

👉 Welcome to the Credentials & Integrations Section!

In this part of the course, we'll cover one of the most important building blocks for creating **AI agents and automations in n8n**: connecting your workflows to external tools and APIs.

⚠️ **Important:** You **don't need to set up all of these accounts right now**. This section is designed as a **reference library** — feel free to return to it whenever you're working on a project that requires a specific integration.

For most tools, especially with **n8n Cloud**, connecting is quick and easy. But for platforms like WhatsApp or Telegram, you may need to **manually add API keys**, even on paid plans—and occasionally **refresh credentials** to keep them active.

You'll learn how to connect n8n to services like **OpenAI, Grok, and DeepSeek**, as well as messaging platforms like **WhatsApp** and **Telegram**.

We'll also go over how to integrate **Google services**, which is necessary if you're using a **self-hosted** version of n8n.

These tutorials include **step-by-step guidance** for beginners and **advanced tips** for more flexibility.

Let's get started!