



# Apple Developer Programme fee waiver for Education

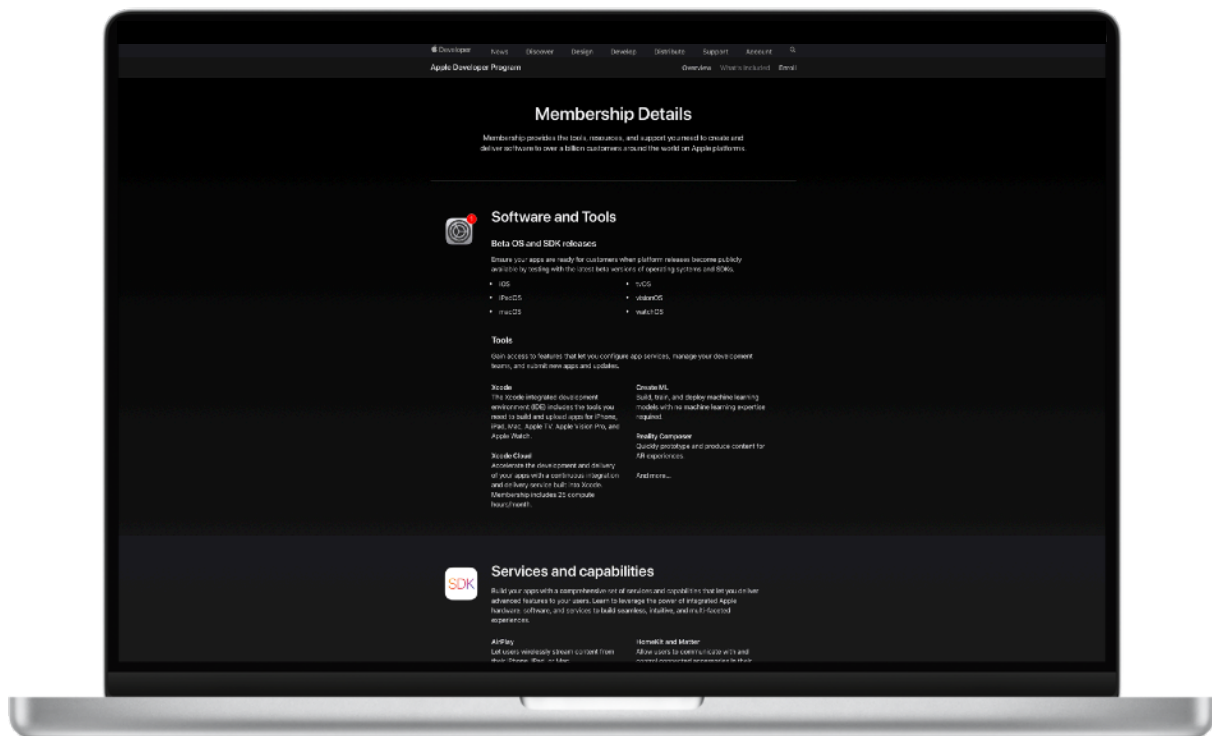
It's never been easier to prepare students for a career in the app economy. Apple Developer Programme is free through a fee waiver for accredited educational institutions. Help students develop amazing apps for iPhone, iPad, Mac, Apple Watch, Apple TV and Apple Vision Pro.

