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OPENVPN

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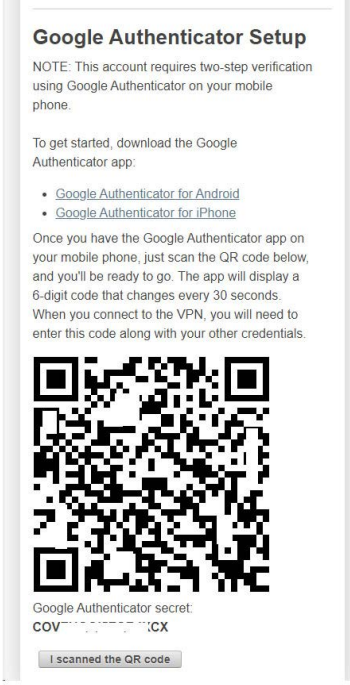
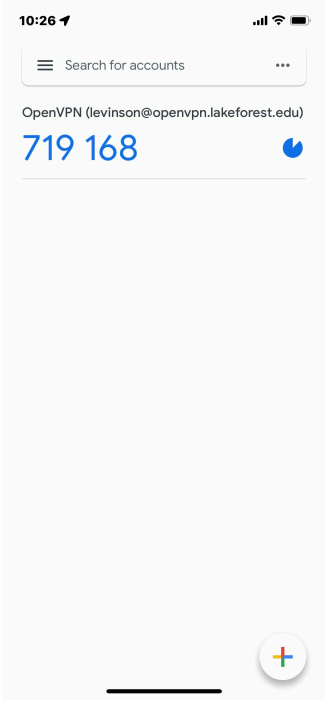
Update from February, 2022:
There is now an extra step in configuring OpenVPN. You are now required to enable and use Multi-Factor Authentication with your OpenVPN account.

Go to https://openvpn.lakeforest.edu and enter your campus username and password. You will see the Google Authenticator Setup screen:





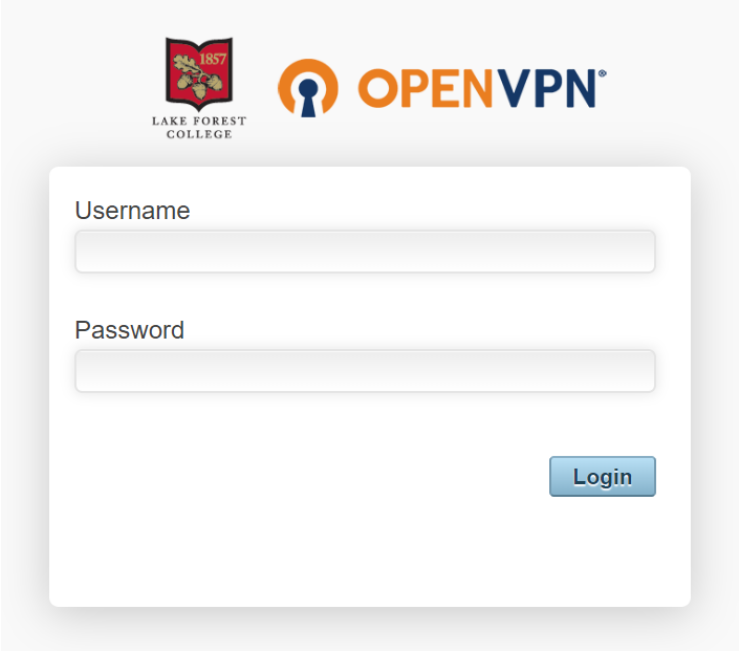
(NOTE: The QR code above is not an actual code. Every QR code is unique)

On your phone, go to Google Play (Android) or the App Store (iPhone) and download the Google Authenticator app.

Open the Google Authenticator app. To set up your account, choose Scan a QR code. Point your phone at the QR code on the computer screen. After you've scanned the QR code, **make sure to click the box that says "I scanned the QR code."** On your Authenticator app, you will see a six-digit code that refreshes every few seconds. (See image above right) You will need to use the Authenticator App every time you connect to the VPN.

