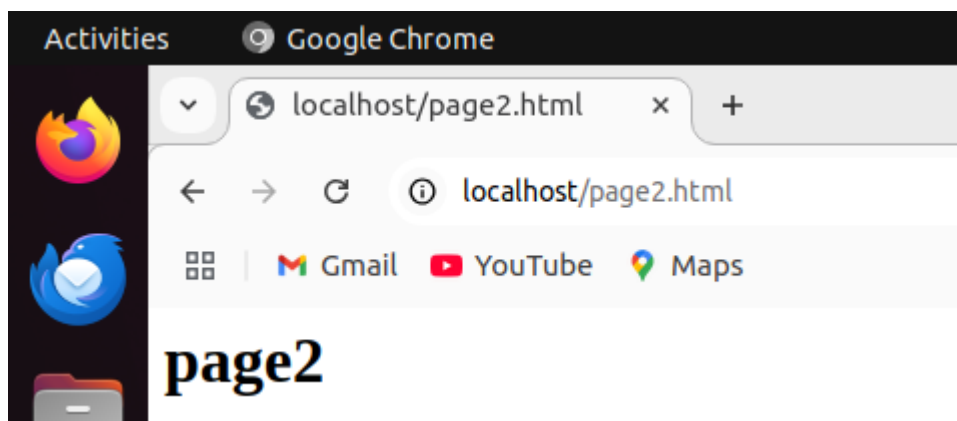


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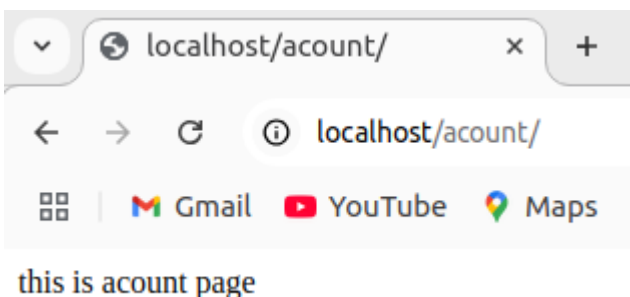
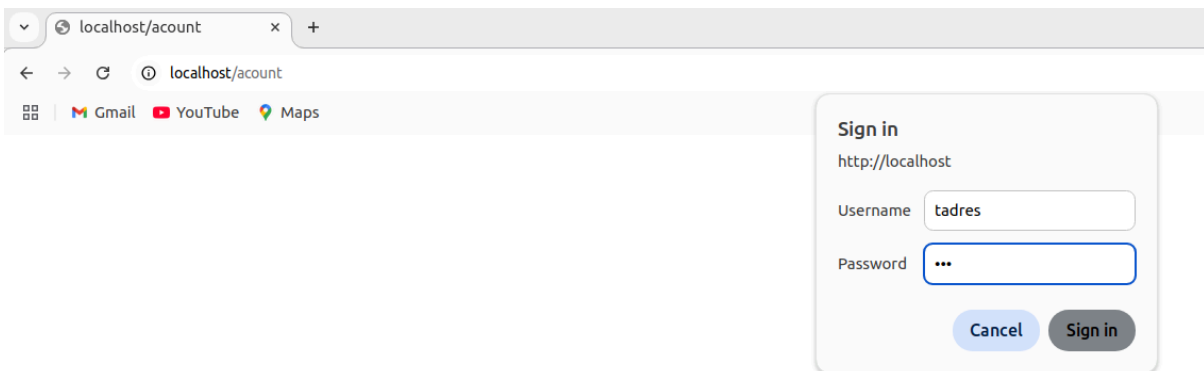
2-Create two simple html pages named “page1.html, page2.html” then use the suitable directive to automatically redirect from localhost/page1.html to localhost/page2.html.

