

Getting Started with Emby

Set up Emby for streaming from Blackbeard's Vault. Start with your account, then choose the guide for your device.

Before you start

- Have the **Emby username and password supplied on Discord**. Contact Cruv if you need an account or cannot find your details.
- Use your supplied **server username, not your email address**. Follow the direct server sign-in steps in your device's guide.
- Install the player app for your device. You do not need to install Emby Server.

Your streaming server

<https://blackbeardsvault.com>

Use the complete HTTPS address. Follow your device's guide for the server fields and port: Roku's setup differs from other Emby apps.

Choose your device

Device	Setup guide
Web browser / computer	Web Client Sign-In
iPhone / iPad	iOS setup
Apple TV	iOS and Apple TV guide

Device	Setup guide
Android phone / tablet	Android setup
Android TV / Google TV / NVIDIA Shield	Android and TV setup
Roku / Roku TV	Roku setup
Amazon Fire TV	Fire TV setup
LG webOS / Samsung Tizen	Smart TV setup
Xbox / PlayStation	Console support and playback options

Need the app first? See [Where to Download](#) for official app links. Availability depends on the device model, software version, and region.

Expected result: your libraries appear after sign-in. Play a short part of a title to check picture and sound.

App unlock or Premiere message

Previously purchased an app unlock? Those purchases remain grandfathered. Sign into the same app-store account used for the original purchase, using the matching app and platform. Use **Restore Purchase** if offered. Your app-store account is separate from your Emby server login.

New app unlocks are no longer available. If you need an unlock, the purchase is not recognized, or playback remains blocked by a licensing or device-limit message, contact **@Captain Cruv in #emby-support** for a Jellyfin account.

Under no circumstances should you purchase Emby Premiere.

Once Cruv supplies your Jellyfin account, follow [Getting Started with Jellyfin](#).

After signing in

Use [Home Screen Customization](#) to arrange your libraries and home sections.

Downloads for offline viewing

The old separate downloader is deprecated. Downloads are provided through Jellyfin **upon request and approval by Cruv**. Contact Cruv on Discord to request download access and wait for approval.

Need help?

Contact **@Captain Cruv in #emby-support** on Discord. Include your device model, app version, the exact error, and when it happened. Never post your password.

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