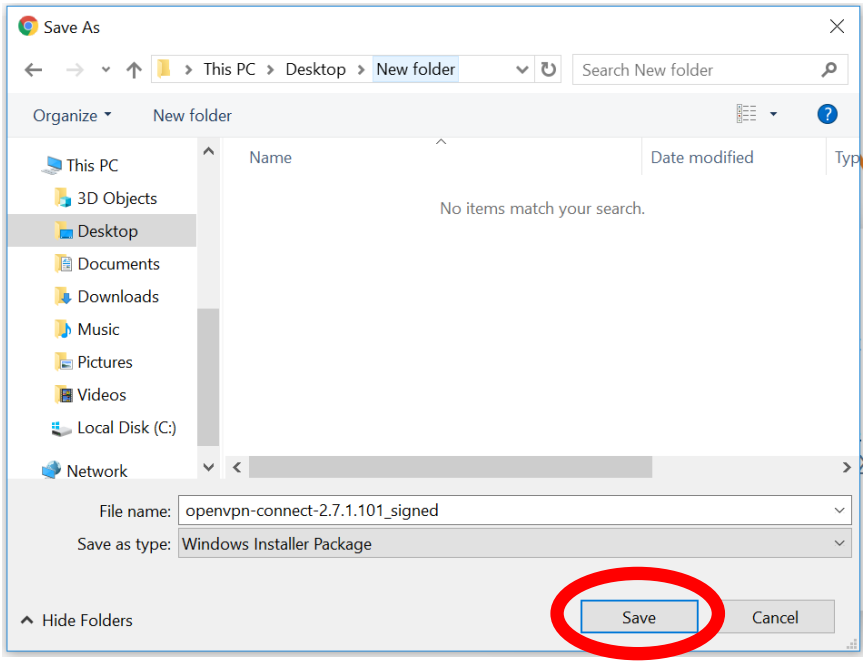
Installing OpenVPN on Windows

1. **If you have not installed the OpenVPN app follow the link: https://openvpn.lakeforest.edu to get to the login page.**

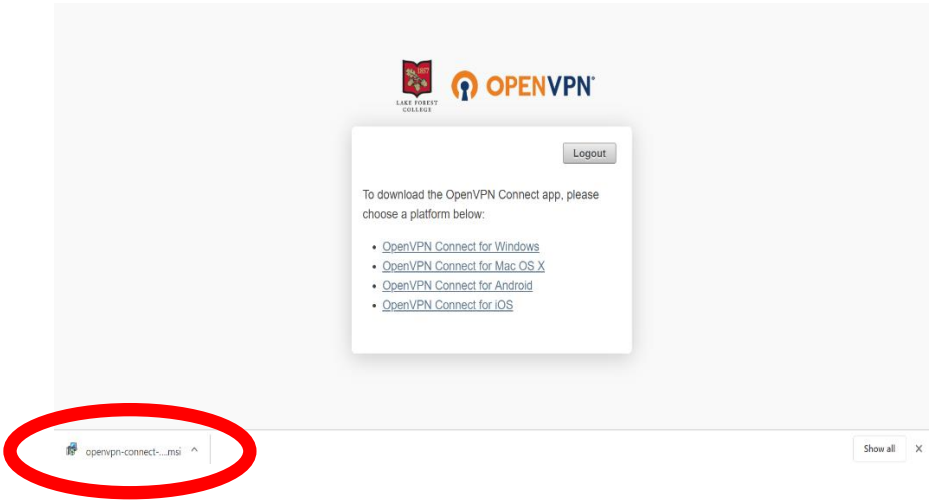


2. **Follow the correct path to download the Windows software.**

3. Once you click on the link a pop up will appear. Click “Save”.



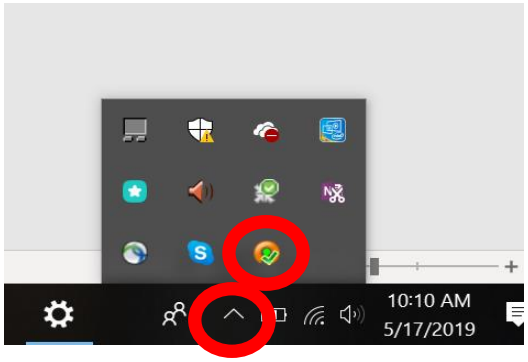
4. Click on the download and follow the prompts to install the app.



5. **Open the app once it has been installed. (You will use the next steps whenever you want to connect to the VPN.)**

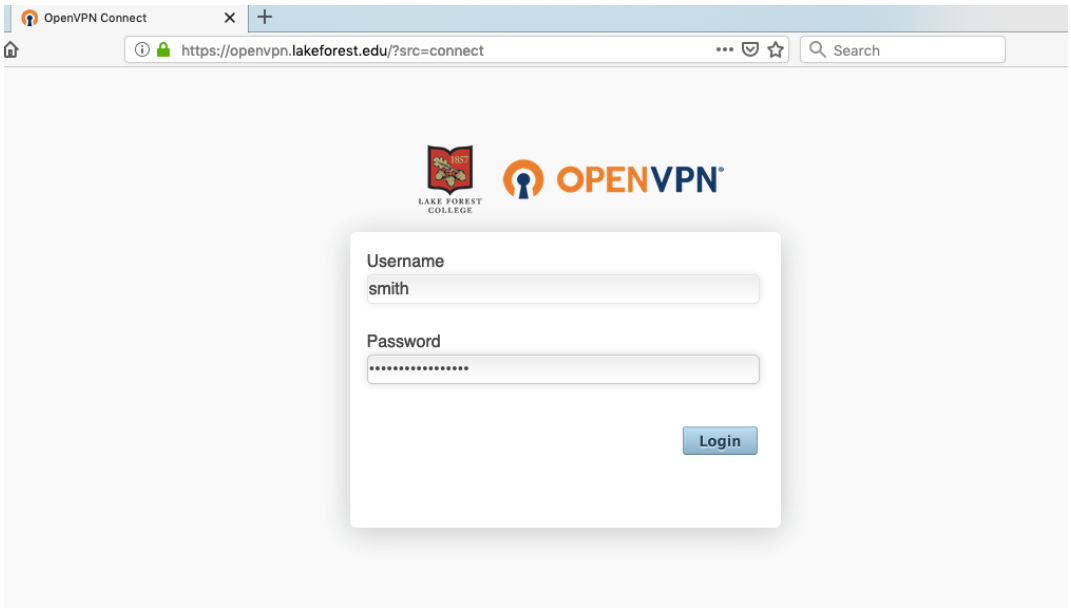
6. **Use your college credentials to login.**

