

Setting Apple Mail to Receive Webmail Messages

Road Runner

Account Type: POP
Incoming: **pop-server.tampabay.rr.com**
Outgoing: **smtp-server.tampabay.rr.com**
User name: Username only
SSL: Off
Authentication: None

Embarq/Centurylink

Account Type: POP
Incoming: **pop.embarq.com**
pop.centurylink.net
Outgoing: **smtp.embarq.com**
smtp.centurylink.net
User name: Email address for both
SSL: Off for both
Authentication: Password

Gmail

Access a Gmail Account in Mac OS X Mail Using IMAP

Now, to send and receive mail to and from a Gmail account in Mac OS X Mail:

- [Make sure IMAP access is enabled in Gmail.](#)
- Select *Mail | Preferences...* from the menu.
- Go to the *Accounts* tab.
- Click the plus sign under the accounts list.
- Type your name under *Full Name:*.
- Enter your Gmail address under *Email Address:*.
- Now enter your Gmail password under *Password:*.
- Make sure *Automatically set up account* is not checked.
- Click *Continue*.
- Make sure *IMAP* is selected under *Account Type:*.
- Type "imap.gmail.com" (not including the quotation marks) under *Incoming Mail Server:*.
- Verify your Gmail account name (what precedes "@gmail.com" in your Gmail address) appears under *User Name:*.
- Click *Continue*.
- Type "Gmail" under *Description:* for the *Outgoing Mail Server*.
- Check *Use Authentication* is checked and that your Gmail account name appears under *User Name:*.
- Click *Continue*.
- Verify the *Account Summary* reads like this:
 - Account Description: Gmail
 - Full Name: your name
 - Email Address: your Gmail address
 - User Name: your Gmail account name
 - Incoming Mail Server: imap.gmail.com
 - SSL: on
 - Outgoing Mail Server: smtp.gmail.com
 - SSL: on
- Click *Create*.
- Go to your newly set up Gmail account's *Mailbox Behaviors* tab.
- Check *Store junk messages on the server*.
- Make sure *Never* is selected under *Delete junk messages when:*.
- Now make sure *Never* is selected under *Permanently erase deleted messages when:*.
- Close the preferences window.
- Go to *GMAIL | [Gmail] | Drafts* in the folder list.
- Select *Mailbox | Use This Mailbox For | Drafts* from the menu.
- Go to *GMAIL | [Gmail] | Sent Mail*.
- Select *Mailbox | Use This Mailbox For | Sent* from the menu.
- Go to *GMAIL | [Gmail] | Trash*.
- Select *Mailbox | Use This Mailbox For | Trash* from the menu.
- Go to *GMAIL | [Gmail] | Spam*.

- Select *Mailbox | Use This Mailbox For | Junk* from the menu.

You can also [star and label messages](#) using IMAP Gmail in Mac OS X Mail.

Access a Gmail Account in Mac OS X Mail Using POP

- [Make sure POP access is turned on for your Gmail account.](#)
- Select *Mail | Preferences...* from the menu.
- Go to the *Accounts* tab.
- Click the plus sign under the accounts list.
- Type your name under *Full Name:*.
- Enter your Gmail address under *Email Address:*.
- Now enter your Gmail password under *Password:*.
- Make sure *Automatically set up account* is checked.
- Click *Create*.

Access a Gmail Account in Mac OS X Mail 2 Using POP

To access a Gmail account in Mac OS X Mail 2 using POP:

- >> [Step by Step Screenshot Walkthrough](#)
- [Make sure POP access is turned on for your Gmail account.](#)
- Select *Mail | Preferences...* from the menu.
- Go to the *Accounts* tab.
- Click the plus sign under the accounts list.
- Make sure *POP* is selected under *Account Type:*.
- Type "Gmail" under *Account Description:*.
- Enter your name under *Full Name:*.
- Type your full Gmail address under *Email Address:*.
- Click *Continue*.
- Enter "pop.gmail.com" under *Incoming Mail Server:*.
- Type your full Gmail email address under *User Name:*.
- Put your Gmail password in the *Password:* field.
- Click *Continue*.
- Make sure *Use Secure Sockets Layer (SSL)* is checked.
- Select *Password* under *Authentication:*.
- Click *Continue*.
- Type "smtp.gmail.com" under *Outgoing Mail Server:*.
- Make sure *Use Authentication* is checked.
- Enter your full Gmail address under *User Name:*.
- Put your Gmail password in the *Password:* field.
- Click *Continue*.
- Make sure *Use Secure Sockets Layer (SSL)* is checked under *Outgoing Mail Security*, too.
- Under *Authentication:*, select *Password*.
- Click *Continue*.
- Click *Continue* again.
- Now click *Done*.
- With the new "Gmail" account highlighted, click *Server Settings...* under *Outgoing Mail Server (SMTP):*.
- Type "465" under *Server port:*.
- Click *OK*.
- Close the mail preferences.