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www/html
tadres@tadres:~$ cd /var/www/html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano page1.html
[sudo] password for tadres:
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano /etc/apache2/apache2.conf
[sudo] password for tadres:
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano page2.html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano .htaccess
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ ls -la
total 32
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Apr 26 14:46 .
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Apr 26 00:26 ..
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 33 Apr 26 14:46 .htaccess
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 10671 Apr 26 00:26 index.html
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 15 Apr 26 14:24 page1.html
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 15 Apr 26 14:44 page2.html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$
```



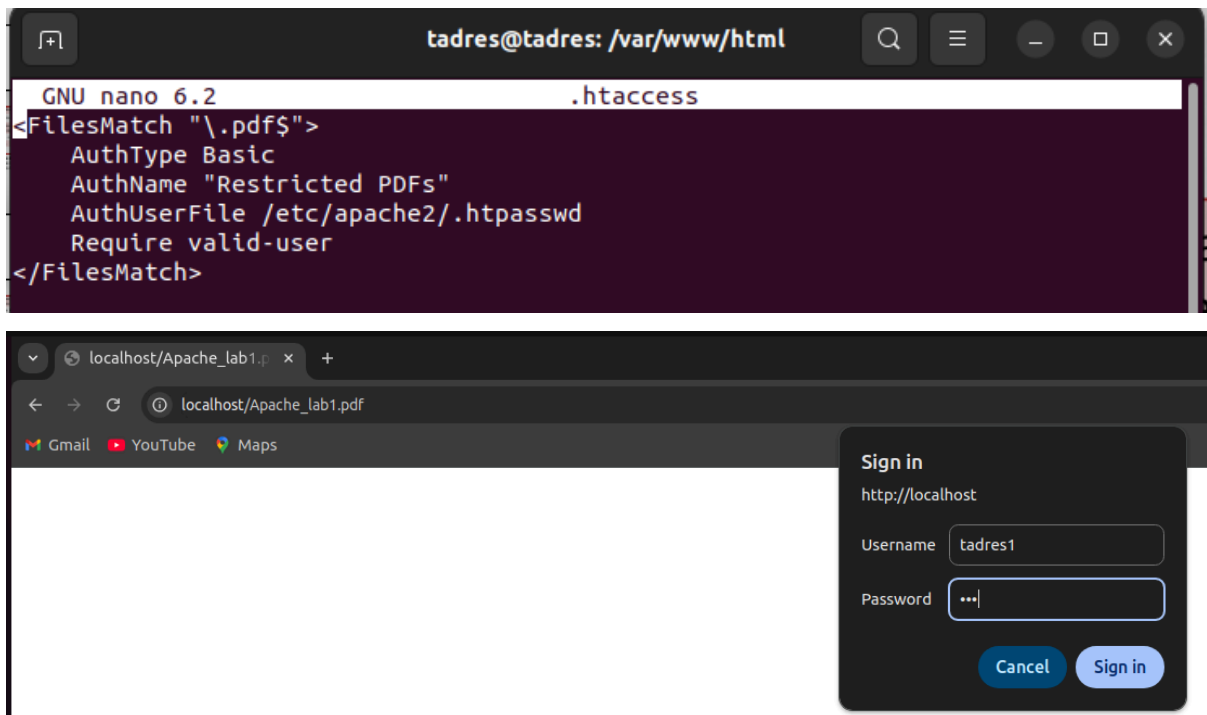
3-Ask for user name and password when accessing a directory.

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www/html/acount
tadres@tadres:~$ cd /var/www/html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo mkdir acount
[sudo] password for tadres:
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ cd /var/www/html/acount
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html/acount$ sudo nano index.html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html/acount$ which htpasswd
/usr/bin/htpasswd
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html/acount$ sudo htpasswd -c /etc/apache2/.htpasswd tadr
es
New password:
Re-type new password:
Adding password for user tadres
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html/acount$ sudo nano .htaccess
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html/acount$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html/acount$
```