7. **Once you're connected you will see the OpenVPN logo with a green checkmark at the bottom of the tool bar. (Click up arrow)**

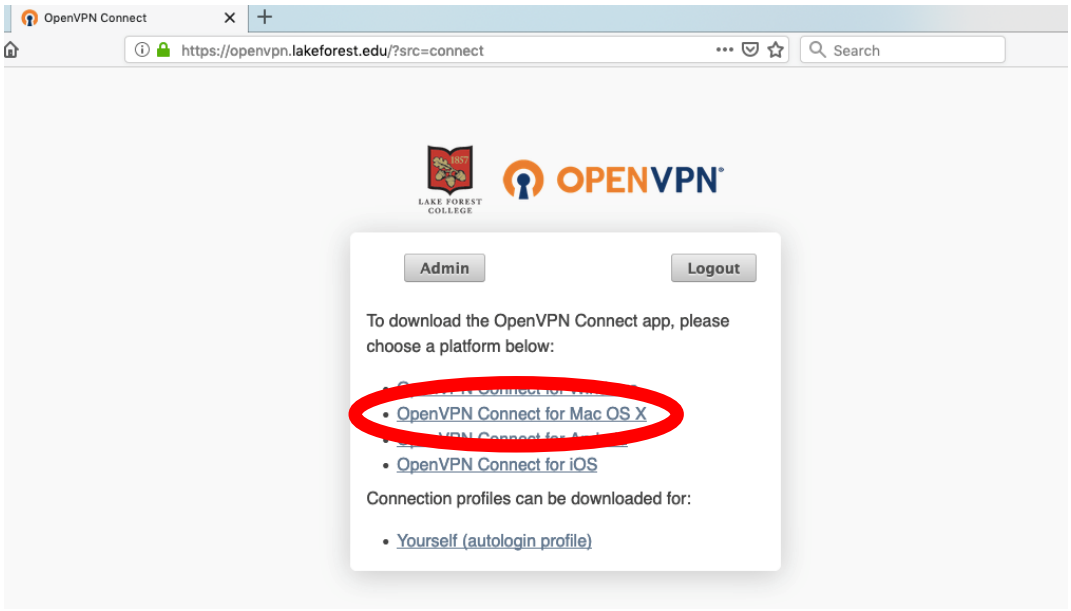


Installing OpenVPN on MAC

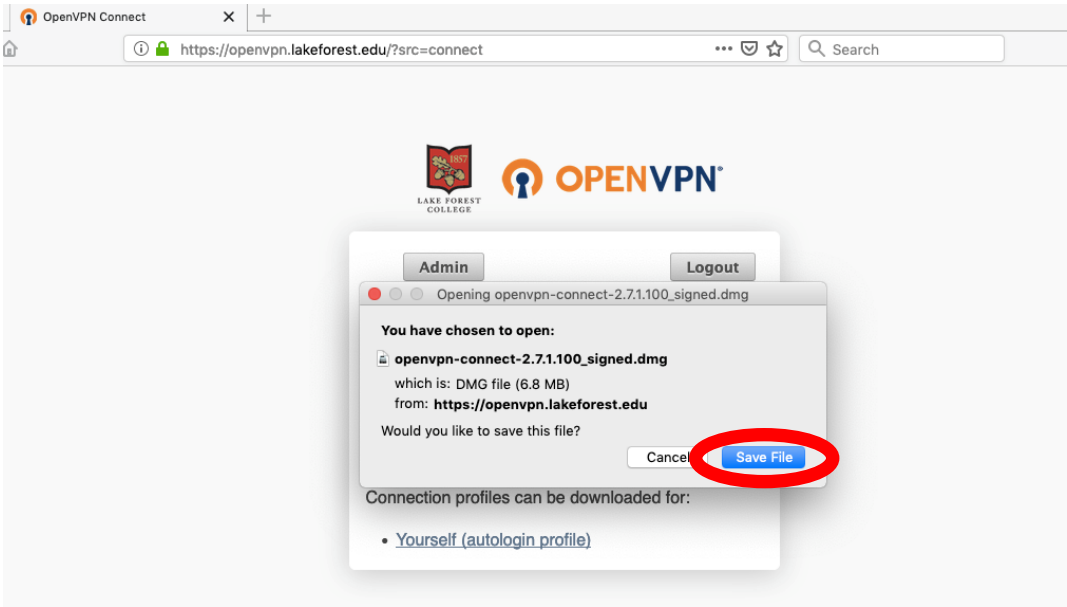
1. **If you have not installed the OpenVPN app follow the link: https://openvpn.lakeforest.edu to get into the login page.**



