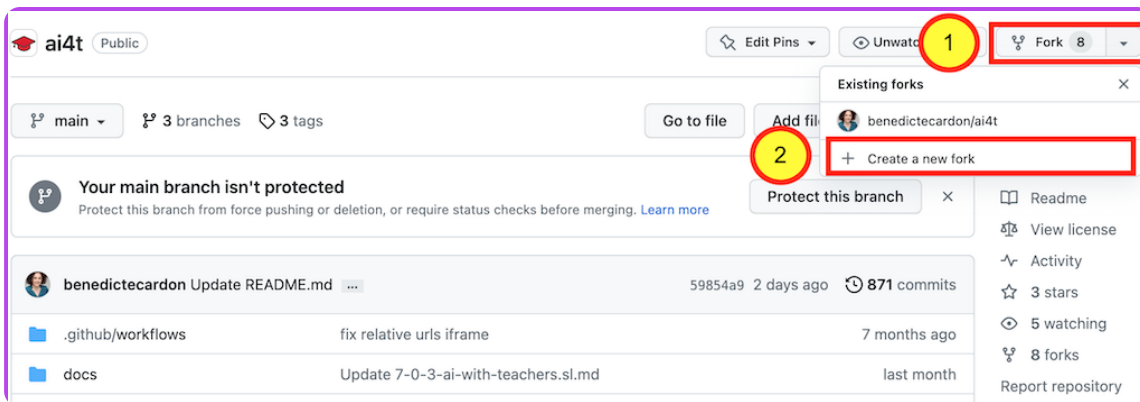
2- ACCESS THE GITHUB REPOSITORY OF THE PROJECT AI4T

Address of the GitHub repository of the AI4T project: <https://GitHub.com/inrialearninglab/ai4t>

3- CREATE A FORK OF THE REPOSITORY

A fork is an extensive copy of elements (from contents to commands) of the GitHub repository but it is detached from the **main**.

Therefore you can do whatever you want in it without impacting the AI4T Mooc. However if you want to keep up with evolution in the **main**, you can **synchronise** your fork whenever you want



Creating a fork on github.

Once created, the fork has to be named.

Create a new fork

A fork is a copy of a repository. Forking a repository allows you to freely experiment with changes without affecting the original project. [View existing forks.](#)

Required fields are marked with an asterisk (*).

Owner * / Repository name *

1 Choose an owner / 2 ai4t

By default, forks are named the same as their upstream repository. You can customize the name to distinguish it further.

3 Description (optional)

☒ Copy the `main` branch only

Contribute back to benedictecardon/ai4t by adding your own branch. [Learn more.](#)

Create fork

Naming a fork on github.

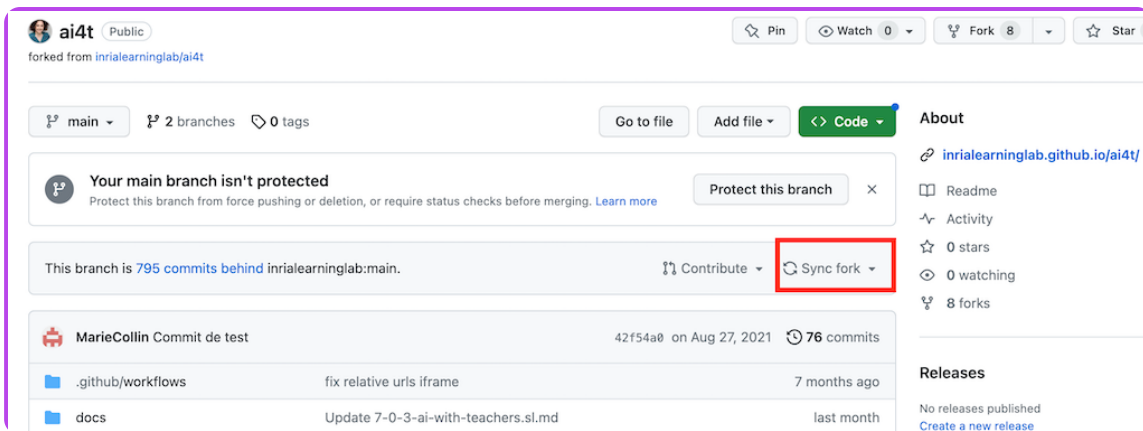
We encourage you to:

1 : Choose the right name for your account

2 : Keep **AI4T** in the repository name

3 : And to add as **description** the new target language you are developing

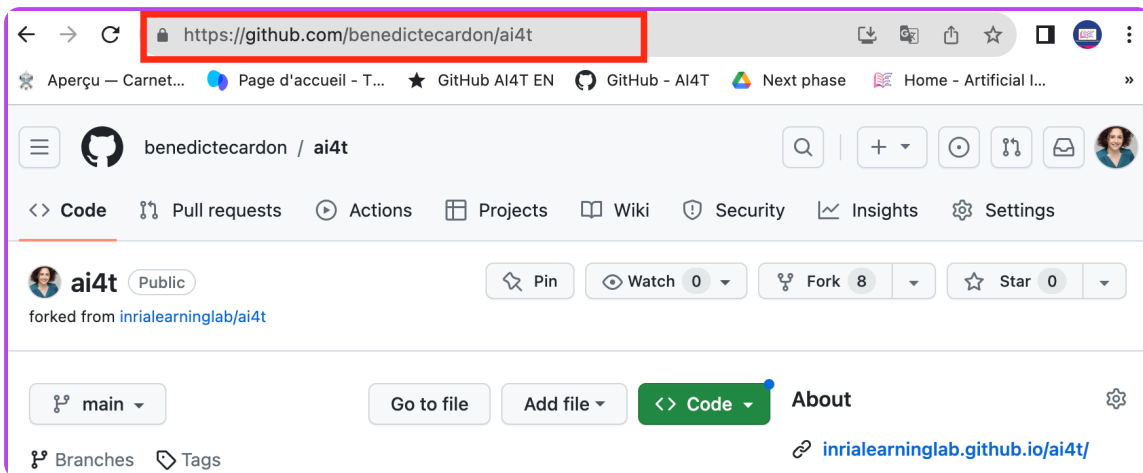
Remember : It's always possible to keep up with the evolution of the initial GitHub repository by "synchronising" you own repository with the AI4T one.



Synchronising a fork on github.

4- YOUR FORK IS NOW READY AT YOUR PERSONALISED URL ADDRESS:

Example of personalised URL : [https://github.com/ YOURNAME /ai4t](https://github.com/benedictecardon/ai4t)



ID of a fork as mentionned in the URL of its static web pages.