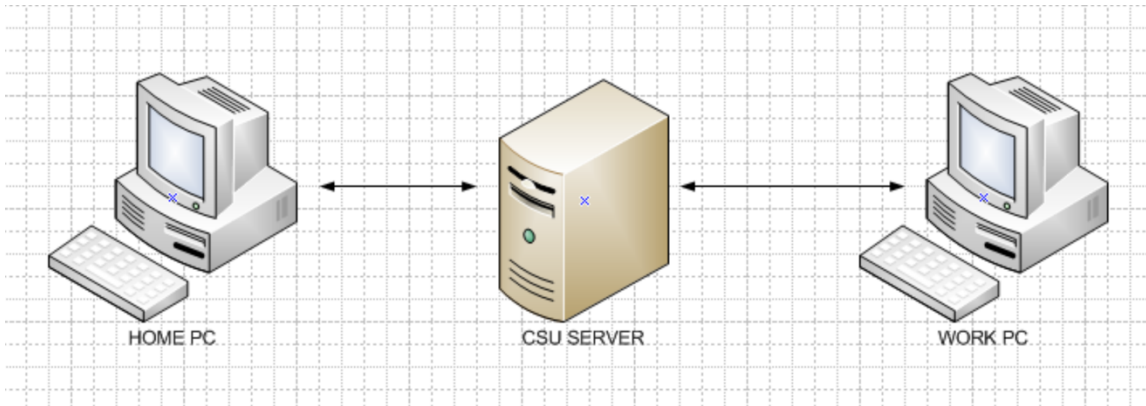




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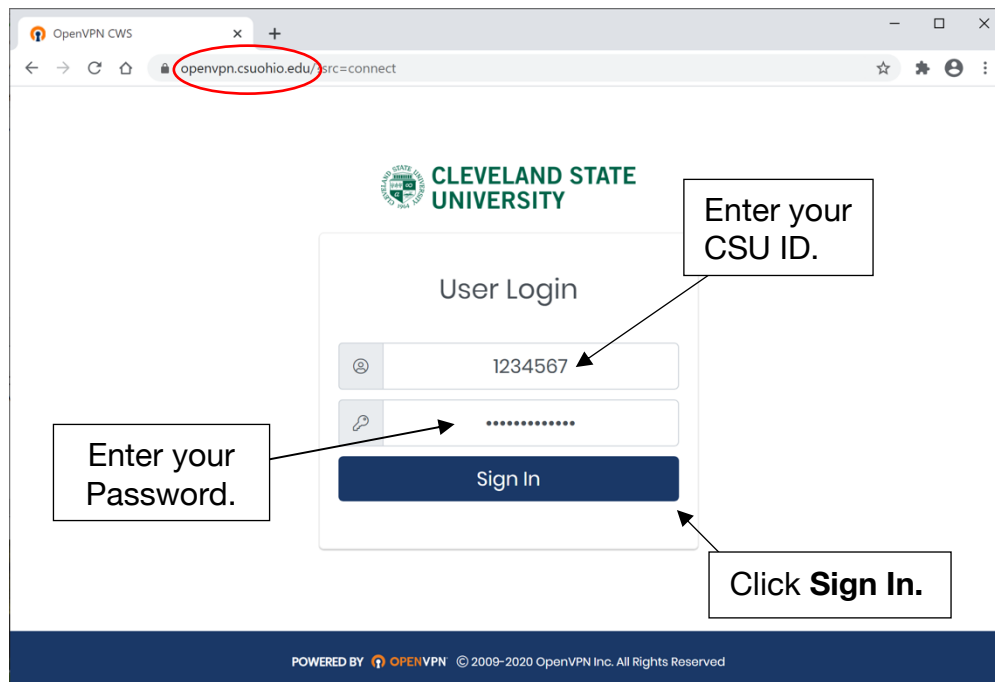
CSU is using OpenVPN to create a Virtual Private Network (VPN). A VPN is a network that uses the Internet to provide individual users with secure access to an organization's network (in this case, CSU's network).



