

Signing up for a Twitter Account

Step 1:

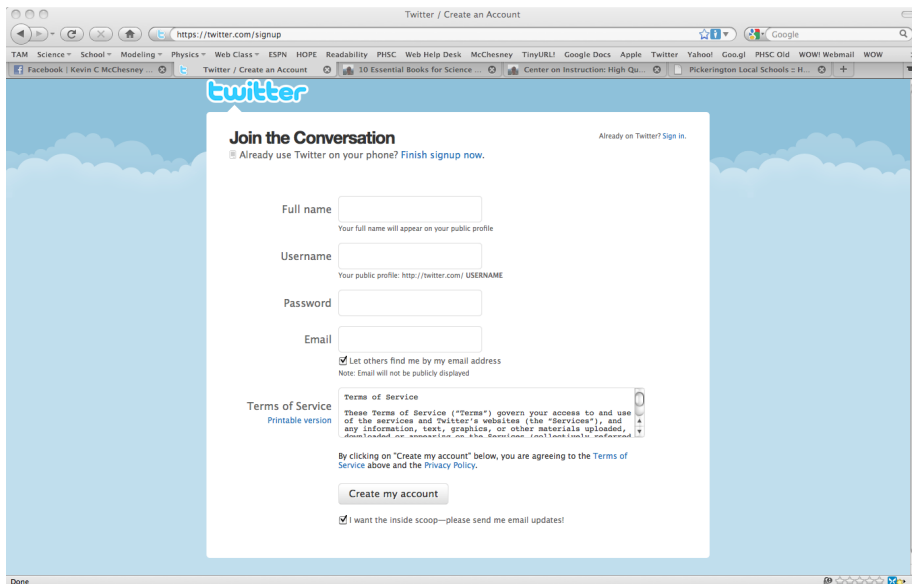
Sign in page located at <http://twitter.com>



Click here

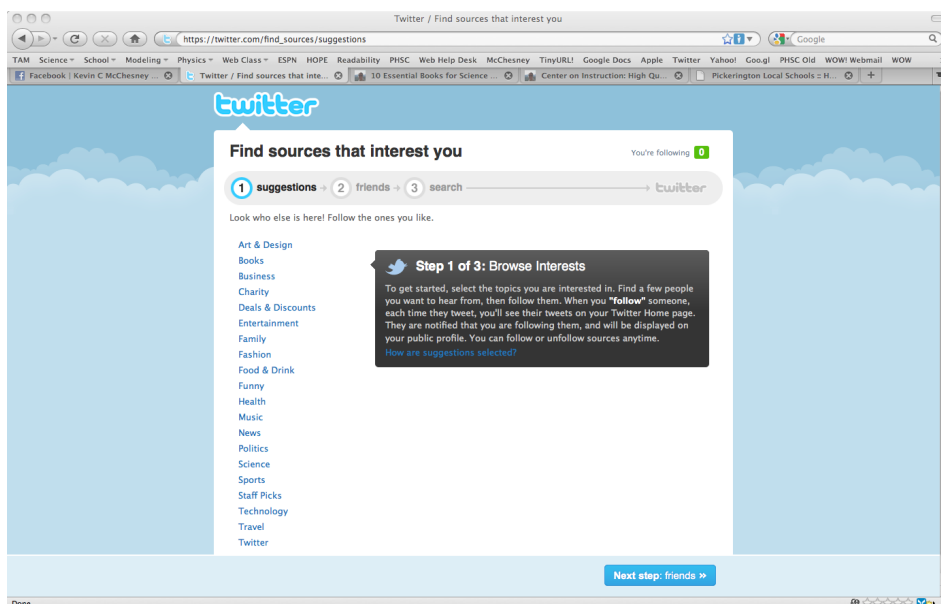
Step 2:

Sign up page. Type in the required information:



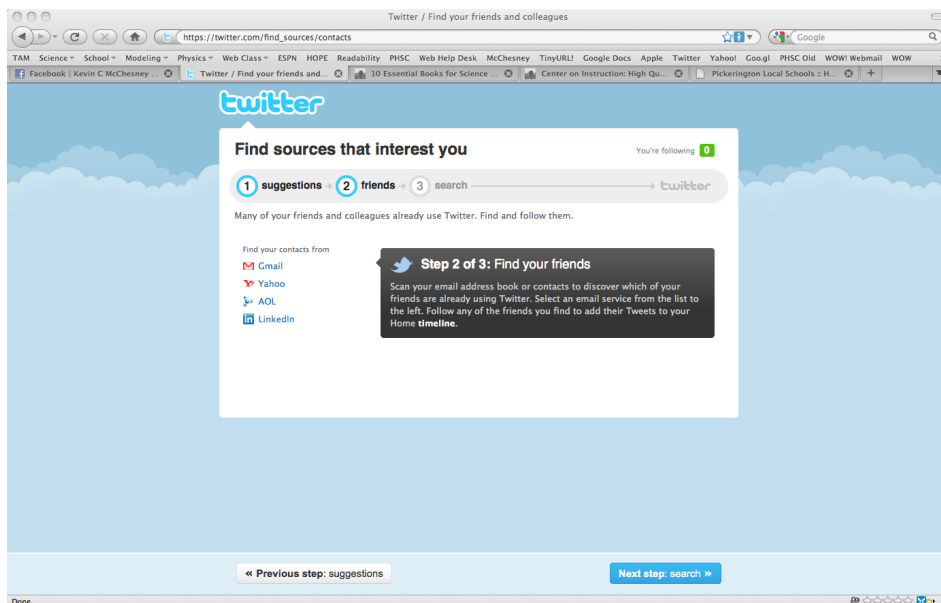
Step 3 (optional):

You can skip this step or search for items of interest. Many useful science sites are out there.

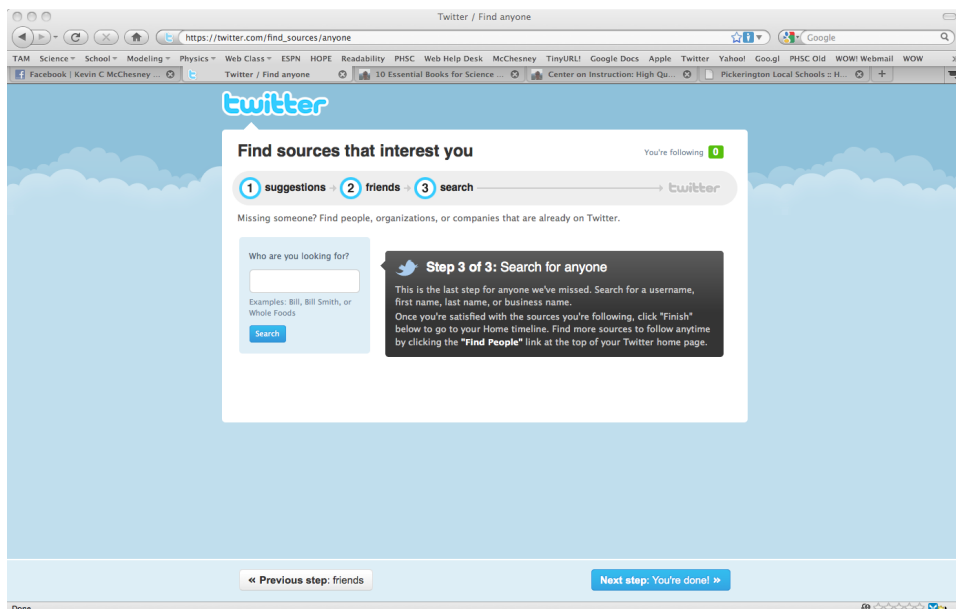


Step 4 (optional):

Again you can skip this step or if you know some people with accounts you find them.

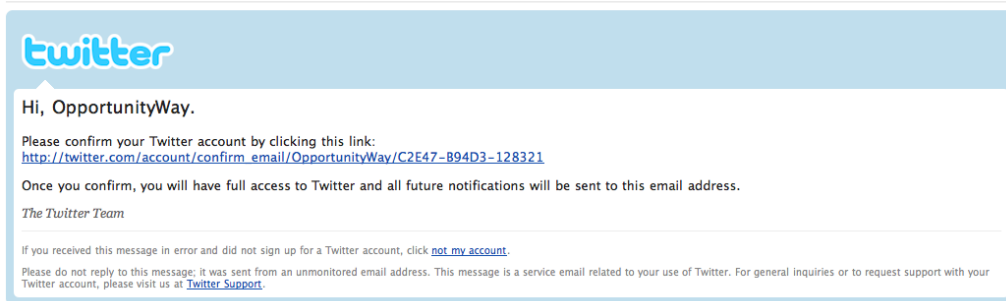


Step 5 (optional): Again you can skip this step.



