



How to get started with Dholakia Ventures Syndicate

A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE



Embarking on a new venture? Discover the first steps to success by creating your investor account on AngelList and joining Dholakia Ventures Syndicate.



Dravya Dholakia

HELLO! I'M DRAVYA, FOUNDING & MANAGING PARTNER -
DHOLAKIA VENTURES

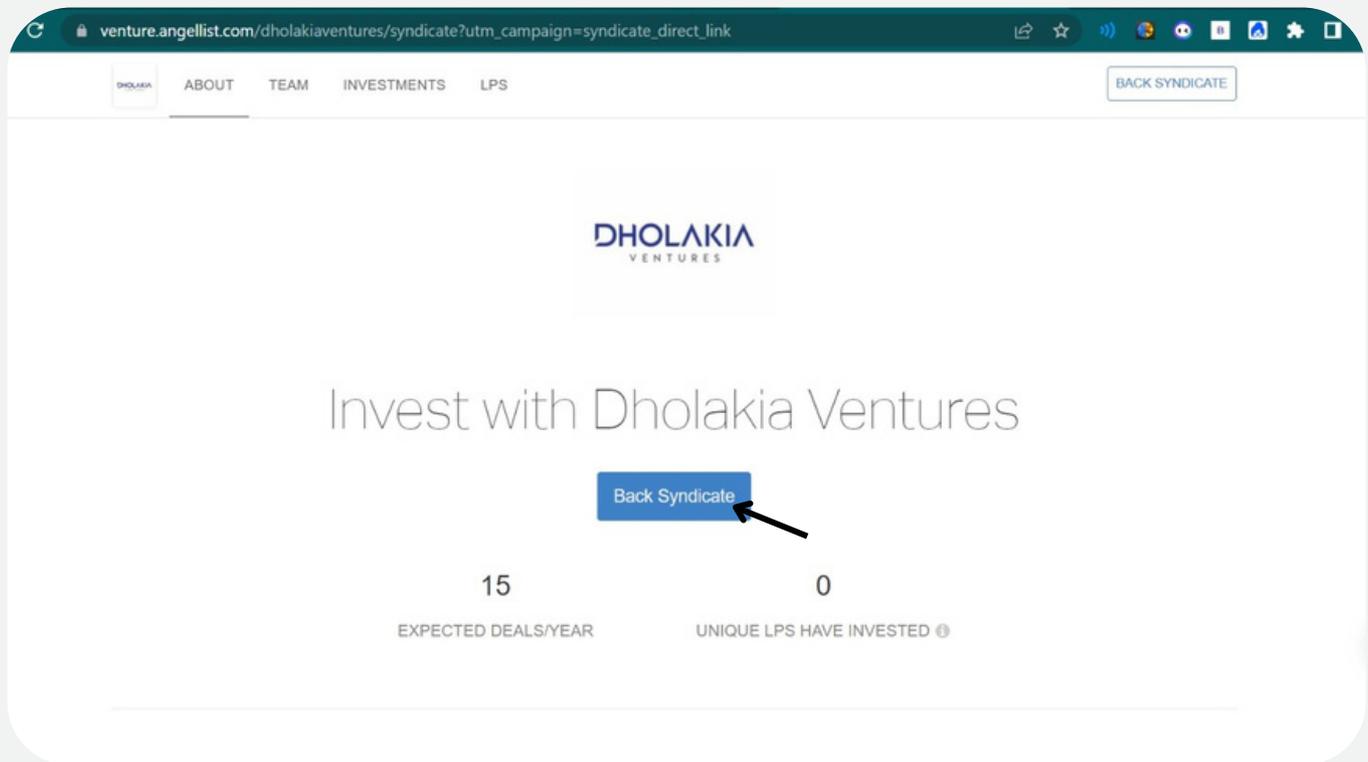
A visionary entrepreneur and seasoned investor, and I take great pleasure in introducing myself. As the Founding and Managing Partner of Dholakia Ventures, I have established a platform that aims to empower and support early-stage startups. With a keen eye for potential, I have invested in over 62 companies and worked closely with their talented founders. My academic journey includes a BBA degree from Pace University in New York and a post-graduate level Venture Capital course from Harvard Business School at Harvard University in Boston. Additionally, my experience in my family's diamond manufacturing company, Hari Krishna Diamond Exports, has sharpened my business acumen. Guided by my passion for fostering innovation, I envision Dholakia Ventures as not just a venture capital firm, but also as an incubator and accelerator for promising ventures. Through our specialized tools and value-added services, we aim to propel early-stage businesses towards growth and success.