2. **Follow the correct path to download the MAC software.**

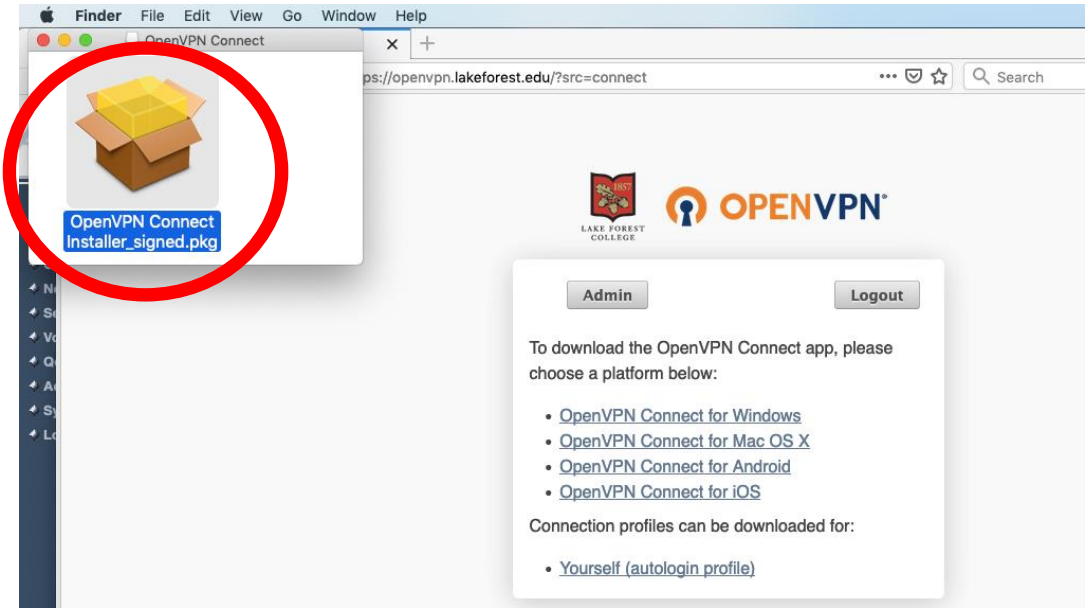


3. Once you click on the link a pop up will appear. Click “Save File”.

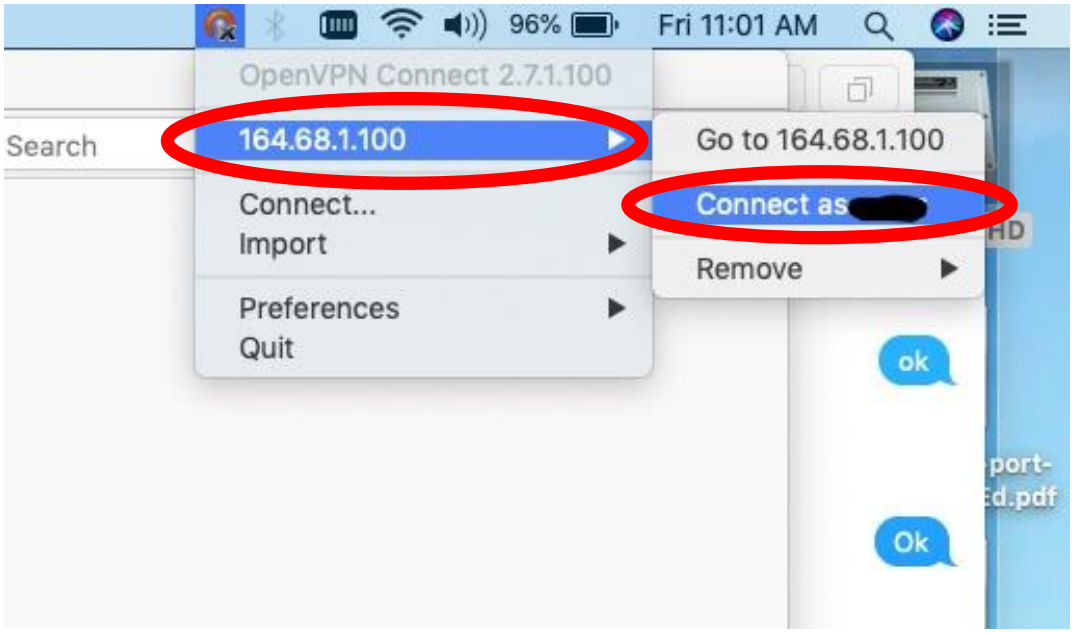


4. Once the download is complete open your download folder.

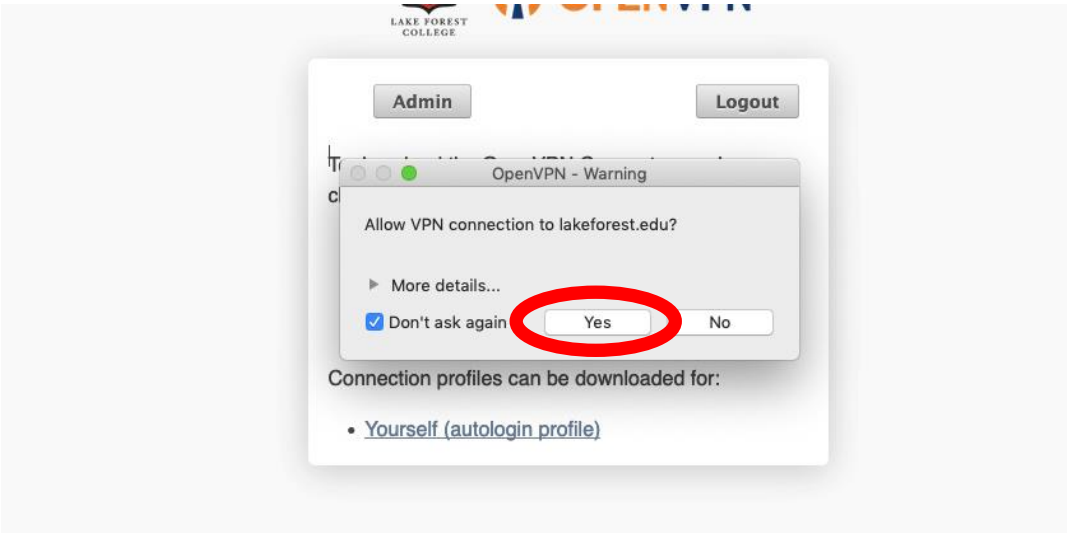
5. **Double click the download and follow the prompts to install the application.**