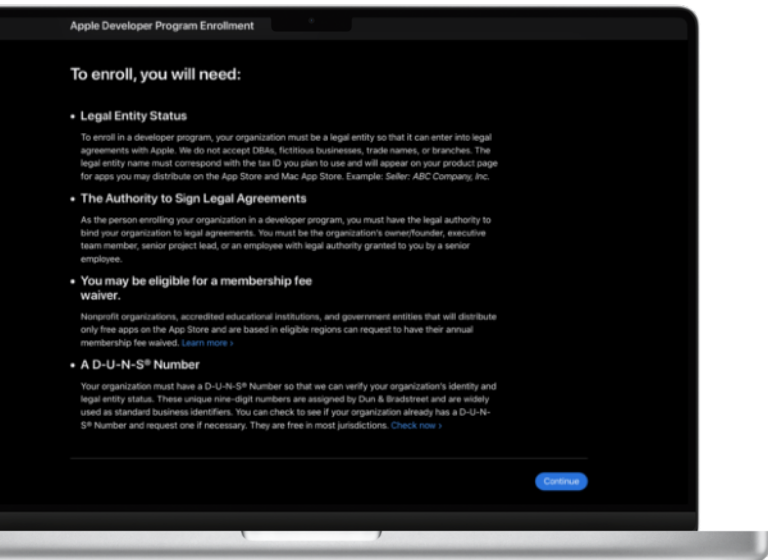


## What's included in the Apple Developer Programme?

Learning app development helps students advance their skills using the same resources available to professional developers. Bringing the Apple Developer Programme to your campus helps students learn how to develop and test amazing apps using TestFlight, ARKit, SiriKit, MusicKit and other developer capabilities for iPhone, iPad, Mac, Apple Watch, Apple TV and Apple Vision Pro.

Learn more: [developer.apple.com/programs/whats-included](https://developer.apple.com/programs/whats-included)





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## Join the Apple Developer Programme

As an accredited educational institution, you can join the Apple Developer Programme for free by applying [online](#). Make sure you select Accredited Educational Institution as your entity type when prompted during enrolment.

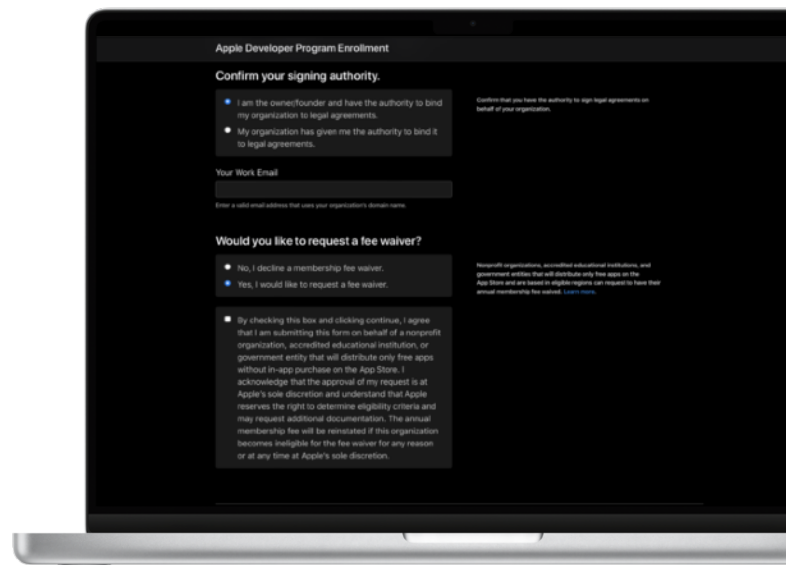
Enrol now: [developer.apple.com/programs/enroll](https://developer.apple.com/programs/enroll)

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## Ensure you have the right documentation

To enrol in the Apple Developer Programme, you'll need to be recognised as a legal entity in your region and have an associated D-U-N-S Number.

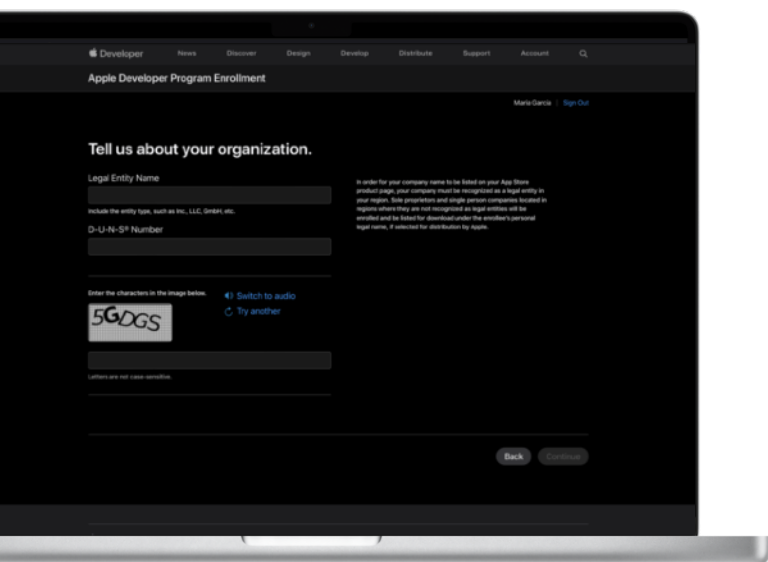
Learn more about D-U-N-S Numbers:  
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## Request a fee waiver

Fee waivers are available for learning purposes and to distribute **free** apps with no in-app purchases. Make sure you select "Yes I would like to request a fee waiver" when enrolling. After being approved, you'll receive an email asking you to agree to the Apple Developer Programme Licence Agreement — then you'll be in the programme and ready to start building your development team.



