

# Android Authenticator App Tutorial

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**8.)** Now from your mobile device, locate the **"Play Store app"** and perform a manual search for **"Microsoft Authenticator."** 



# 9.) Upon finding it proceed to **download** the application

### 10.) Once the app is downloaded, go back to the browser and click Next

#### Microsoft Authenticator



# Set up your account

If prompted, allow notifications. Then add an account, and select "Work or school".



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## 11.) Open the Authenticator App. Select the Plus + at the top

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**12.)** Select 1 of the 3 available options:

- a. Personal
- b. Work or School
- c. Other Account



## 13.) Scan the QR Code



14.) You will be asked to enter the number shown at the Let's try it out. Enter the numbers that are displayed on the device you are trying to sign in to like this example "11," once you confirm the number you will get an **Approved Notification** on your screen, and it will now be a new account within your authenticator app



15.) To confirm that you all set and successfully set up, back to the browser in the Security Info account section you should now see your new approved sign-in method, and it should say "Microsoft Authenticator Push multi-factor authentication (MFA)"

My Sign-Ins $\sim$
Security info These are the methods you use to sign into your account or reset your password.
- Add sign-in method
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Microsoft Authenticator Push multi-factor authentication (MFA)



6. Open the Microsoft Authenticator app on your new mobile from the Google Play Store for Android

7. On your new phone, open Microsoft Authenticator and select the BEGIN RECOVERY button.
Accounts
Let's add your first account!
For further assistance, see the Help section in the menu.
ADD ACCOUNT

8. You'll be asked to sign in to the **Microsoft account** you used for the backup on your old phone. Your accounts will then automatically be added **to Microsoft Authenticator on your new one.** 

Already have a backup? Sign in to your recovery account

**BEGIN RECOVERY** 

9. Reverify accounts to start using them.



\*Some accounts will require you to revalidate, either by signing into those accounts or scanning a QR code.

\*\*After you finish your recovery, you might notice that your personal Microsoft account verification codes in the Microsoft Authenticator app are different between your old and new phones. The codes are different because each device has its own unique credentials, but both are valid and work while signing in using their respective phones.

\*\*\*However, for security purposes, you should remove the accounts from your old phone. First test and make sure you can access these accounts on your new phone via Microsoft Authenticator.