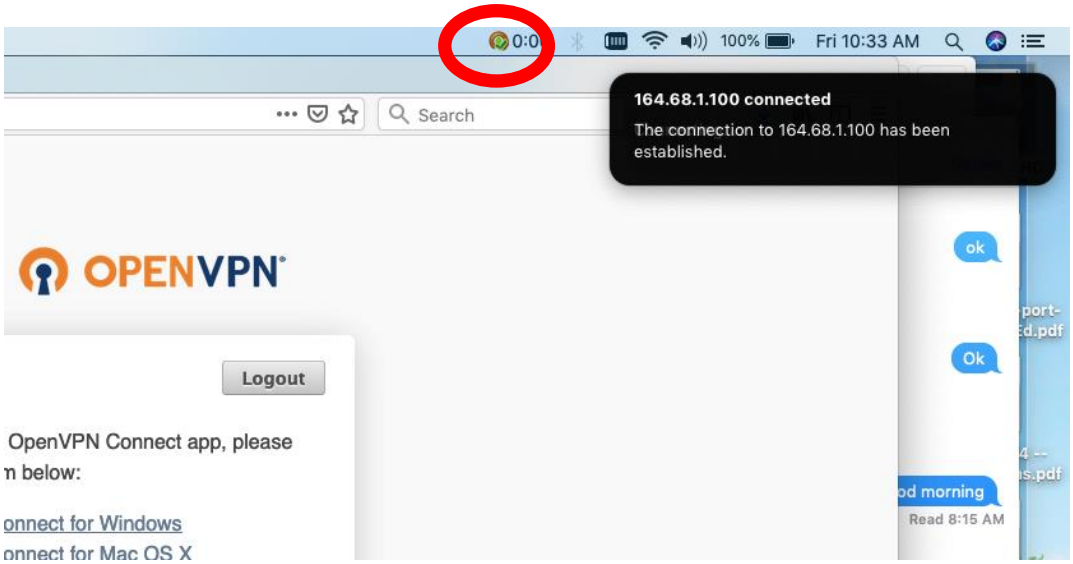
8. **Once the download in complete open the application -> click on the IP address (164.68.1.100) -> connect as *username*. (You will use the next steps whenever you want to connect to the VPN.)**



6. **Allow the VPN to connect to lakeforest.edu.**

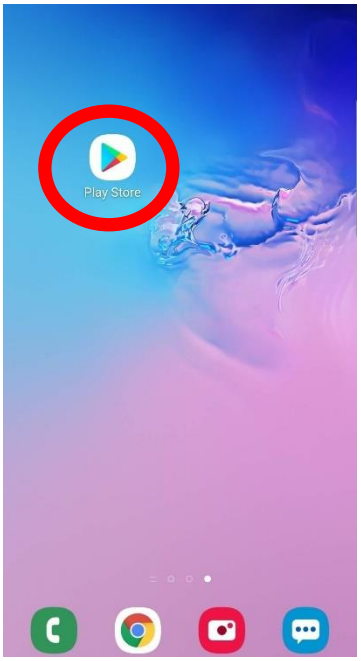


7. **Once you are connected you will see OpenVPN logo with a green checkmark at the top of your screen.**