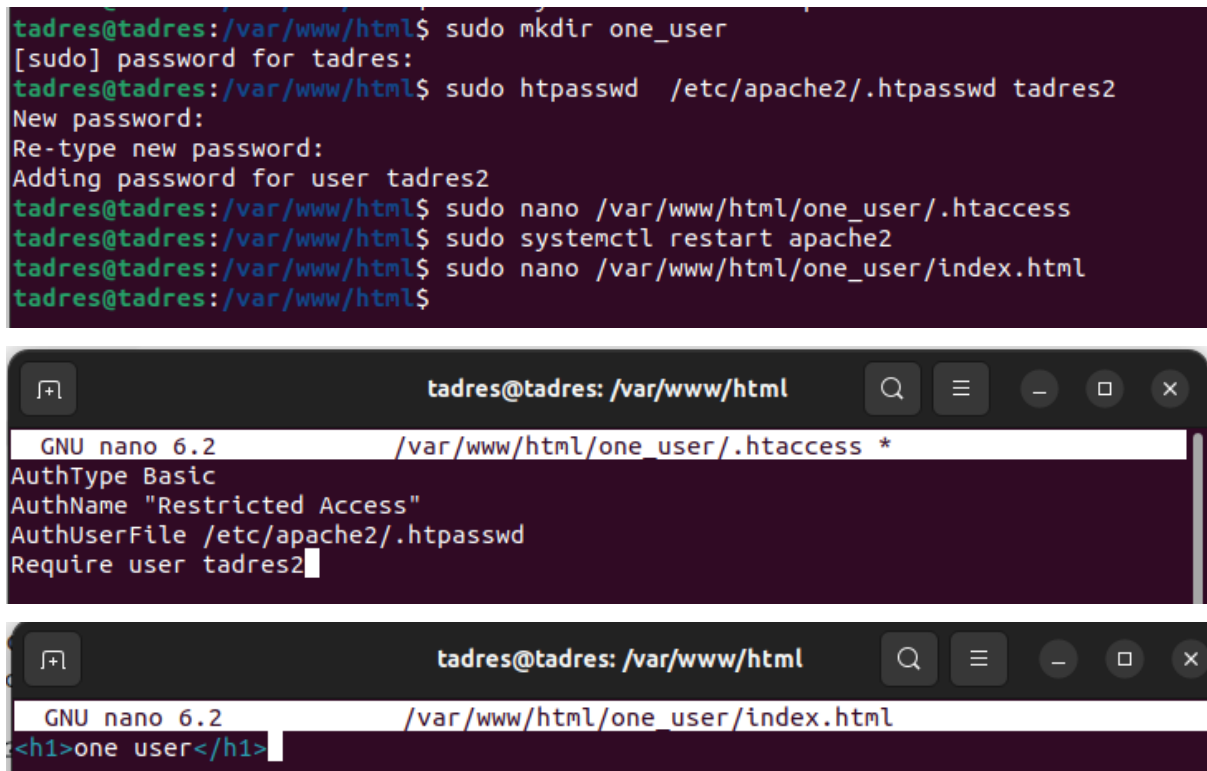


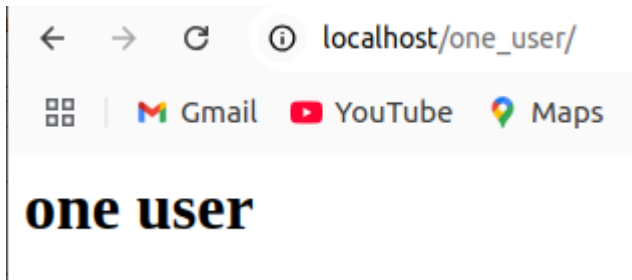
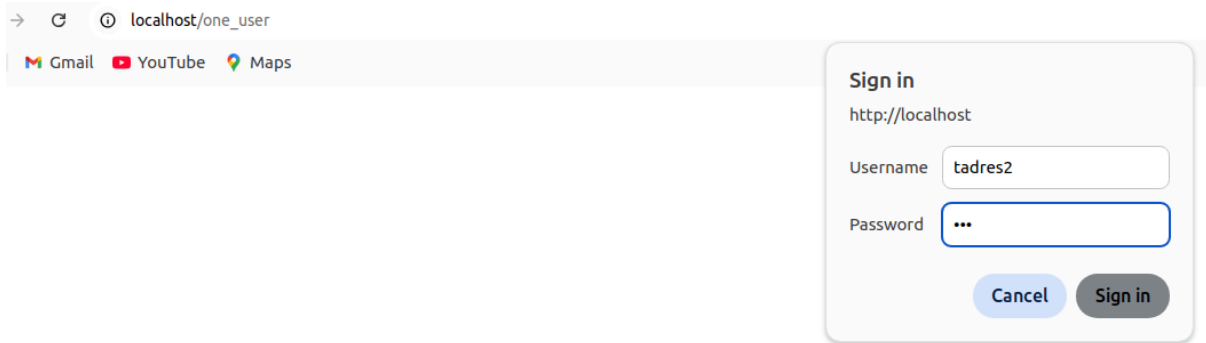
4-Apply authentication before downloading PDF files.