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Tap on the Syndicate Invite Link

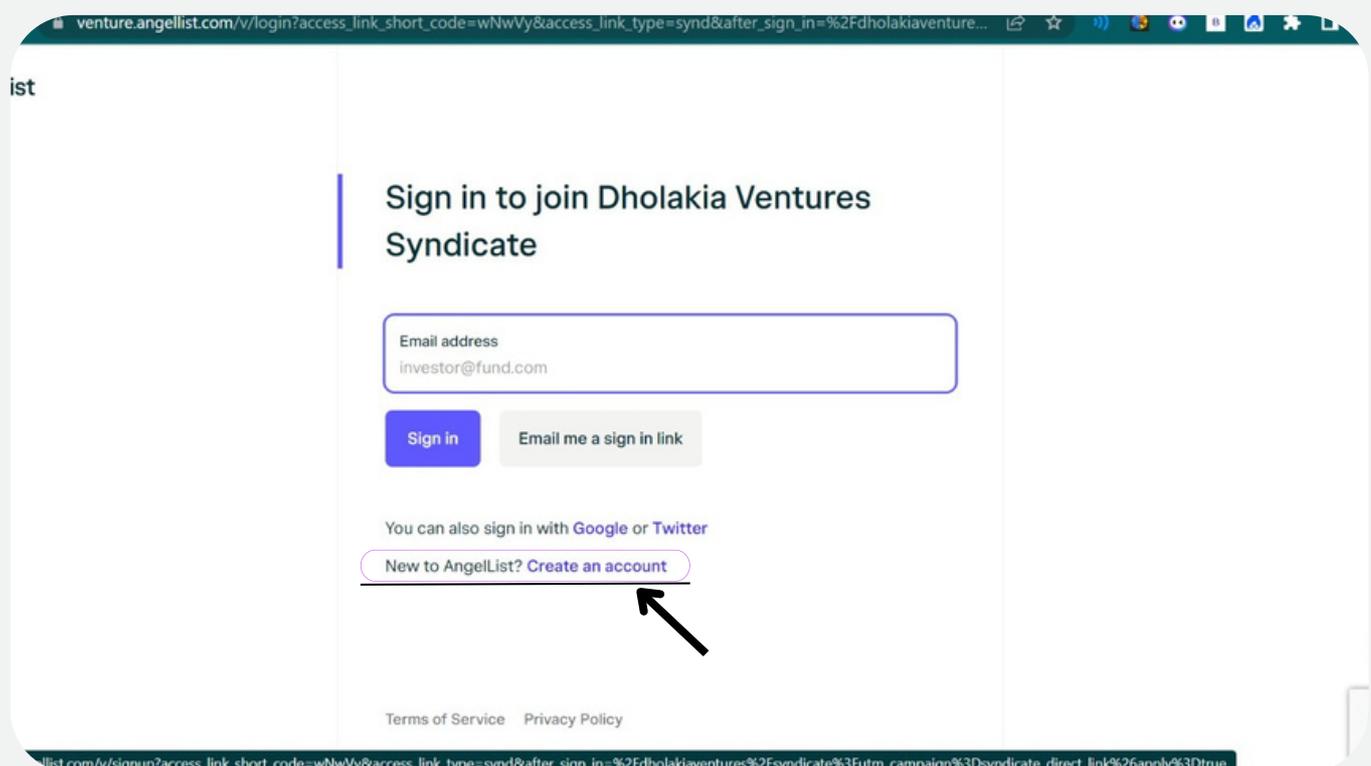
[Click here](#) to Apply for Dholakia Ventures Syndicate

You will see the following screen, Kindly click on the "Back Syndicate" Option.



