



# CSC640 Project

Welcome! This tutorial walks you through running my CSC640 project, an animal shelter API, using Docker. The project can be downloaded from  
<https://github.com/jonesa122/CSC640-Project>



## Project Structure

Your folder should include:

```
CSC640-Project/
├── compose.yaml
├── Dockerfile.php
├── Dockerfile.nginx
├── .dockerignore
├── php/
├── nginx/
└── sql/
```



## Start the Project with Docker

Make sure Docker Desktop is running, then open a terminal in your project folder and run:

```
docker compose up --build
```



## Run API Test Script

To test all endpoints in the CSC640 project, use the provided shell script:

**test-api.sh**

It covers:

- User registration and login
- Animal listing, creation, update, deletion
- Adoption submission and updates



## How to Run It

1. Open your terminal in the project folder
2. Make the script executable:

```
chmod +x test-api.sh
```

3. Run the script:

```
./test-api.sh
```



## Open the App

<http://localhost/frontend/index.html>

To access a frontend page to interact with the API

## Users Endpoint Overview

The frontend accesses:

**http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=users**

This endpoint supports:

- POST → register a user, login



# How Registration Works

The frontend form sends a POST request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=users&action=register
```

with a JSON body like:

```
{
  "username": "newuser",
  "email": "newuser@example.com",
  "password": "securepass"
}
```

## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "id": 4  
}
```

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "Missing required fields"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Account creation failed"  
}
```



## How Login Works

The frontend sends a POST request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=users&action=login
```

with a JSON body like:

```
{  
  "email": "newuser@example.com",  
  "password": "securepass"  
}
```

## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "token": "JWT_TOKEN_HERE"  
}
```

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "Invalid credentials"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Missing email or password"  
}
```



# Animals Endpoint Overview

The frontend accesses:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=animals
```

This endpoint supports:

- `GET` → list, view, or search animals
- `POST` → create a new animal
- `PATCH` → update an animal
- `DELETE` → remove an animal

## GET All animals

```
GET /index.php?endpoint=animals
```

→ Returns an array of all animals

## 🔍 GET All animals

```
[  
  {  
    "id": "1",  
    "name": "Bella",  
    "species": "Dog",  
    "breed": "Labrador Retriever",  
    "age": "3",  
    "gender": "Female",  
    "arrival_date": "2025-10-01",  
    "status": "Adopted"  
  },  
  {  
    "id": "2",  
    "name": "Max",  
    "species": "Cat",  
    "breed": "Siamese", "age": "2", "gender": "Male",  
    "arrival_date": "2025-09-15",  
    "status": "Fostered"  
  }  
]
```

## Get animal by ID

```
GET /index.php?endpoint=animals&id=3
```

→ Returns one animal or 404 if not found

```
{
  "id": "3",
  "name": "Max",
  "species": "Cat",
  "breed": "Siamese", "age": "2", "gender": "Male",
  "arrival_date": "2025-09-15",
  "status": "Fostered"
}
```



## Search animals by attributes

- Include whichever parameters and values are to be searched for, no need to include parameters that are not being searched

```
GET /index.php?
```

```
endpoint=animals&action=search&name=Bella&breed=Retriever&species=Dog&age=3&ge  
nder=Female&status=Available
```

→ Returns filtered results



## Search animals by attributes

```
[  
  {  
    "id": "4",  
    "name": "Bella",  
    "species": "Dpg",  
    "breed": "Retriever",  
    "age": "3",  
    "gender": "Female",  
    "arrival_date": "2025-09-15",  
    "status": "Available"  
  }  
]
```

## + Add New Animal

To add an animal, the frontend sends a POST request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=animals&action=create
```

Requires JWT in `Authorization` header

```
{
  "name": "Luna",
  "species": "Dog",
  "breed": "Beagle",
  "age": 2,
  "gender": "Female",
  "status": "Available"
}
```

## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "token": "JWT_TOKEN_HERE"  
}
```

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "Insert failed"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Unauthorized"  
}
```



## Update Animal

To update an animal, the frontend sends a PATCH request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=animals&action=update&id=3
```

Requires JWT in `Authorization` header

The JSON body includes only the fields to update:

```
{  
  "name": "Luna",  
  "status": "Adopted"  
}
```



## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "updated_id": 3  
}
```



## What It Returns

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "No valid fields provided for update"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Unauthorized"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Update failed",  
  "details": "SQL error message"  
}
```



## Delete Animal

To delete an animal, the frontend sends a DELETE request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=animals&action=delete&id=3
```

Requires JWT in `Authorization` header



## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "deleted_id": 3  
}
```



## What It Returns

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "Unauthorized"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Unauthorized"  
}
```

# Adoptions Endpoint Overview

The frontend accesses:

**http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=animals**

This endpoint supports:

- GET → adoption request by id
- POST → create a new adoption request
- PATCH → update an adoption request



## Get Adoption Request by ID

To retrieve a specific adoption request, the frontend sends a GET request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=adoptions&id=5
```

This returns the full adoption record for the given ID, if it exists.



## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "id": 5,  
  "animal_id": 2,  
  "adoption_date": "2025-11-03",  
  "adopter_name": "Liam Smith",  
  "adopter_phone": "555-5678",  
  "adopter_email": "liam.smith@example.com",  
  "adopter_address": "456 Oak Ave, Fort Mitchell, KY",  
  "status": "approved"  
}
```



## What It Returns

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "Adoption request not found"  
}
```



# Submit Adoption Request

To submit an adoption request, the frontend sends a POST request to:

**http://localhost/index.php?endpoint=adoptions**

with a JSON body like:

```
{  
    "animal_id": 2,  
    "adopter_name": "Liam Smith",  
    "adopter_phone": "555-5678",  
    "adopter_email": "liam.smith@example.com",  
    "adopter_address": "456 Oak Ave, Fort Mitchell, KY"  
}
```



## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "id": 5  
}
```



## What It Returns

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "Invalid animal_id: no such animal exists"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Missing required fields"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Adoption request failed",  
  "details": "SQL error message"  
}
```



## Update Adoption Request

To update an adoption request, the frontend sends a PATCH request to:

```
http://localhost/index.php?  
endpoint=adoptions&action=update&id=5
```

Requires JWT in `Authorization` header

The JSON body includes any fields to update:

```
{  
  "status": "approved",  
  "adopter_phone": "555-9999"  
}
```



## What It Returns

If successful:

```
{  
  "success": true,  
  "updated_id": 5  
}
```



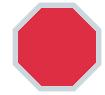
## What It Returns

If unsuccessful:

```
{  
  "error": "No valid fields provided for update"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Invalid or expired token"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "Failed to update adoption request",  
  "details": "SQL error message"  
}
```



## Stopping the Project

To shut delete the CSC640 Docker containers, open your terminal in the project folder and run:

```
docker compose down -v
```