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www/html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo cp ~/Downloads/Apache_lab1.pdf /var/www/html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo htpasswd /etc/apache2/.htpasswd tadres1
New password:
Re-type new password:
Adding password for user tadres1
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano .htaccess
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano .htaccess
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$
```



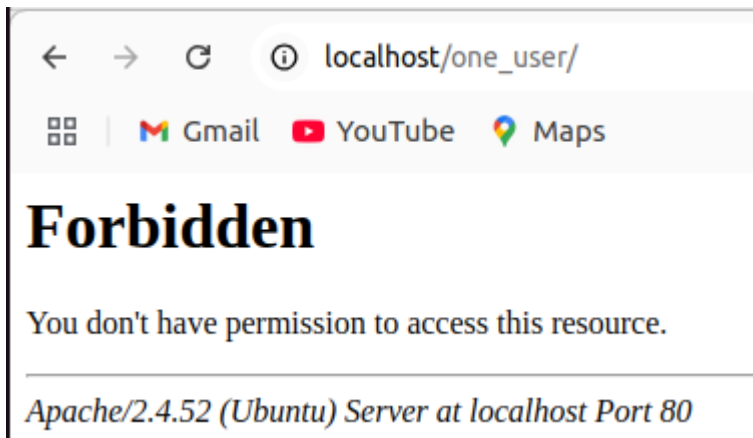
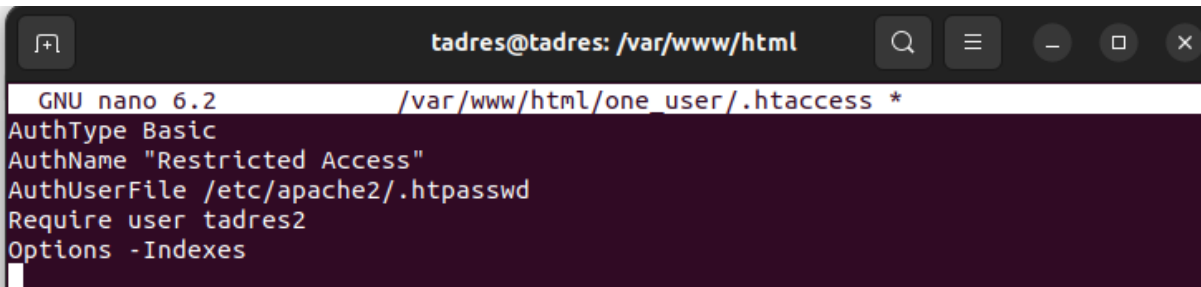
5-Create a directory then allow access to one of your classmates only.





6-Disable listing the directory content (hint use indexes).