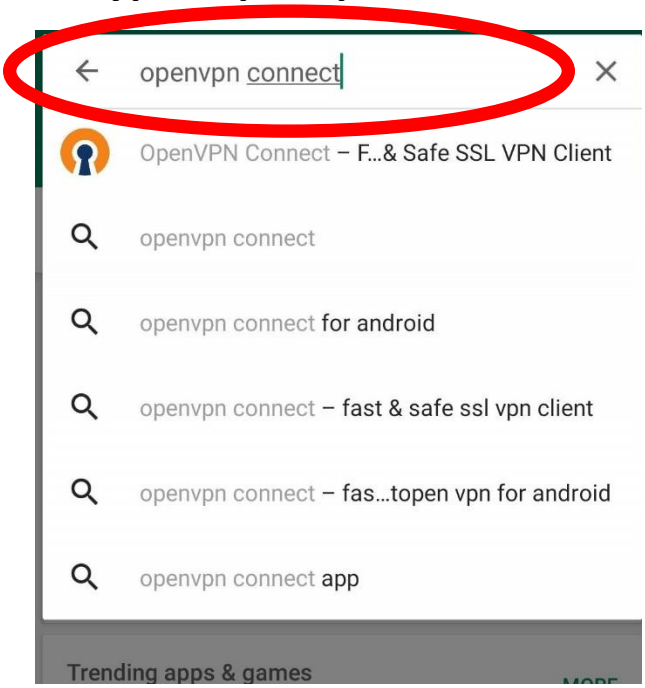


Installing OpenVPN on Android

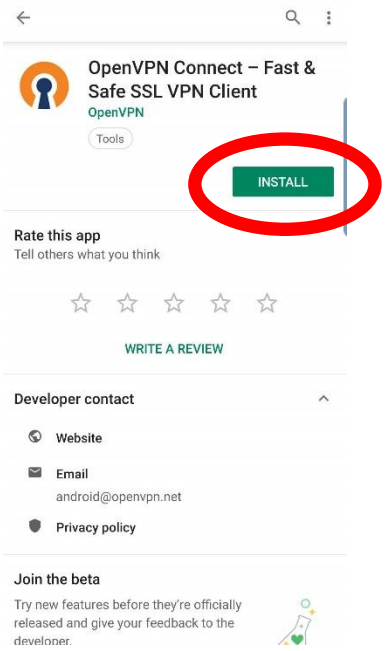
1. **If you have not installed the OpenVPN app find the google play store.**



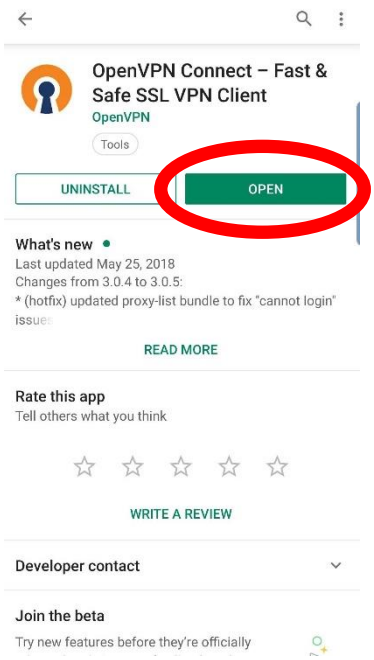
2. **Type “openvpn connect” in the search bar.**



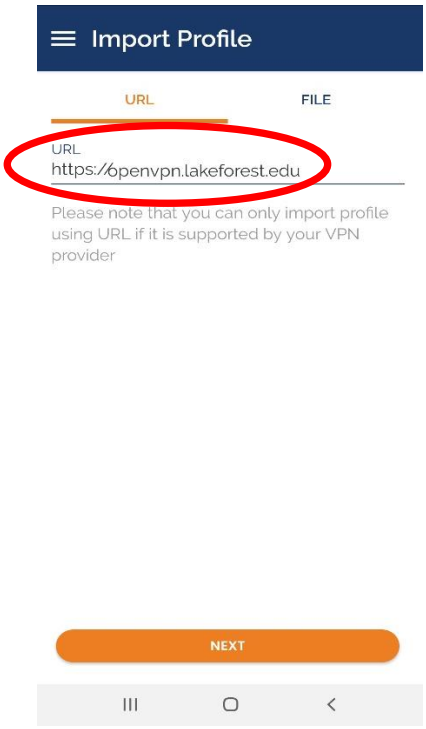
3. Find the app and install it.



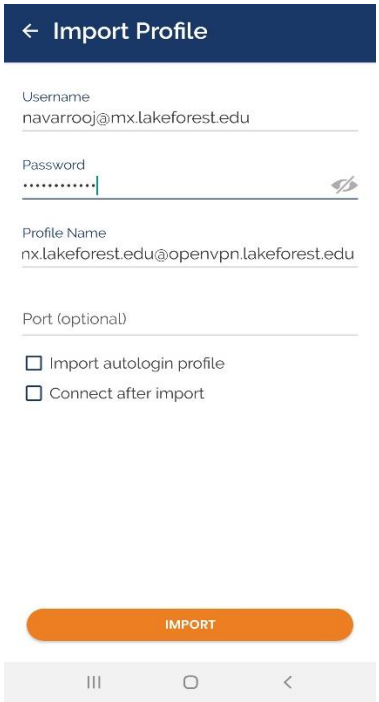
4. Open the app when the installation is complete.



