

# CREATING A NETID

Go to the following website where you will find the information and instructions on setting up your NetID

<https://netid.rutgers.edu/>

## Creating an OIT Account and NetID

### What is a NetID?

All faculty, staff, and students are assigned a Rutgers unique identifier known as a NetID, comprised of initials and a unique number (e.g. jqs23). In order to access many of the electronic services available to you at Rutgers, you need to activate your Rutgers NetID. Your assigned NetID will appear on the activation screen.

### What does NetID and Services Activation do?

- **Sets your authentication password**
- **Allows you to setup your security questions and answers**
- **Allows you to select services**
- **Establishes your Rutgers email address**
- **Allows you to choose where you would like your official Rutgers email delivered**
- **Have you read the Rutgers University Acceptable Use policies?** These describe what kinds of things are allowed and not allowed when using OIT computing facilities. If you haven't read them yet, please do so now. You are responsible for understanding and following all policies at Rutgers.

You must read, understand and accept the policy that describes responsible use of Rutgers services. The policy outlines what types of usage are not allowed and what disciplinary actions might result from improper use of Rutgers computing resources.

**New students:** New students who will be starting in the next semester will use account type "**admit coming**" or "**new student**", depending upon the campus.

## New Brunswick

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