

# Configure gmail account to be able to receive emails from automation scripts

Here we explain Configure gmail account to be able to receive emails from automation scripts.

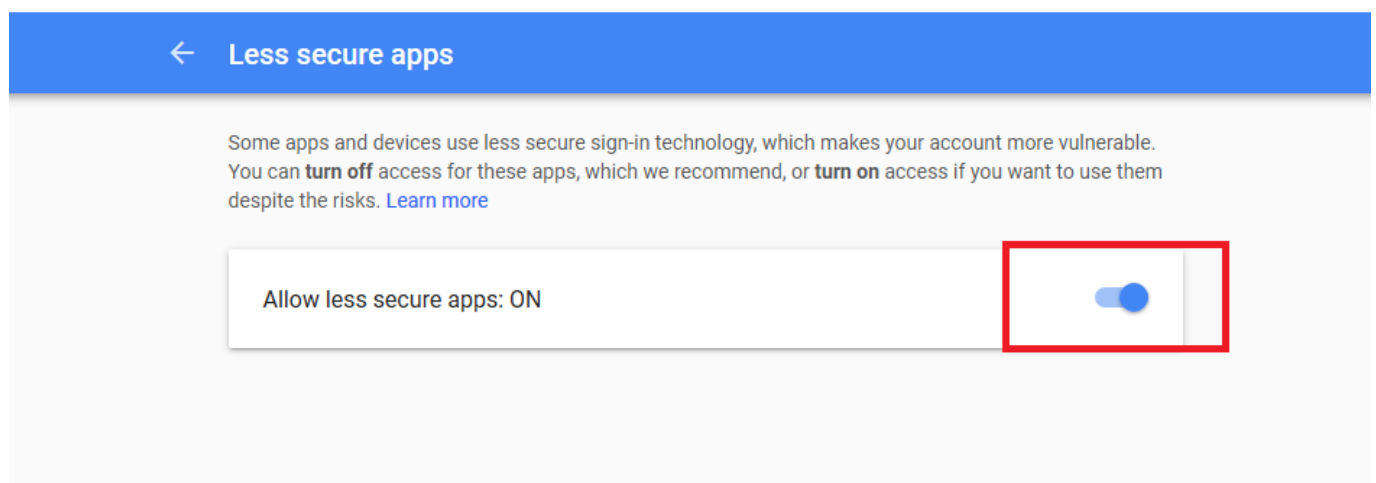
Step [1] :

Click on the following link to Enable Less Secure Apps

<https://myaccount.google.com/lesssecureapps?pli=1>

Step [2]:

Click on Allow Less Secure Apps to enable the feature.



Step [3] :

From below image consider the information to define variables to setup SMTP Server for automating scripts

Example:

```
smtpserver='smtp.gmail.com'
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port=587
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- Server: **smtp.gmail.com**
- Encryption/Authentication: **SSL**
- Port: **465**

or

- Server: **smtp.gmail.com**
- Encryption/Authentication: **StartTLS**
- Port: **587**



## Turn off 2-Step Verification:

- Your account is more secure when you need a password and a verification code to sign in.
- If you remove this extra layer of security, you will only be asked for a password when you sign in.

Follow the below steps to turn off 2-Step Verification:

- Open your [Google Account](#)

The screenshot shows the Google Account dashboard. At the top, there are icons for Google, Gmail, a shield, Maps, and YouTube. Below them, it says 'Welcome, [Name]'. The main heading is 'Control, protect, and secure your account, all in one place'. Underneath, it says 'Your Google Account gives you quick access to settings and tools that let you safeguard your data, protect your privacy, and decide how your information can make Google services work better for you.' There are three main sections: 'Sign-in & security' (highlighted with a red box), 'Personal info & privacy', and 'Account preferences'. Each section has a brief description and a list of sub-options. There are also 'Security Checkup' and 'Privacy Checkup' buttons.

- In the "Sign in & security" section, select **2-Step Verification**. You might need to sign in.

The screenshot shows the 'Sign-in & security' settings page. The left sidebar has a navigation menu with 'Sign-in & security' selected. The main content area is titled 'Signing in to Google' and contains a section for 'Password & sign-in method'. This section includes a 'Password' field (last changed November 30, 2017), a '2-Step Verification' field (highlighted with a red box, showing 'On since: Just now'), 'App passwords' (set to 'None'), and a 'Google Account PIN' field (last changed October 1, 2017). A note states: 'Note: To change these settings, you will need to confirm your password.'

- Select **Turn off**.

2-Step Verification is ON since Dec 7, 2018 **TURN OFF**

Your second step  
After entering your password, you'll be asked for a second verification step. [Learn more](#)

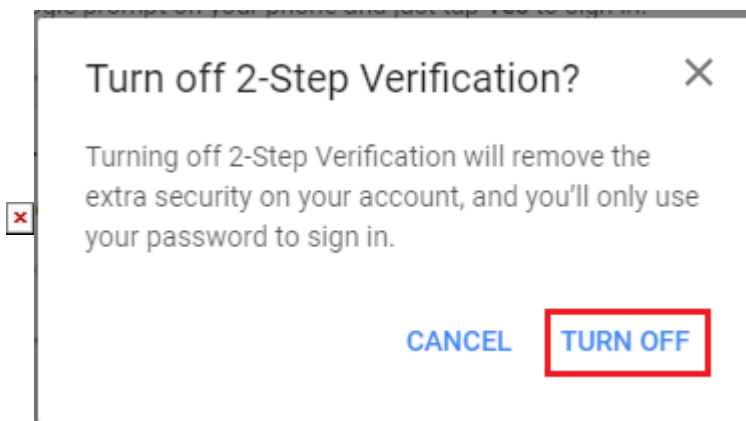
**Tired of typing verification codes?**  
Get a Google prompt on your phone and just tap Yes to sign in. [ADD GOOGLE PROMPT](#)

**Voice or text message (Default)** ⓘ  
099624 95146 **Verified**  
Verification codes are sent by text message.

Set up alternative second step  
Set up at least one backup option so that you can sign in even if your other second steps aren't available.

**Backup codes**  
These printable one-time passcodes allow you to sign in when away from your phone, like when you're traveling.  
[SET UP](#)

- A pop-up window will appear to confirm that you want to turn off 2-Step Verification. Select **Turn off**.



For detailed explanation, refer the following link: <https://support.google.com/accounts/answer/1064203?co=GENIE.Platform%3DDesktop&hl=en&oco=1>