Step 1

To install the OpenVPN client, on the computer you will be using to remotely connect to the CSU Campus Network (usually your home computer), open a web browser and go to <https://openvpn.csuohio.edu>

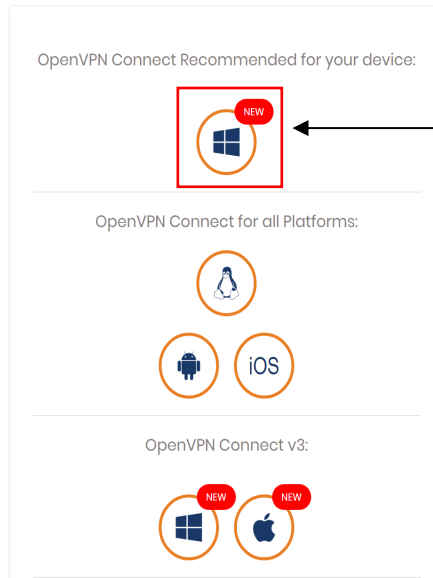
Enter your 7-digit CSU ID number in the 'Username' field, then enter your password in the 'Password' field and click **Sign In**.





Step 2

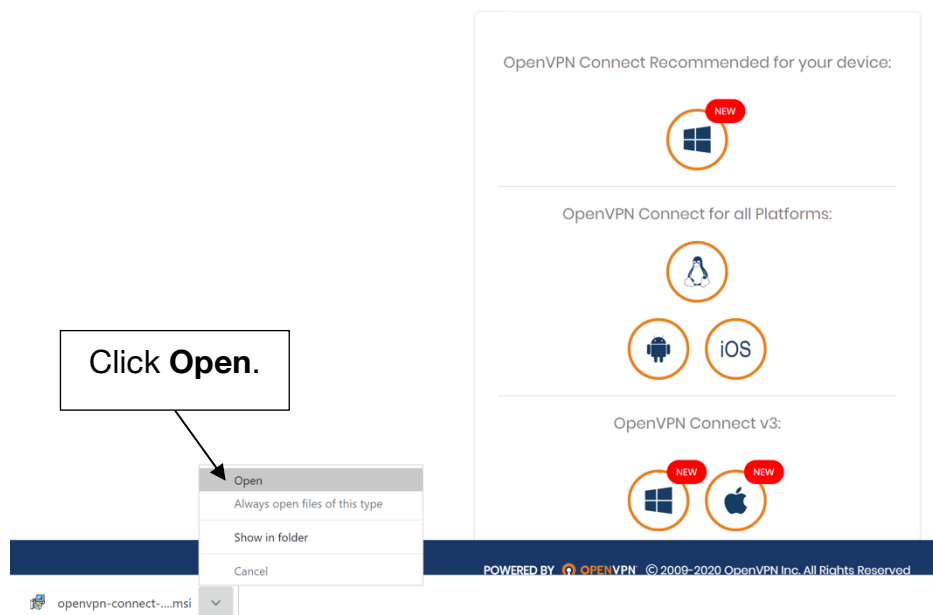
Click the **OpenVPN Connect for Windows** icon at the top of the page or under the OpenVPN Connect v3 heading.



Click on the **OpenVPN Connect for Windows** icon.

