# 📄 How to Run the Project (PHP + MySQL)

**step-by-Step Project Setup Guide**

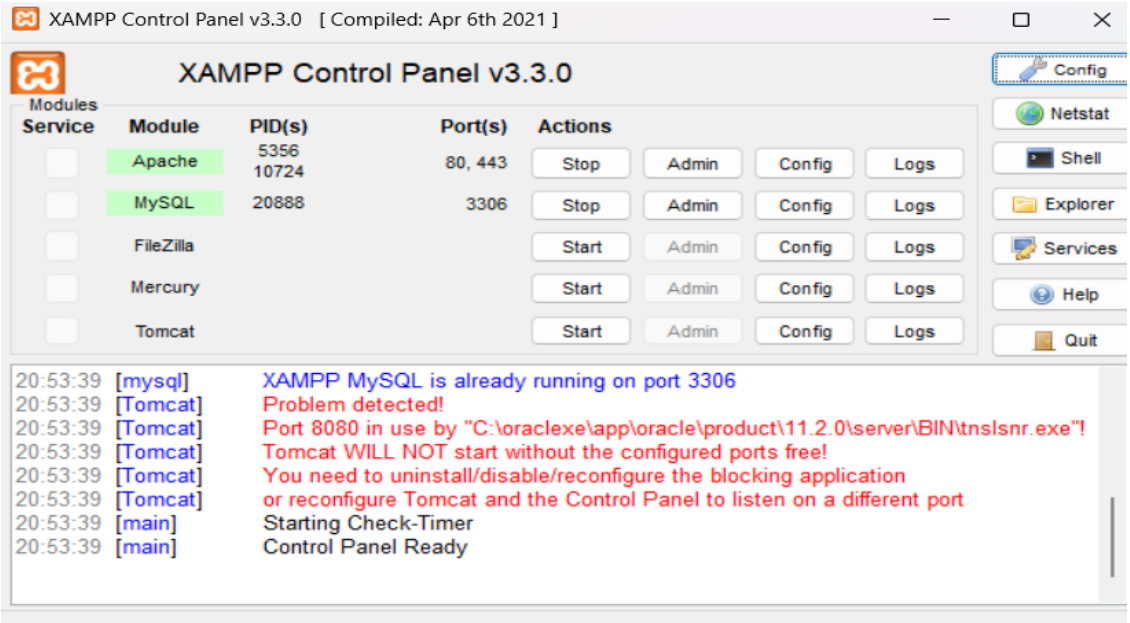
## 1. Prerequisites

Before running the project, make sure you have these installed:

- XAMPP download and setup XAMPP (for PHP & MySQL) download XAMPP
- Web browser (like Chrome)
- Code editor (like VS Code or Sublime Text)

## 2. Start Apache and MySQL

- Open XAMPP Control Panel → Start **Apache** and **MySQL** like this ⬇️




- Open browser → search **localhost** then it runs properly

## 3. Download the Project

Explain two ways to get the project:

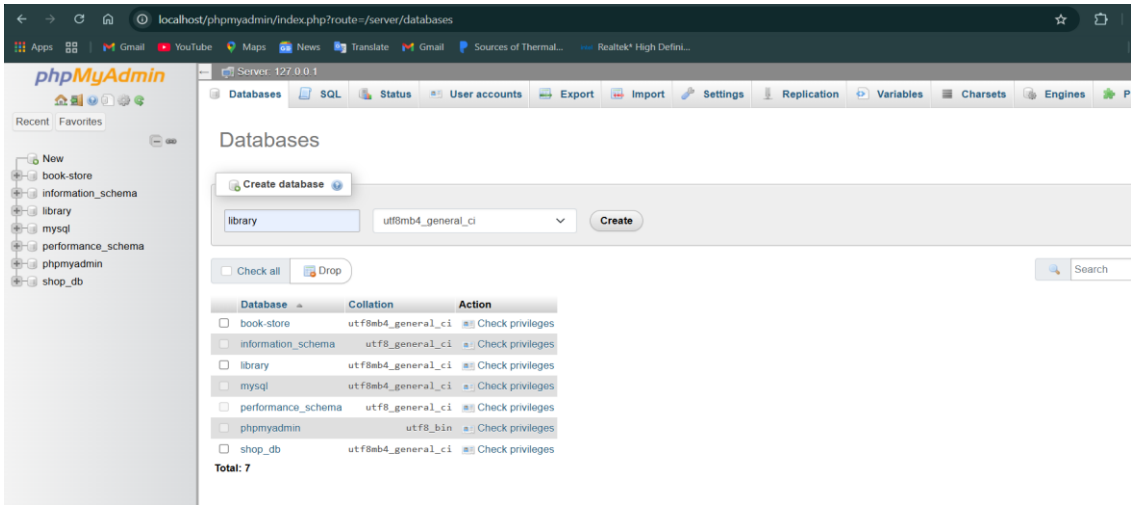
- From GitHub: Click **Code** → [Download ZIP]
- Or clone via Git command ⬇
  **git clone** https://github.com/syedadils28/Online-Book-Donate-Management.git

