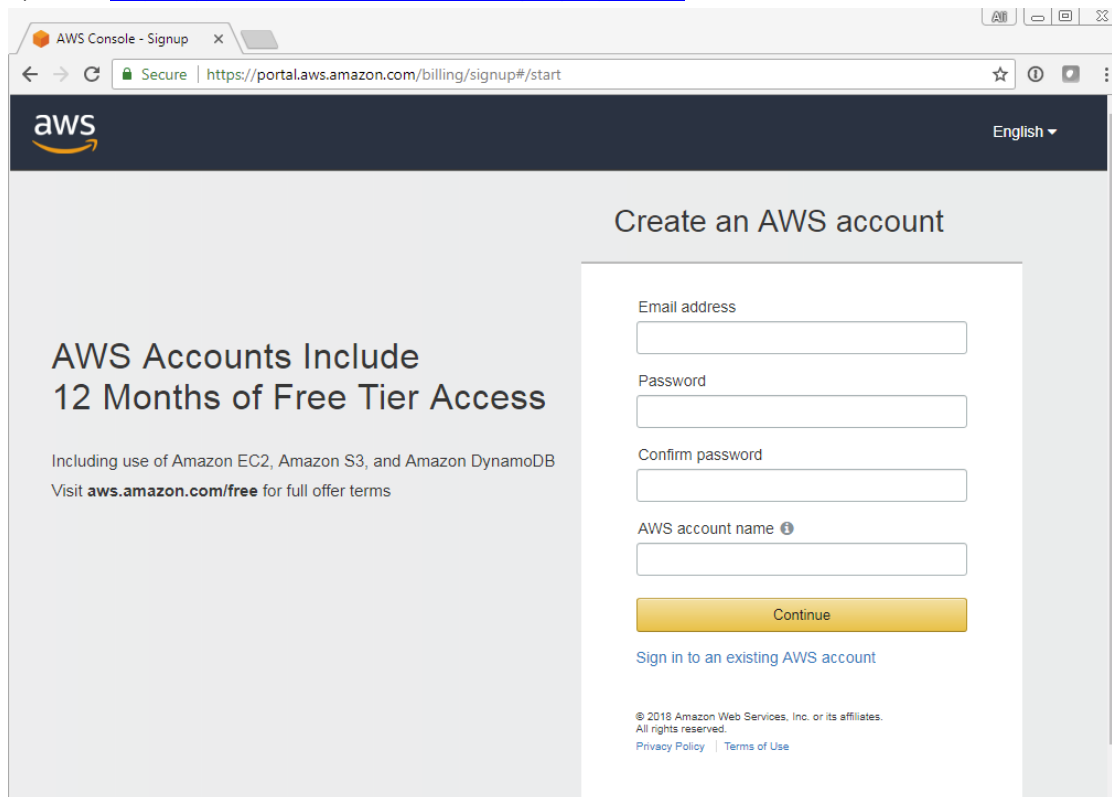


## AMAZON WEB SERVICES (AWS) ACCOUNT CREATION

1) Visit <https://portal.aws.amazon.com/billing/signup#/start>



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://portal.aws.amazon.com/billing/signup#/start>. The page features the AWS logo in the top left and a language dropdown set to 'English' in the top right. The main heading is 'Create an AWS account'. On the left, there is a promotional message: 'AWS Accounts Include 12 Months of Free Tier Access' followed by 'Including use of Amazon EC2, Amazon S3, and Amazon DynamoDB. Visit [aws.amazon.com/free](https://aws.amazon.com/free) for full offer terms'. The central form contains four input fields: 'Email address', 'Password', 'Confirm password', and 'AWS account name' (with an information icon). Below the fields is a yellow 'Continue' button and a blue link 'Sign in to an existing AWS account'. At the bottom, there is a copyright notice: '© 2018 Amazon Web Services, Inc. or its affiliates. All rights reserved.' with links for 'Privacy Policy' and 'Terms of Use'.

2) Enter your details; be sure to choose a strong password here.