Step 3

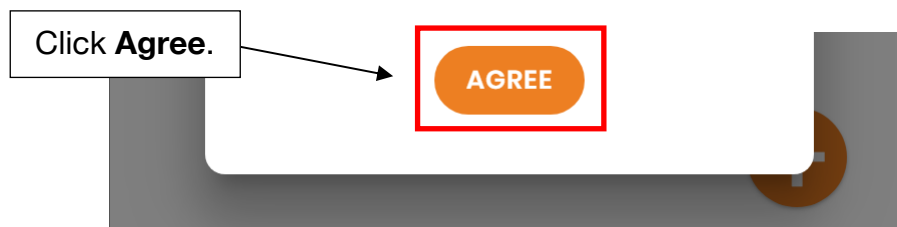
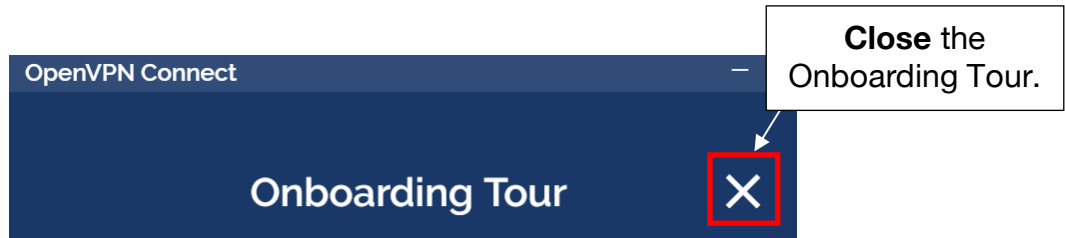
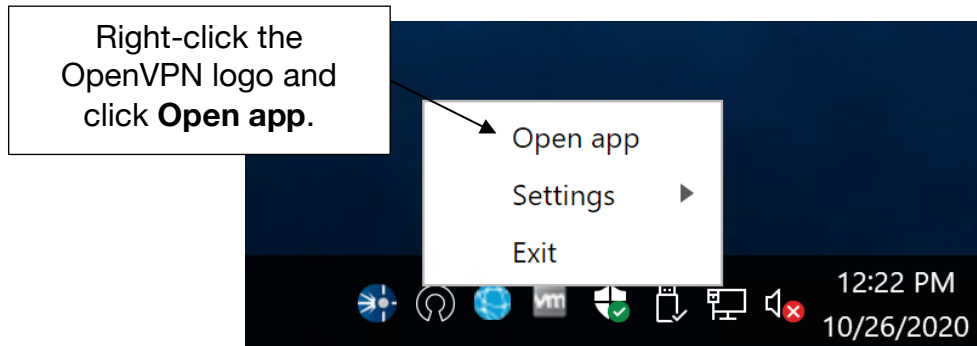
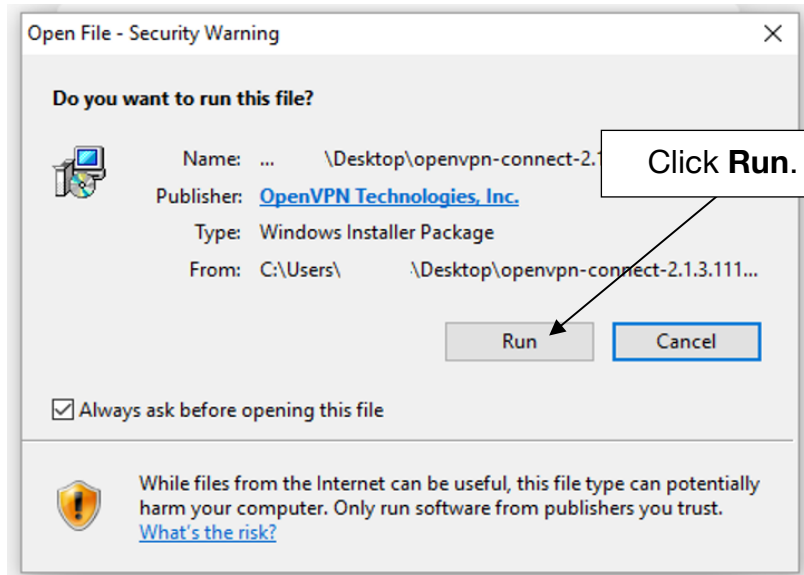
After OpenVPN Connect has downloaded, click on the down arrow and select **Open**.





Step 4

Click on the **Run** button. Follow the installation instructions. Once installation is completed, locate the OpenVPN icon in the system tray in the bottom right corner of your screen. Right-click the logo and choose **Open App**. **Close** the Onboarding Tour dialog. Click **Agree** on the OpenVPN, Inc. data use, collection, and retention policy.





Step 5

Click the gray slider next to the openvpn.csuohio.edu connection. Enter your CSU ID and password and click **OK** when prompted.