# Apple Developer Programme Roles

When you enrol your institution in the Apple Developer Programme with fee waivers, you can manage your developer team as the Account Holder and invite students and staff to App Store Connect — a suite of tools for managing assigned roles, testing apps using TestFlight and much more.



## Managing programme roles

The roles you assign to your developer team members will help you manage access to developer tools included with your membership. Each institution has one team with a set of roles. And each user's role on the team determines their access to sections of App Store Connect and the Apple Developer website, as well as privileges for performing tasks. Below are the user roles for educational use.

To edit your institution's account information, please contact us at [developer.apple.com/contact](https://developer.apple.com/contact).

	Account Holder	Admin	App Manager	Developer
Eligible for events and additional benefits	✓	✓	✓	✓
Submit code-level support requests and purchase credits	✓	✓	✓	✓
Download beta software	✓	✓	✓	✓
Post in Apple Developer Forums	✓	✓	✓	✓
Accept legal agreements	✓			
Renew membership	✓			
Submit certificate signing requests	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Create and revoke development certificates	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Create and revoke distribution certificates	✓	✓	⊙	
Create Developer ID certificates	✓			
Create other certificate types	✓	✓	⊙	
Create cloud-managed Developer ID certificates	✓	✓		
Create other cloud-managed certificate types	✓	✓	✓	✓
Create development provisioning profiles	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Delete development provisioning profiles	✓	✓	⊙	
Create and delete distribution provisioning profiles	✓	✓	⊙	
Download provisioning profiles	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Register and configure App IDs	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Delete App IDs	✓	✓	⊙	
Add UDIDs	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Disable UDIDs	✓	✓	⊙	
Create keys	✓	✓	⊙	
Create and revoke Safari Extension Certificates	✓	✓	⊙	⊙
Notarise software	✓	✓	✓	✓

### Account Holder

The Account Holder will enrol your institution in the programme. They are the only user who can sign legal agreements, renew membership or create developer ID certificates. You can only have one Account Holder. For instructions on transferring the Account Holder role, visit the [support page](#).

### Admin

Admins have access to Certificates, Identifiers & Profiles, which allows them to manage certificates, identifiers, profiles, UDIDs, app IDs and more. An Admin can be an educator who manages a team of educators and facilitates invitations for the institution via App Store Connect. For details, visit [Add and edit users](#) in App Store Connect Help.

### App Manager

The App Manager can represent an educator(s) who will teach a course or section. Typically, the Account Holder or Admin provides access to each educator teaching a course so they're able manage team members (students) in their course.

### Developer

The Developer represents student developers who are part of a team. Student developers should only be in the Developer role and should not be in an Account Holder, Admin or App Manager role.

- ✓ Full access.
- ⊙ Requires access to Certificates, Identifiers & Profiles, granted in Users and Access in App Store Connect. Includes access to CloudKit Console.
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- ⓘ Requires Xcode Automatic Signing.

# Get your developer team started

Follow these best practices to start your student developer team.



## Add students to your developer team

After your institution has been enrolled in the Apple Developer Programme, you can add students to a development team for your course. Students can use their Mac to download Xcode for free from the Mac App Store. Xcode includes the tools needed to develop and test apps across all Apple platforms. [Download Xcode](#).

To get started with setting up a student development team using their own devices for your course:

1. Ask students for the email address associated with the Apple ID they used to download Xcode. If students don't have one already, they can easily create a new [Apple ID](#).
2. Go to Users and Access in App Store Connect to invite students using their email address. Select the "Developer" role.
3. All students will receive access to App Store Connect and other membership resources and benefits.

For more information, see [Add and edit users](#) in App Store Connect Help. If you're using Xcode in a lab or have a managed device, contact your campus administrator to get access.

**Note:** Two-step verification or two-factor authentication is required to sign in to App Store Connect. Visit the Security section of your [Apple ID account](#) or the Apple ID section of [Settings on your iPhone or iPad](#) to enable two-step verification or two-factor authentication for the Apple ID associated with your account. Standard users will be set up by an Admin; they can install apps and change their own settings, but they can't add users or change other users' settings.