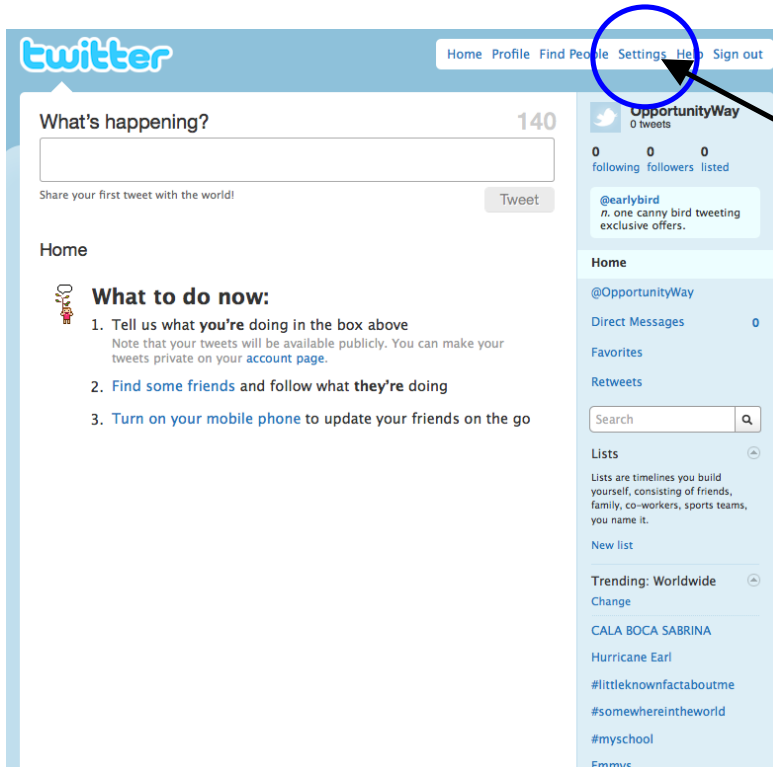
Step 6: Respond to the e-mail they send you.

From: Twitter <twitter-confirmation-skydive42=wowway.com@postmaster.twitter.com>
Subject: **Confirm your Twitter account, OpportunityWay!**
Date: August 30, 2010 8:32:06 PM EDT
To: skydive42@wowway.com
Reply-To: noreply@postmaster.twitter.com



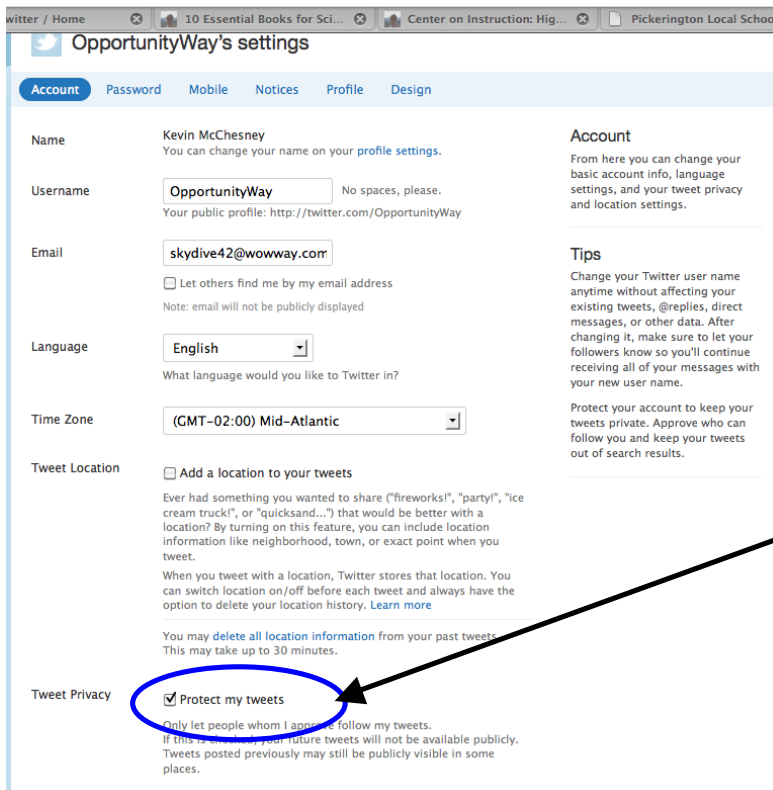
At this point you have a Twitter account.