5. **Open the app and type in “openvpn.lakeforest.edu” for the URL.**



6. **Fill out the appropriate fields and hit the import button below when done.**



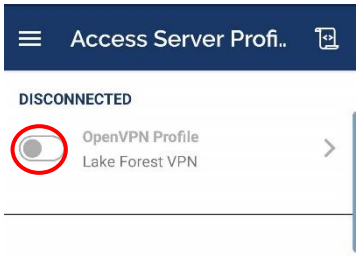
Username: *College username*

Password: *College Password*

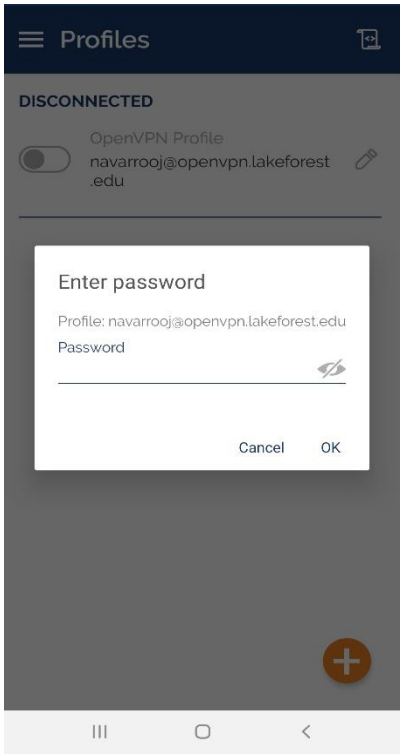
Profile Name: Will automatically get populated. Do not modify.

Leave “Import autologin profile” and “Connect after import” unchecked.

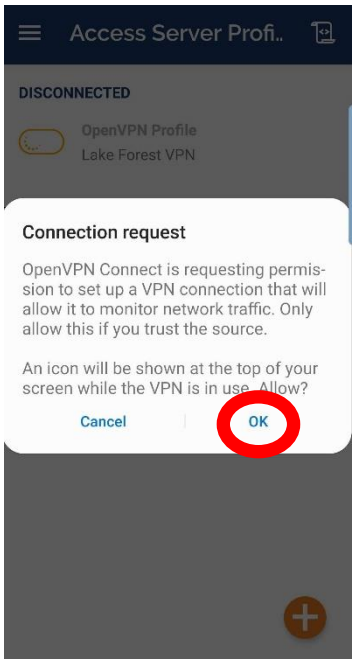
7. **Click on the profile to start the VPN connection. (You will use the next steps whenever you want to connect to the VPN.)**



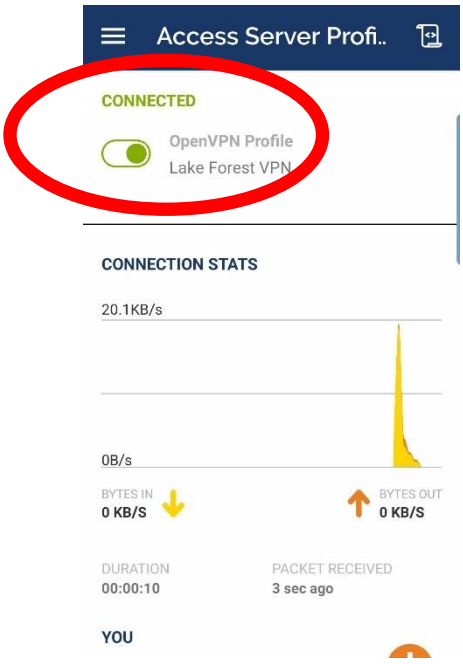
8. **Type in your college password to log into the VPN**



