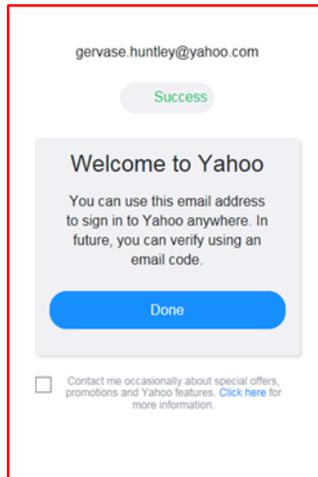


## 6. That's it! You have an email account! Congratulations!



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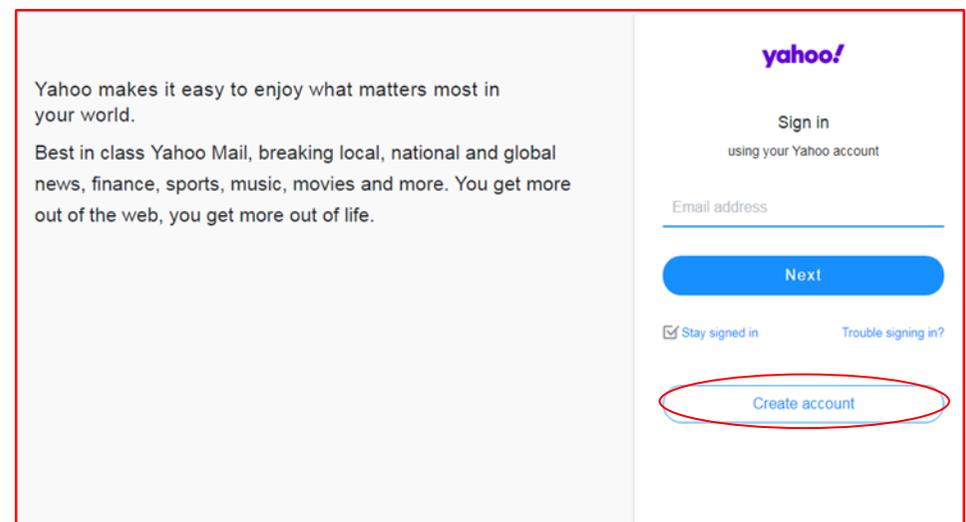
# YAHOO!

This guide will show you how to set up an email account with Yahoo!

It's free to set up an account and once you have one you'll be able to send messages and photos all over the world in seconds.

You'll also be able to access a number of other online resources. Please note that there are other email providers to choose from such as Outlook and Gmail.

1. Begin by typing <https://login.yahoo.com> into the address bar of your web browser. Then click **Create account** (circled below).



2. The next step is to complete the form shown below. You will need to choose a username and type it over the words **Email address** (circled, below). Most people's names have already been used so you will need to choose something different. Beware of jokey names though—it might not look good to a prospective employer if they receive an email from **gothgirl98**, or something similar.

Sign up  
Create a Yahoo email address

First name Surname

**Email address** @yahoo.com  
[I want to use my current email address](#)

Password

+44 Mobile phone number

Birth month Day Year

Gender (optional)

By clicking "Continue", you agree to the [Terms](#) and [Privacy Policy](#)

Continue

Already have an account? [Sign in](#)

3. You will also need to choose a password. This must include numbers and letters. Choose something memorable but something that no hacker is likely to be able to guess. You can find out more about choosing a password in our free guide, *Help with Staying Safe Online* available in all libraries and online at <https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/campaigns/staying-safe-online/>. Current best practice is to choose three random words

When you have completed the form click **Continue**.

4. Next you will be asked to re-enter your mobile phone number. Yahoo will need to use this if there are problems with your account, for instance if you forget your password. They need it here to verify your identity.

Verify your phone number

+44

We will send you a verification code to verify that you're the owner of this phone.

Messaging and data rates may apply

Text me a verification code

5. You will be texted an **Account Key** which you need to re-type, as shown below. Once you have received and entered the code and click **Verify**.

Verify that you have this phone

Enter the verification code that we sent to

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Your verification code may take a few moments to arrive.  
Please wait 13 seconds before trying to resend

Verify