Step 7: Start Tweeting if you like or modify your account settings to set up a mobile device or make it so only people you want can follow you.




Click here for Step 8

Step 8:



This keeps unwanted people from following you. A good idea for your students to check it.

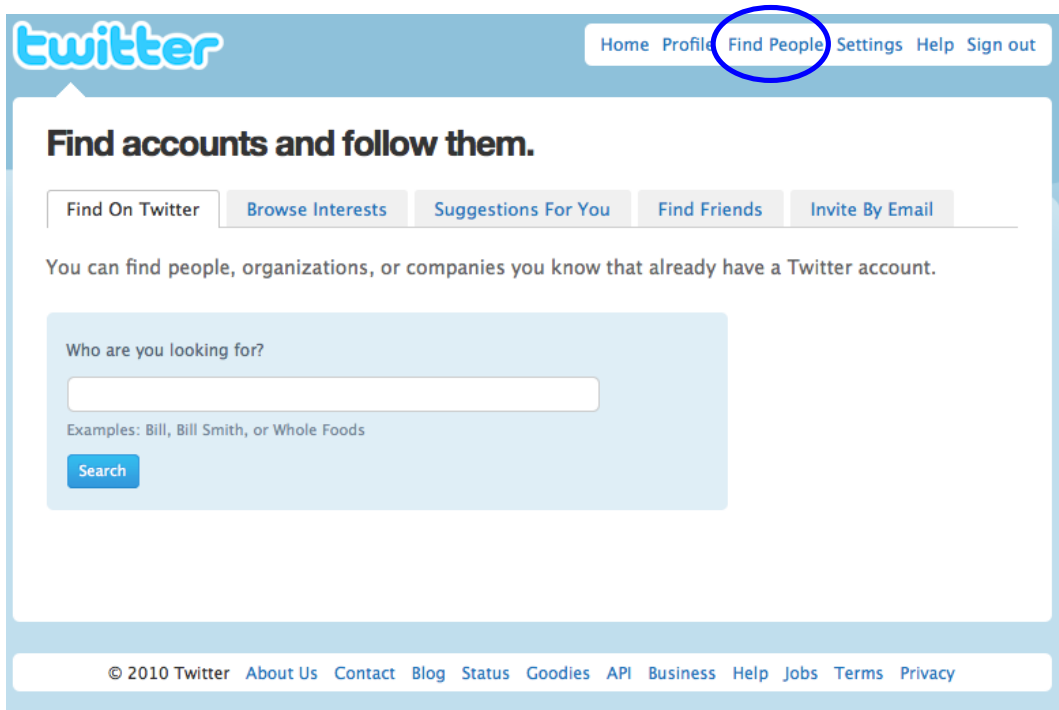
Step 9:



The screenshot shows the Twitter mobile settings page for 'OpportunityWay's settings'. The 'Mobile' tab is circled in blue. The page is divided into two columns. The left column is titled 'Use Twitter with text Messaging!' and contains instructions, a note about charges, and a three-step setup process: 1. Choose your country/region (United States), 2. Enter your mobile phone number (+1), and 3. Verify your phone (Start). The right column is titled 'Text Messaging on Twitter' and explains how to use text messaging for tweets, DMs, and notifications, including a section for 'Twitter commands' like FOLLOW, UNFOLLOW, ON/OFF, and GET.