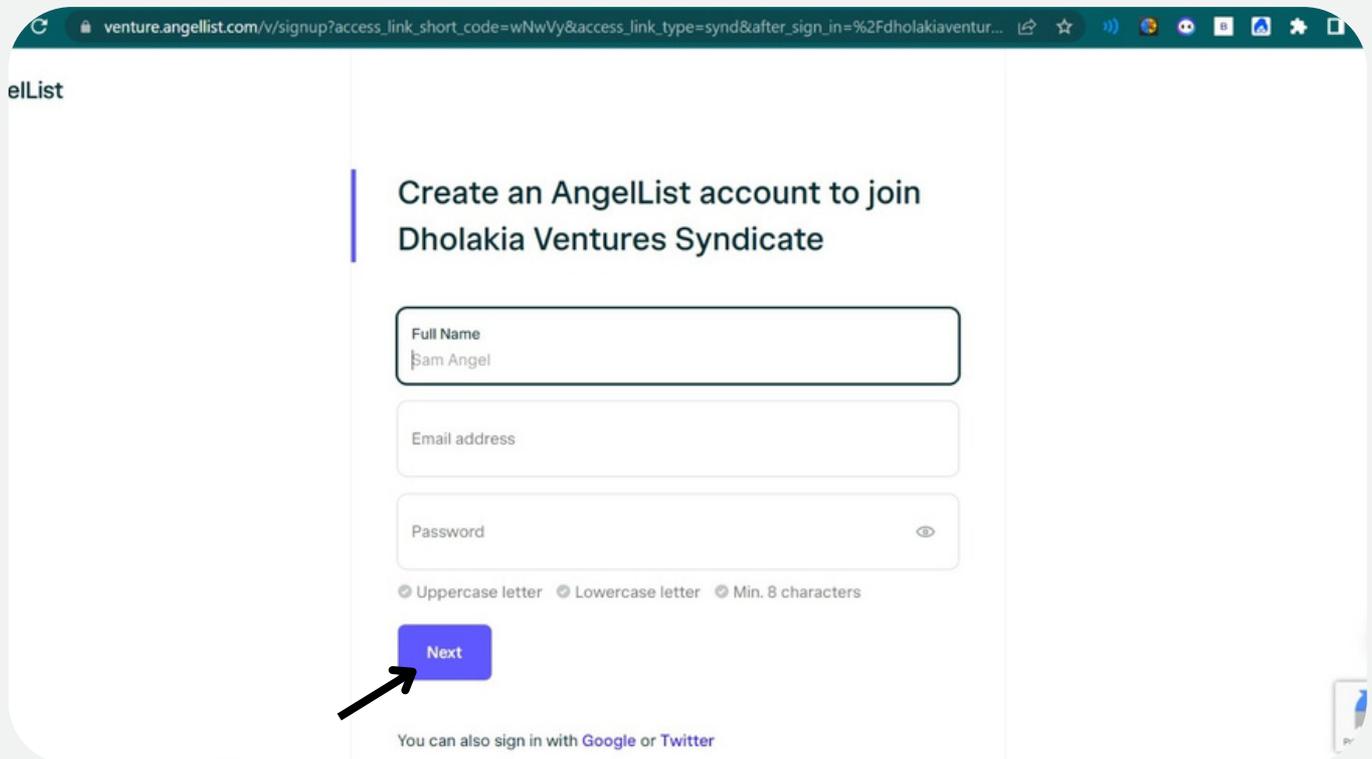
Now, Create a New account for AngelList

After clicking the Back Syndicate Option, you will be redirected to the AngelList account Sign in page. Now, kindly tap on the "Create an account" option as shown below.



