1. Go to [**replit.com**](http://replit.com/)
2. Make an account by pressing the orange “Sign up” button on the top right. You can use any of the options you are comfortable with (Google, GitHub, X, or Email); I would recommend the Email option.
   1. Verify your email or account based on the instructions replit gives you (it will vary depending on the method you choose)
3. Open one of the links below to get the code we’ll work with in today’s DemoLab (both these links go to the same place, the tinyurl.com one is just easier to type!):

[**https://replit.com/@williarj/DNAcounting?v=1**](https://replit.com/@williarj/DNAcounting?v=1)

[**https://tinyurl.com/rhitCatapultDNA**](https://tinyurl.com/rhitCatapultDNA)

1. Your window should look like this, press the “Remix this app” button, press the same button in the pop-up window that appears, this will make a copy of the code you can edit!

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1. This will take you to a replit home screen that looks something like the picture below, select “Apps” on the left, and then open the “DNA\_counting” project.

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*(instructions continue on back….)*

1. On the left you should see several files like in the image below (yours will be slightly different), make sure you can see and open “main\_template.py”

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1. Once you have this open, help the people around you get to the same place, and wait for your instructor!