**Let's Fix It (Step-by-Step)**

**✅ Step 1: Confirm You Have a Compiler**

Open **Command Prompt** and run:

bash

g++ --version

Tell me what it shows. If it says something like g++ is not recognized, you'll need to install [MinGW-w64](https://www.mingw-w64.org/). Otherwise, continue.

**✅ Step 2: Find Your g++.exe Path**

In the terminal, run:

bash

where g++

You'll get output like:

makefile

C:\mingw-w64\bin\g++.exe

Copy that path. You'll need it soon.

**✅ Step 3: Fix VS Code Configuration**

1. In VS Code, press:

css

Ctrl + Shift + P

1. Type:

mathematica

C/C++: Edit Configurations (UI)

1. In the config window that opens:
   * Set **Compiler Path** to the path from where g++ (e.g., C:/mingw-w64/bin/g++.exe)
   * Set **Include path** like this (modify if your version is different):

bash

C:/mingw-w64/lib/gcc/x86\_64-w64-mingw32/13.2.0/include

C:/mingw-w64/lib/gcc/x86\_64-w64-mingw32/13.2.0/include/c++

C:/mingw-w64/include

📝 If you're not sure of the exact include paths, I can help you find them — just tell me your compiler's installation folder (like C:/mingw-w64).

**✅ Step 4: Save and Restart VS Code**

Close and reopen VS Code, and reopen your .cpp file.

✅ **Squiggles under #include <iostream> should now be gone**.

**🧪 Optional: Verify Compiler Works**

Try running this in the terminal:

bash

g++ C:\Users\pccco\OneDrive\Desktop\Demo.cpp -o demo.exe

demo.exe

If it compiles and runs correctly, your compiler works — it's just IntelliSense that needs to find the include paths.

Would you like to send me your g++ path or tell me where MinGW is installed so I can give you exact configuration values?