9. You will receive a prompt to accept the connection. Click “OK”.

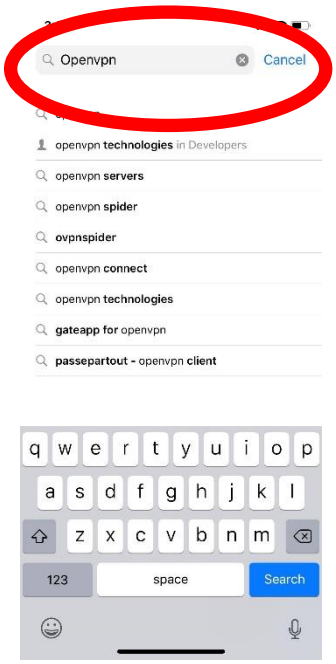


10. If the connection it successful you will receive a “connected” status in green.

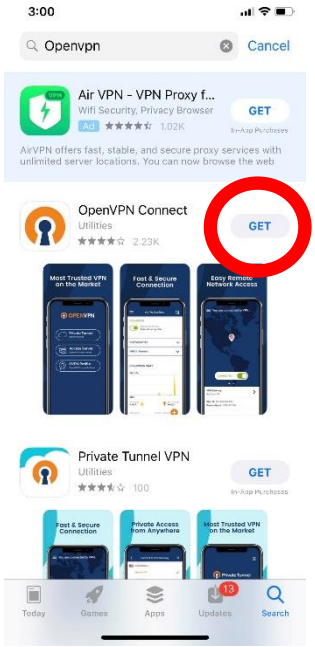


Installing OpenVPN on IOS

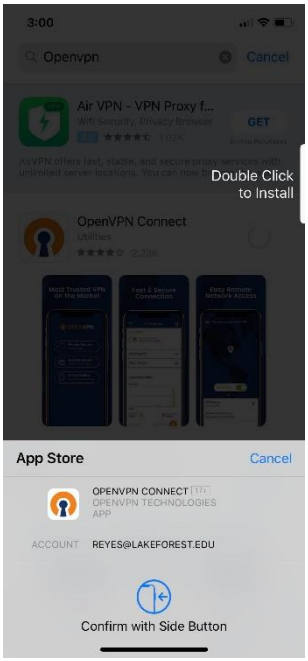
1. **If you have not installed the OpenVPN app open the Apple store and search for “Openvpn”.**



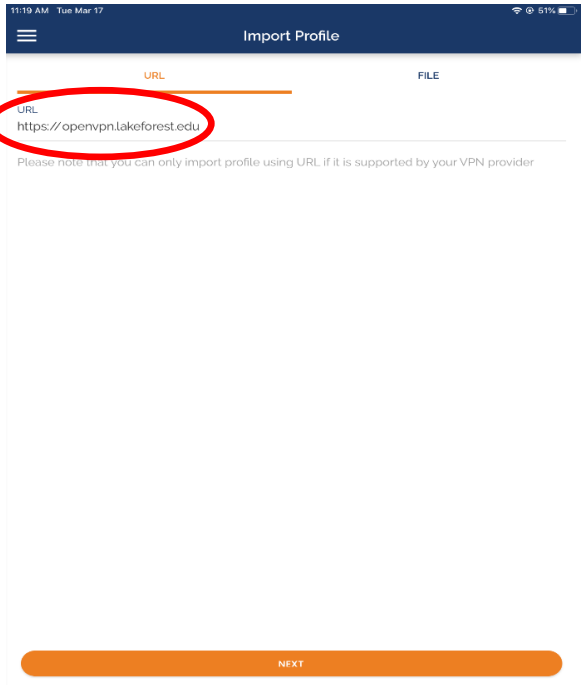
2. **Click the “GET” button to download.**



3. **Confirm the download.**



4. **Open the app (OPENVPN CONNECT) type “openvpn.lakeforest.edu” under the URL.**



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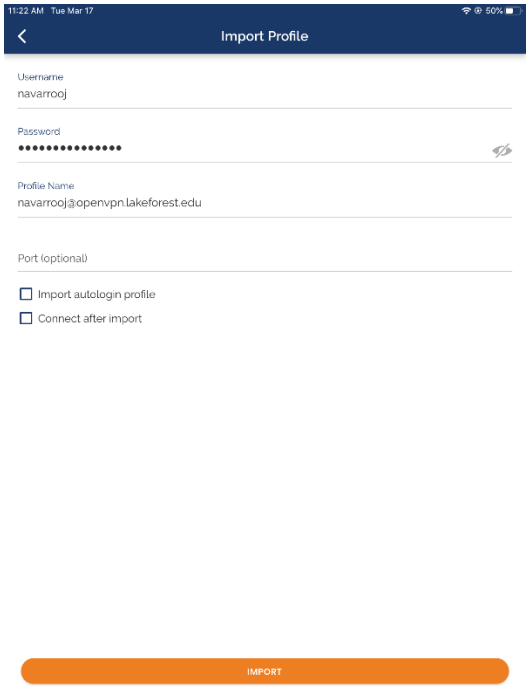

Username: *College username*

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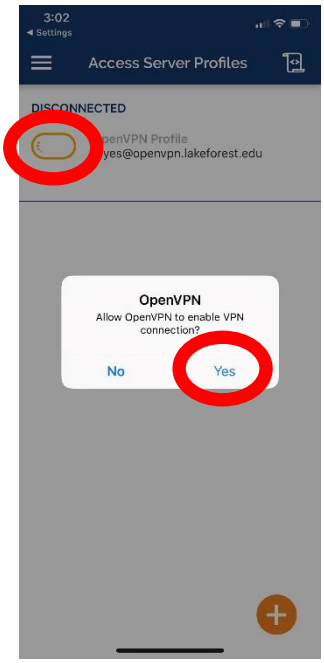
Leave “Import autologin profile” and “Connect after import” unchecked.

6. If prompted enter your code.

7. To connect click on profile and select “yes”.