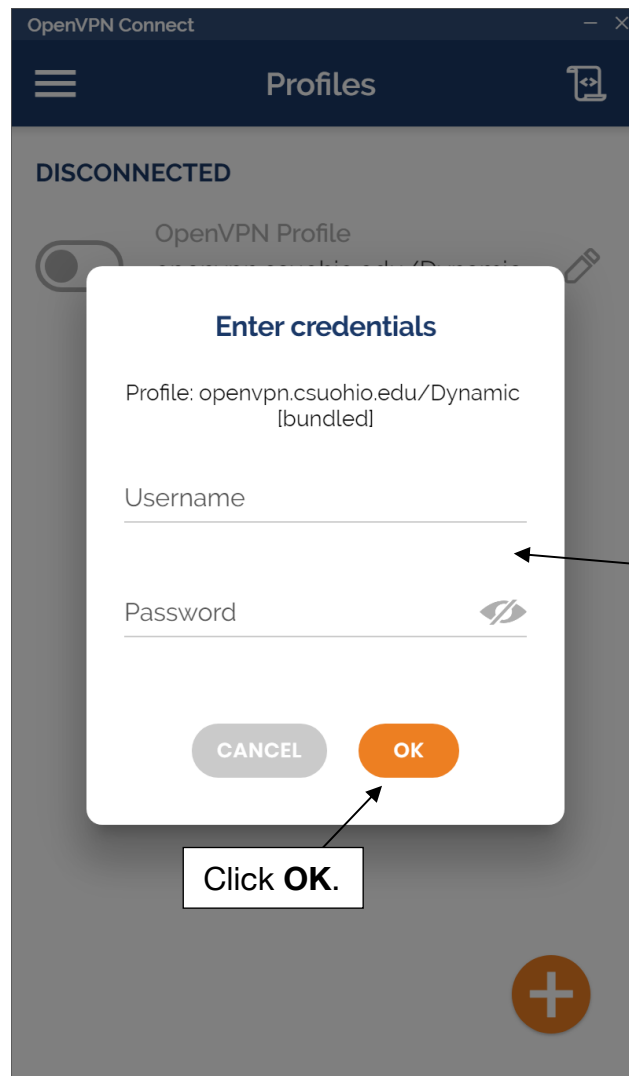


DISCONNECTED

Click the slider.



OpenVPN Profile
openvpn.csuohio.edu/Dynamic
[bundled]



Enter credentials

Profile: openvpn.csuohio.edu/Dynamic
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Username

Password

CANCEL

OK

Enter your CSU ID and Password in these fields.

Click **OK**.



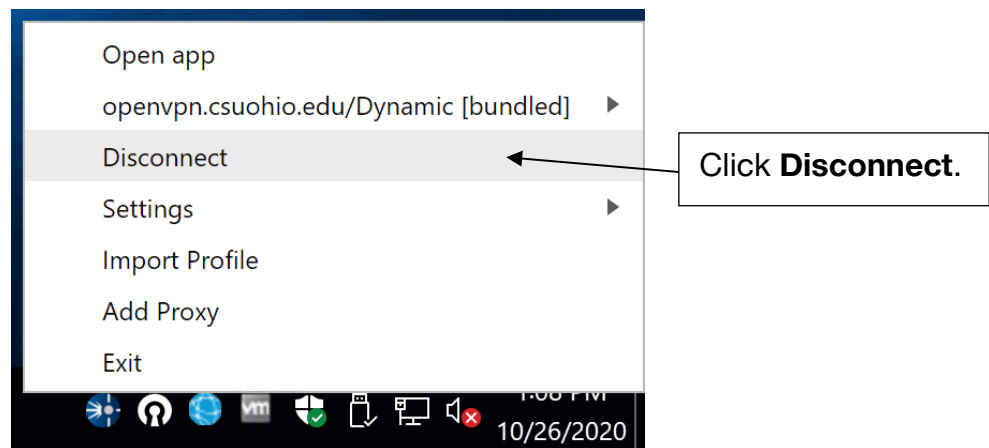
Step 6

Locate the OpenVPN logo in the system tray again. The solid icon indicates you are successfully connected to the VPN.

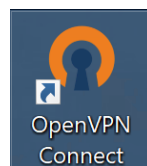


Step 7

To disconnect from the VPN, right-click on the OpenVPN logo in the system tray and click **Disconnect**.



During the installation process, a shortcut was created on your desktop. The next time you want to start your VPN connection, double-click the icon on your desktop:



Once connected to the VPN, you will be able to remotely access your office computer by following the Remote Desktop Connection Guides on our website:

<https://www.csuohio.edu/technology-security/vpn-remote-access>

Reporting Problems

If you have any problems during the installation or use of the VPN client, please email security@csuohio.edu and include a thorough description of the problem (attaching screenshots would be helpful).