

Using Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA) with Your CUNYfirst Credentials

Using MFA for your CUNYfirst Login will provide a more secure process for accessing your CUNY applications and services, protecting both your data and CUNY's data from cyberattacks. The CUNY Login Authentication will prompt you to enter a TOTP (Time-based One-Time Password) when accessing applications that require your CUNYfirst credentials, such as CUNYfirst, Brightspace, Office 365, and Dropbox.

Step 1: Sign in to an application using your CUNYfirst credentials.



Step 2: A new window will prompt you to choose your authentication method. Select the method you have enabled.

Step 3: Open the Microsoft Authenticator App on your phone. Locate the Friendly name that you used when creating the account. Take note of the code. Enter the TOTP code on the authentication window. Click **Veri**fy.



The system will verify the authentication and take you to the application.