```
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano /var/www/html/one_user/.htaccess
[sudo] password for tadres:
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo rm /var/www/html/one_user/index.html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
```



7-Change the default index page to be default.html instead of index.html (use DirectoryIndex)

```
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano /etc/apache2/sites-available/000-default.conf
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano /var/www/html/default.html
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$
```

```
# value is not decisive as it is used
# However, you must set it for any further
#ServerName www.example.com

ServerAdmin webmaster@localhost
DocumentRoot /var/www/html
DirectoryIndex default.html
# Available loglevels: trace8, ..., trace1, ..., debug, ..., info, ..., warn, ..., error, ..., crit, ..., emerg
```

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www/html
GNU nano 6.2 /var/www/html/default.html
<h1>default file</h1>
```

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default file

another solve:

```
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano /var/www/html/.htaccess
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www/html$ sudo nano /var/www/html/default.html
```

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www/html
GNU nano 6.2 /var/www/html/.htaccess
DirectoryIndex default.html
```

8-Create virtualhost for os.iti.gov.eg website

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www

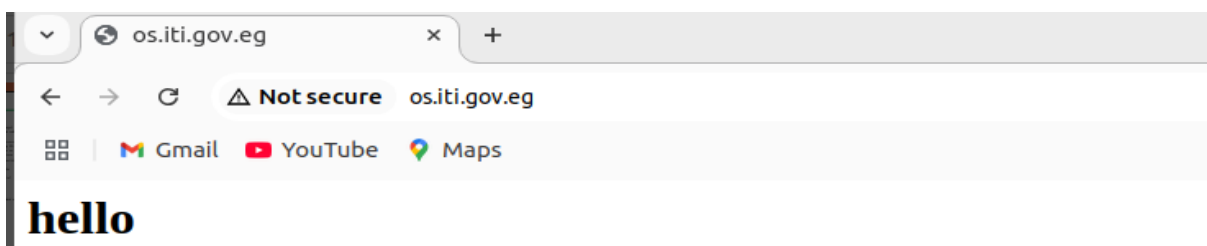
tadres@tadres:~$ sudo mkdir -p /var/www/os.iti.gov.eg
[sudo] password for tadres:
tadres@tadres:~$ cd /var/www
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo nano /var/www/os.iti.gov.eg/index.html
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo nano /etc/apache2/sites-available/os.iti.gov.eg.conf
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo a2ensite os.iti.gov.eg.conf
Enabling site os.iti.gov.eg.
To activate the new configuration, you need to run:
  systemctl reload apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ ^C
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo a2enmod rewrite
Enabling module rewrite.
To activate the new configuration, you need to run:
  systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo nano /etc/hosts
tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo systemctl restart apache2
tadres@tadres:/var/www$
```

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www

GNU nano 6.2 /etc/apache2/sites-available/os.iti.gov.eg.conf *
<VirtualHost *:80>
    ServerAdmin webmaster@os.iti.gov.eg
    DocumentRoot /var/www/os.iti.gov.eg
    ServerName os.iti.gov.eg
    ErrorLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/error.log
    CustomLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/access.log combined
</VirtualHost>
```

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www

GNU nano 6.2 /etc/hosts *
127.0.0.1    os.iti.gov.eg
127.0.0.1    localhost
127.0.1.1    tadres
```



9-Enable rewrite module

```
tadres@tadres: /var/www

tadres@tadres:/var/www$ sudo a2enmod rewrite
Module rewrite already enabled
tadres@tadres:/var/www$
```

10-What is the importance of rewrite module?

The Importance of the Rewrite Module in Apache (mod_rewrite)
The Rewrite Module (mod_rewrite) in Apache is a powerful tool for URL manipulation and redirection. It allows servers to rewrite requested URLs on the fly, improving SEO, security, and user experience.

Key Benefits:

SEO-Friendly URLs: Converts dynamic URLs (e.g., ?id=123) into clean, readable paths (e.g., /products/123).

Redirection & Routing: Redirects old URLs to new ones (301/302) and manages internal URL routing.

Security: Blocks malicious requests, hides file extensions, and prevents hotlinking.

Flexibility: Works with conditions (RewriteCond) and rules (RewriteRule) for complex URL handling.

Backward Compatibility: Ensures old links still work after website restructuring.

Example Use Cases:

Redirecting HTTP to HTTPS.

Making URLs user-friendly (/blog/post-title instead of /blog.php?id=42).

Preventing access to sensitive files.

Since it operates at the server level, mod_rewrite is efficient and widely used in modern web development.

