THE NEW YORK TIMES

Provides:

This API provides all the data from the New York Times website, such articles, book reviews, graphics, and slideshows.

Key Provisioning:

Pain factor (0=ezpz...5=nightmare): 1



- Your NYT API key works for all 11 of their public API databases: Archive, Article Search, Books, Community, Geographic, Most Popular, Movie Reviews, Semantic, Times Newswire, Times Tags, and Top Stories.
- The NYT Developers' FAQ offers very clear descriptions of the structure of their databases. I highly recommend reading it through before getting started. Click on any of the above links to see the instructions for working for that specific API, such as the fields and the tags you can use to filter out your search. You can also access the Documentation from the above links, which lets you try out requesting in real time before you commit to coding.
- When checking your email for the API key, if you do not see it, try checking your spam mail.

Quotas:

- APIs are limited to 1000 calls per day, and 5 calls per second.
- The Article Search API is limited to 1000 calls per day, and 1 call per second.

The Good:

- Very detailed instructions on using the API.
- Easy process to procure the API Key.
- Detailed documentation on gueries with interactive examples
- Key words are included in Article Search API data set

The Bad:

- Data is very clunky and hard to read, especially for articles with a lot of media content.
- They should have better instructions on how to use the filtering tags and give more examples.

The Ugly:

None so far.

Location: https://developer.nytimes.com/

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