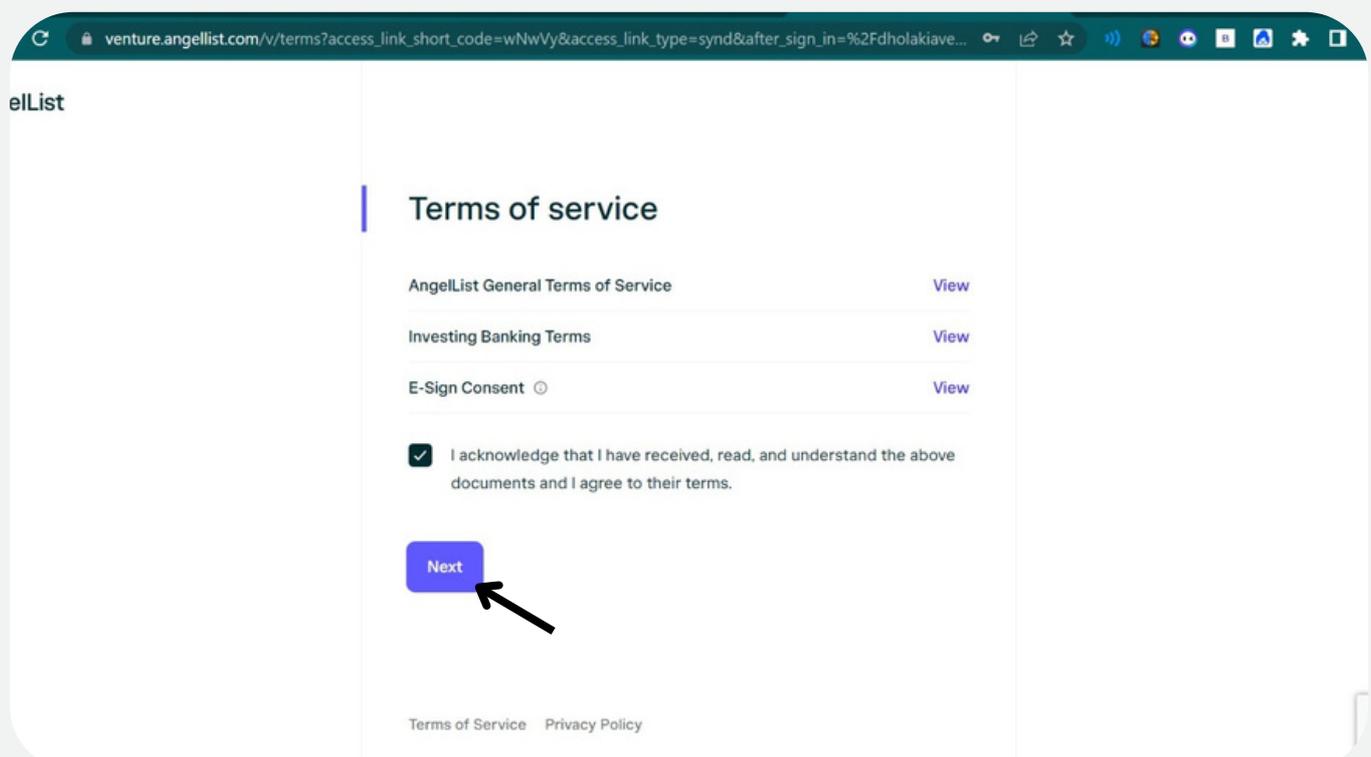
Filling in the Missing Pieces

Moving ahead with creating a new account, you will find the following interface on your screen. Kindly enter your Full Name, Permanent E-mail address and Other details and tap on the "Next" button.



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `venture.angellist.com/v/signup?access_link_short_code=wNwVy&access_link_type=synd&after_sign_in=%2Fdholakiaventur...`. The page title is "eList". The main heading is "Create an Angellist account to join Dholakia Ventures Syndicate". Below the heading are three input fields: "Full Name" (containing "Sam Angel"), "Email address", and "Password". The password field has a toggle icon and is accompanied by requirements: "Uppercase letter", "Lowercase letter", and "Min. 8 characters". A blue "Next" button is located below the password field, with a black arrow pointing to it. At the bottom, there is a link: "You can also sign in with Google or Twitter".

