1. Install Mingw-w64 via the SourceForge website. Click [Mingw-w64](https://sourceforge.net/projects/mingw-w64/files/Toolchains%20targetting%20Win32/Personal%20Builds/mingw-builds/installer/mingw-w64-install.exe/download) to download the Windows Mingw-w64 installer.
   1. Run the installer.
   2. For **Architecture** select **x86\_64** and then select **Next**.
   3. On the Installation Folder page, use the default installation folder. Copy the location as you will need it later.
   4. Select **Next** to start the installation.
2. Add the path to your Mingw-w64 bin folder to the Windows PATH environment variable by using the following steps:
   1. In the Windows search bar, type 'settings' to open your Windows Settings.
   2. Search for **Edit environment variables for your account**.
   3. Choose the Path variable and then select **Edit**.
   4. Select **New** and add the Mingw-w64 destination folder path to the system path. The exact path depends on which version of Mingw-w64 you have installed and where you installed it. If you used the settings above to install Mingw-w64, then add this to the path: C:\Program Files\mingw-w64\x86\_64-8.1.0-posix-seh-rt\_v6-rev0\mingw64\bin.
   5. Select **OK** to save the updated PATH. You will need to reopen any console windows for the new PATH location to be available.