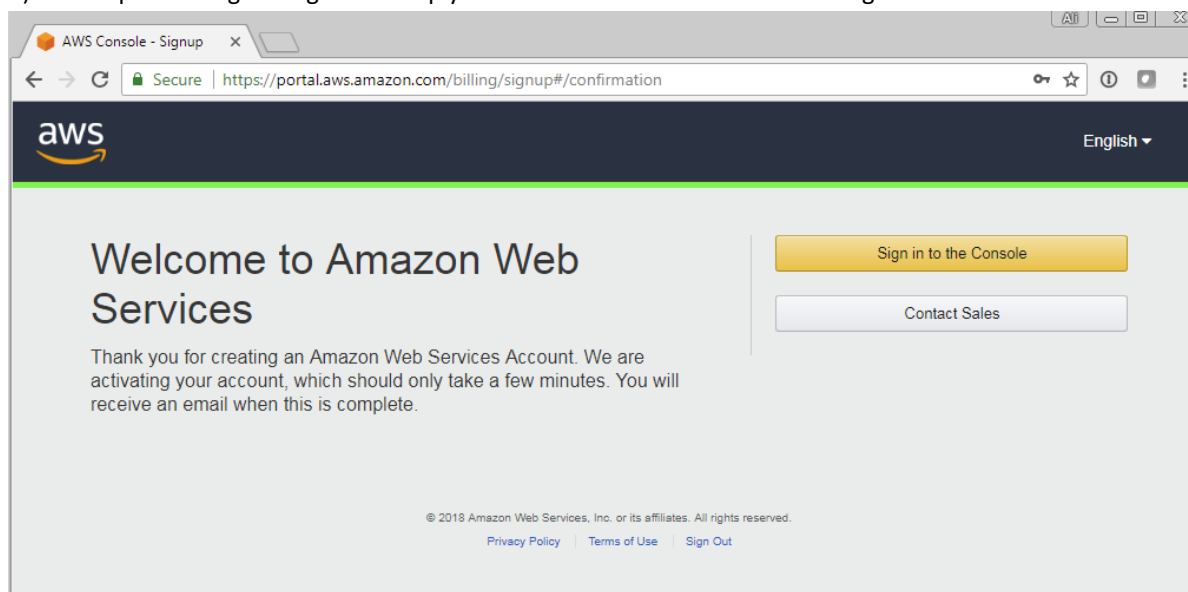
3) Proceed through the information gathering screens. You will need the following in order to complete registration:

- a. a valid credit card and
- b. phone number and
- c. email address

...and you will receive an automated phone call as part of the process.

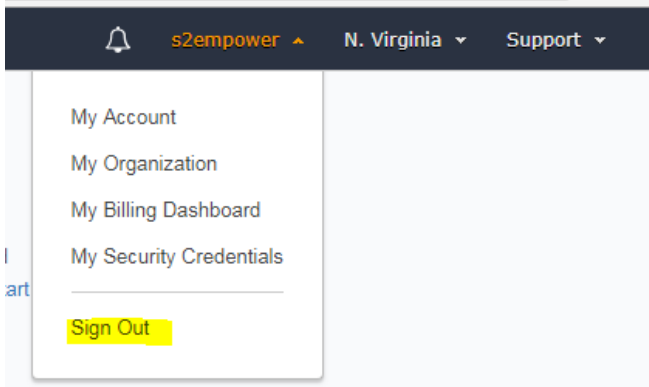
Don't worry about being charged. There will be no fees for the 1<sup>st</sup> 12 months if you stay in the free tier, which we will as part of the class, and you can cancel your account if you wish before the year is up.

4) After proceeding through the setup you'll arrive at this screen. Click the Sign In to the Console button.



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://portal.aws.amazon.com/billing/signup#/confirmation>. The page features the AWS logo in the top left and a language dropdown set to 'English' in the top right. The main heading is 'Welcome to Amazon Web Services'. Below the heading is a message: 'Thank you for creating an Amazon Web Services Account. We are activating your account, which should only take a few minutes. You will receive an email when this is complete.' On the right side, there are two buttons: a yellow 'Sign in to the Console' button and a white 'Contact Sales' button. At the bottom, there is a copyright notice: '© 2018 Amazon Web Services, Inc. or its affiliates. All rights reserved.' with links for 'Privacy Policy', 'Terms of Use', and 'Sign Out'.

5) Go ahead and log in once and then sign out using the link at the top, right.



6) In the future visit the following url to sign back into your account.

<https://aws.amazon.com>

...and click the Sign In to the Console button at the top, right