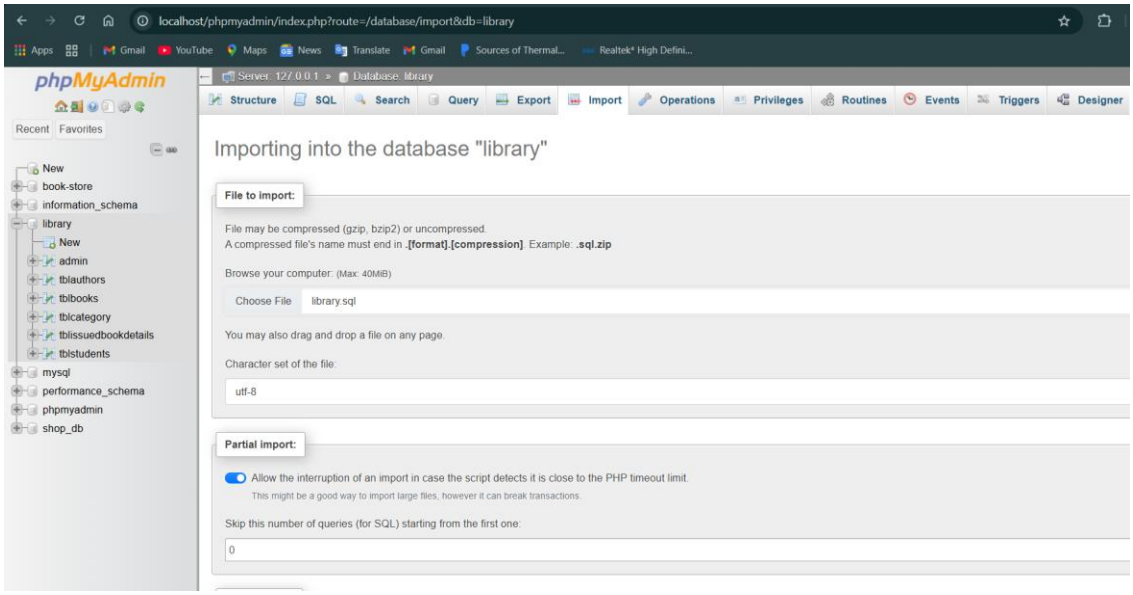
## 4. Move the Project Folder

- Copy the extracted project folder
- Paste it inside: C:\xampp\htdocs\

## 5. Create Database

- Go to `http://localhost/phpmyadmin`
- Click new and Create database as name (library) and click create button
- Import `**library.sql**` file and click import



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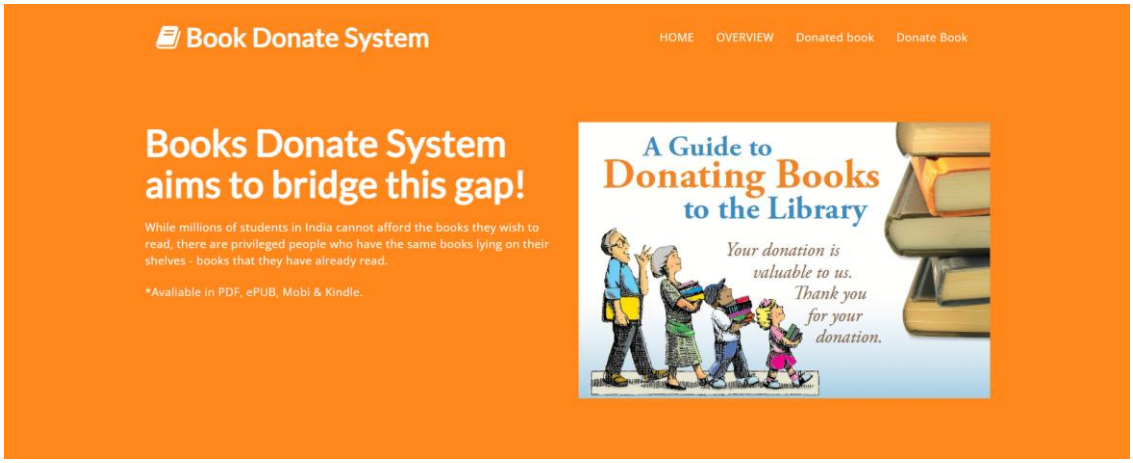
- Open XAMPP Control Panel → Start **Apache** and **MySQL**
- In your browser, type: http://localhost/OnlineBookDonateManagement/