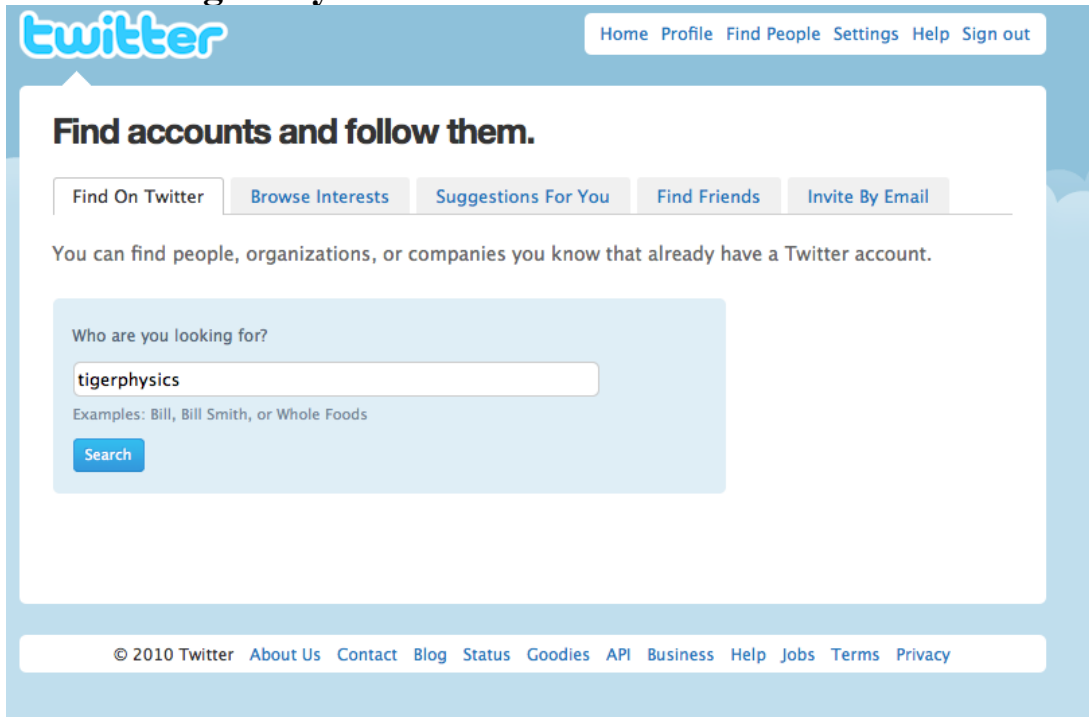
This sets up a phone to receive text messages when you want them from the people you want them from.

Step 10: Use this to find people or topics you want more information about.

