# How to stake TIA

Celestia is a proof-of-stake blockchain based on the Cosmos SDK.

Staking TIA as a delegator allows you to secure the Celestia network. This means that you can stake the native token TIA and vote on governance proposals.

In this tutorial, you will learn how to stake TIA tokens viakeplr and Leap wallets.

### Select your preferred wallet

### Stake TIA with Keplr wallet

### 1 Open your Keplr browser extension

Navigate toStaked and selectStake with Keplr Dashboard .

This will open the Keplr dashboard in a new browser page.

#### 2| Select Celestia network and search for a validator

In the Keplr dashboard, select the Celestia network and pick a validator of your choice.

### 3 Stake your TIA tokens

On the following screen enter amount of TIA tokens and selectStake .

A Keplr popup will appear, requesting your approval for the transaction. SelectApprove.

#### 4 Confirm and manage your TIA

After the transaction is confirmed, you will see the following overview dashboard where you can claim rewards, unstake, redelegate, or stake additional tokens.

## Stake TIA with Leap wallet

#### 1 Open your Leap browser extension

In top right selectCelestia network and navigate toStake.

Similarly to previous step, select the+Stake button.

#### 2 Select a validator and stake TIA

On the following screen choose a validator of your choice, enter the desired amount, and clickReview .

Following that, review the transaction details and selectStake, then wait for the transaction to finalize.

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