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| |  | | --- | |  |   BUG | |  | | --- | |  |   ROOT CAUSE | Fix | LESSON | Screenshot Reference |
| Error establishing a database connection | The database password (and host/port) in wp-config.php didn’t match the LocalWP environment. | Fix: Updated the following lines in wp-config.php to the correct values from LocalWP’s Database tab:  Define ('DB\_NAME', 'local');  Define ('DB\_USER', 'root');  Define ('DB\_PASSWORD', 'root');  define ('DB\_HOST', 'localhost:10005' ); | Anytime you move or clone a site, always double-check your DB\_NAME, DB\_USER, DB\_PASSWORD, and DB\_HOST. A simple typo or port mismatch will trigger that scary “Error establishing a database connection.” | BEFORE:    AFTER: |