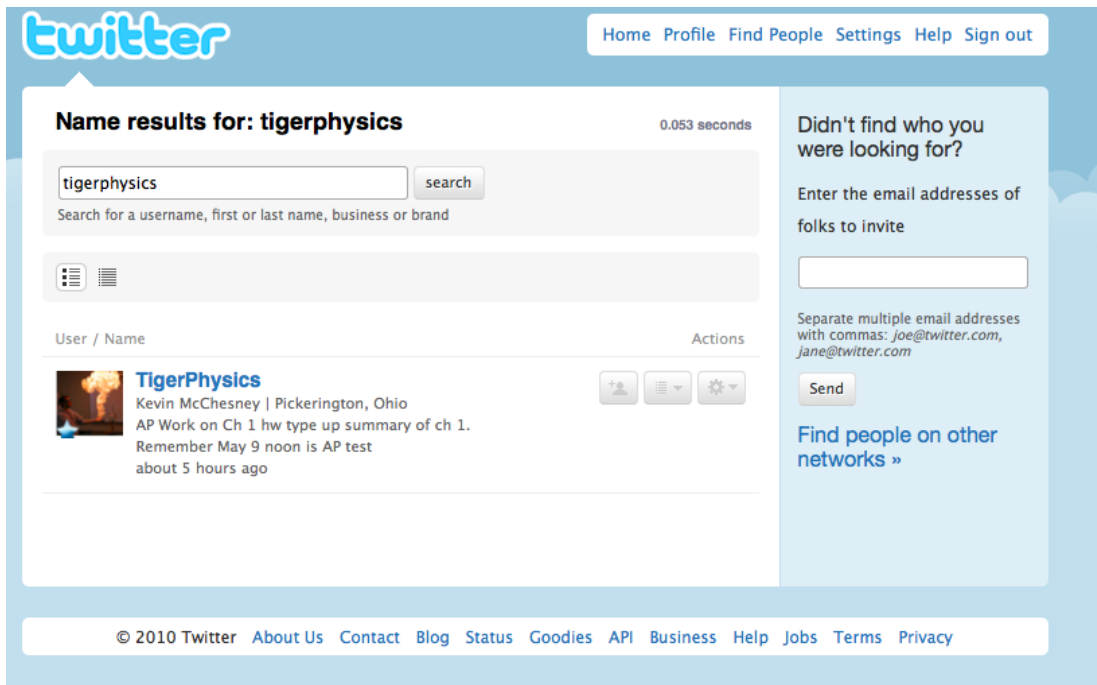


The screenshot shows the Twitter 'Find People' page. The 'Find People' link in the top navigation bar is circled in blue. The main heading is 'Find accounts and follow them.' Below this are five tabs: 'Find On Twitter', 'Browse Interests', 'Suggestions For You', 'Find Friends', and 'Invite By Email'. A sub-heading reads 'You can find people, organizations, or companies you know that already have a Twitter account.' Below this is a search box with the prompt 'Who are you looking for?' and a 'Search' button. Examples provided are 'Bill, Bill Smith, or Whole Foods'. The footer contains copyright information and various links like 'About Us', 'Contact', 'Blog', 'Status', 'Goodies', 'API', 'Business', 'Help', 'Jobs', 'Terms', and 'Privacy'.

Step 11: For instance if you wanted to follow me you would search for TigerPhysics.



Step 12: This is what you would see. It shows you the last tweet the person sent.



Step 13: Click on the symbol below will follow the person.

The screenshot shows the Twitter search interface. At the top, the Twitter logo is on the left, and navigation links (Home, Profile, Find People, Settings, Help, Sign out) are on the right. Below the logo, the search results are displayed for the query "tigerphysics". A search bar contains the text "tigerphysics" and a "search" button. Below the search bar, there are icons for list and grid views. The search results list shows a user named "TigerPhysics" with a profile picture and bio. The "Follow TigerPhysics" button is circled in blue. To the right of the search results, there is a sidebar with the text "Didn't find who you were looking for?" and a form to enter email addresses for invites. At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with copyright information and various links.

Step 14: If you did it correctly you will see the check mark with following next to it.

The screenshot shows the Twitter search interface after the user has followed the account. The search results for "tigerphysics" are the same as in the previous screenshot. However, the "Follow TigerPhysics" button has been replaced by a "Following" button with a green checkmark, which is circled in blue. The rest of the interface, including the search bar, navigation links, and sidebar, remains the same.

Step 15: If you would click on TigerPhysics name you would see my screen with my tweets and some profile information. If you click on the cell phone looking icon twitter will send up dates to your phone when every this user tweets. Note you have to opt in to this option. I had not set up my other account for mobile updates so that is why it is giving the message below. But that is pretty much all I know about twitter hope it is helpful.

twitter

Home Profile Find People Settings Help Sign out

TigerPhysics

Set up your mobile phone to receive tweets from this user by text message.

✓ Following

Name Kevin McChesney
Location Pickerington, Ohio
Web <http://fc.pickeri...>
Bio Physics teacher at Pickerington High School Central.

458 following 159 followers 8 listed

Tweets 215

Favorites

Lists
@TigerPhysics/science-education
View all

Actions
block TigerPhysics
report for spam

Following

View all...

RSS feed of TigerPhysics's tweets

AP Work on Ch 1 hw type up summary of ch 1. Remember May 9 noon is AP test
about 5 hours ago via txt

HP get parental letter & safety contract signed, fill out student info sheet.
about 5 hours ago via txt

I liked a YouTube video -- Matt's Skydiving.m4v
<http://youtu.be/nz0HAn0po4A?a>
about 22 hours ago via Google

Whew, 12 hrs at school getting everything ready. I think of anything that is left to do, but go skydiving! I'm really excited for the year.
10:36 PM Aug 28th via web

Getting ready for the start of the year!
10:07 AM Aug 27th via txt

And year 15 starts with the traditional meetings and buzz word bingo of course. Lookin forward to another great year!
7:50 AM Aug 25th via txt

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