Hotmail

Account type: POP
 Incoming: pop3.live.com
 Outgoing: smtp.live.com
 Description Windows Live
 User Name: email address
 Authentication: Password

AOL

To set up an AOL email account in Mac OS X Mail using IMAP (which allows seamless access to all your online folders):

- Select *Mail | Preferences...* from the menu.
- Go to the *Accounts* tab.
- Click the + button under the accounts list.
- Type your name under *Full Name:*.
- Enter your AOL email address (e.g. "example@aol.com" — not including the quotation marks) under *Email Address:*.
- Now type your AOL password under *Password:*.
- In Mail 2 and 3:
 - Make sure *Automatically set up account* is checked.
 - Click *Create*.
- In Mail 4:
 - Click *Continue*.
- Highlight the newly created AOL account under *Accounts*.
- Go to the *Mailbox Behaviors* tab.
- Make sure *Store sent messages on the server* is not checked.
- Select *Quitting Mail* under *Delete sent messages when:*.
- Close the *Accounts* configuration window.
- Click *Save* when asked *Save changes to the "AOL" IMAP account?*.

Access AOL Email in Mac OS X Mail As a POP Account

To add an AOL account to Mac OS X Mail using POP (which downloads newly arriving emails in a simple and efficient fashion):

- Select *Mail | Preferences...* from the menu.
- Go to the *Accounts* tab.
- Click the + button under the accounts list.
- Enter your name under *Full Name:*.
- Put your AOL email address (e.g. "example@aol.com") in the *Email Address:* field.
- Type your AOL password under *Password:*.
- Make sure *Automatically set up account* is not checked.
- Click *Continue*.
- Make sure *POP* is selected under *Account Type:*.
- Type "pop.aol.com" under *Incoming Mail Server:*.
- Click *Continue*.
- Type "AOL" under *Description* for the *Outgoing Mail Server*.
- Verify *smtp.aol.com* is entered under *Outgoing Mail Server:*, *Use Authentication* is checked and your user name and password have been entered.
- Click *Continue*.
- Now click *Create*.
- Highlight the newly created AOL account under *Accounts*.
- Go to the *Advanced* tab.
- Make sure "110" is entered under *Port:*.
- Optionally:
 - Pick the desired setting under *Remove copy from server after retrieving a message:*.
 - You can keep all mail on the AOL server without running out of storage. If you let Mac OS X Mail delete messages at all, they will not be available in AOL Mail on the Web or for download on other computers (or via IMAP).

ATT, Yahoo, SBC, DSL email settings

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[AT&T Yahoo! Email Settings Change for POP and SMTP \(e.g., Outlook/Outlook Express\)](#)

1. Change the POP server to [pop.att.yahoo.com](#).
2. Change the SMTP server to [smtp.att.yahoo.com](#).
3. Check the option labeled **Use an encrypted connection (SSL)** and change the SMTP port to 465.
4. Check the option labeled **Use an encrypted connection (SSL)** and change the POP3 port to 995.

Earthlink/Mindspring

Domain	earthlink.net	mindspring.com	ix.netcom.com	onemain.com
POP Server	pop.earthlink.net	pop.mindspring.com	pop.ix.netcom.com	pop.onemain.com
SMTP Server	smtpauth.earthlink.net	smtpauth.earthlink.net	smtpauth.earthlink.net	smtpauth.earthlink.net
SMTP requires authentication	YES: earthlink.net email address and password	YES: mindspring.com email address and password	YES: ix.netcom.com email address and password	YES: onemain.com email address and password
SMTP Port	587	587	587	587

Infonline

Same as Earthlink?