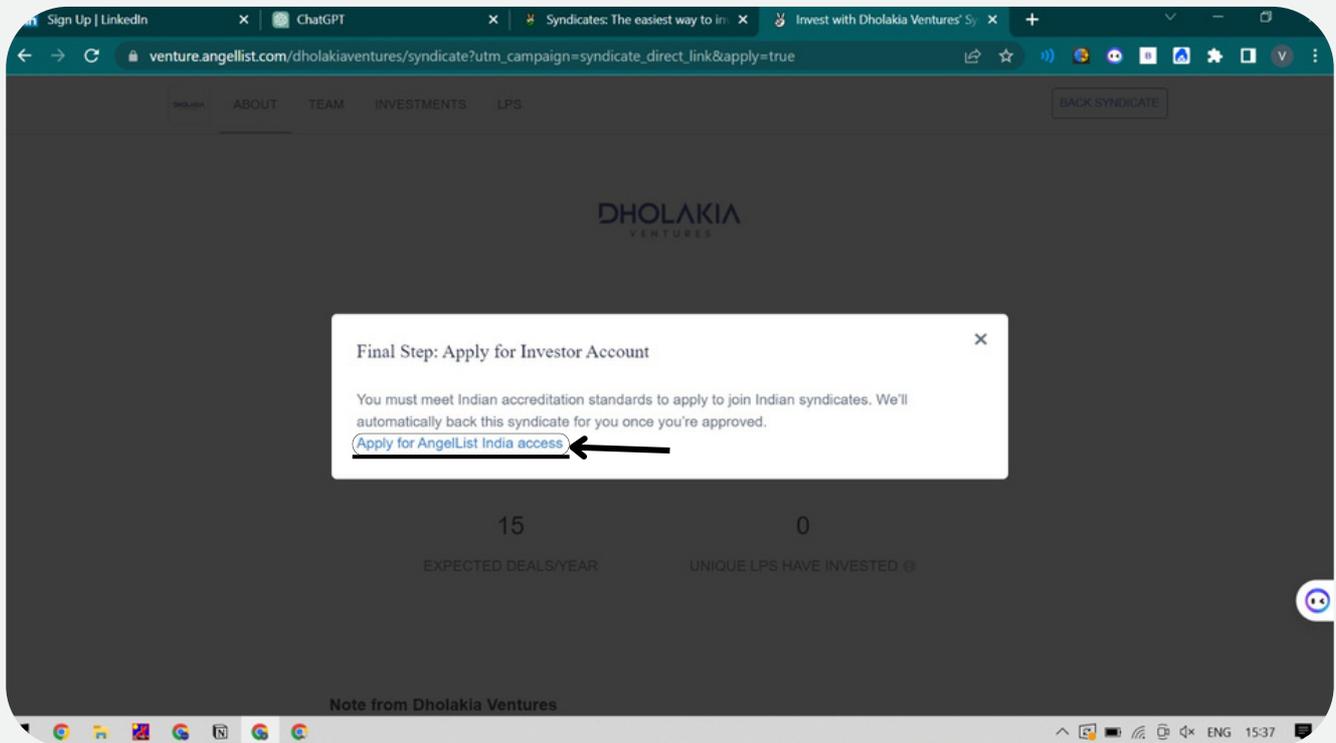
After thoroughly reviewing the terms of service on Angellist (without any association with DV Syndicate), please check the box to indicate your acknowledgement of the terms, and proceed by clicking the "Next" button.



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Final step: Apply for an Indian Investor Account on AngelList

Congratulations! You have successfully registered yourself with the AngelList platform. You will receive a confirmation for the same. Now, let's proceed to create an Investor account on AngelList. Please tap on the "[AngelList India Access](#)" button as shown below to begin.



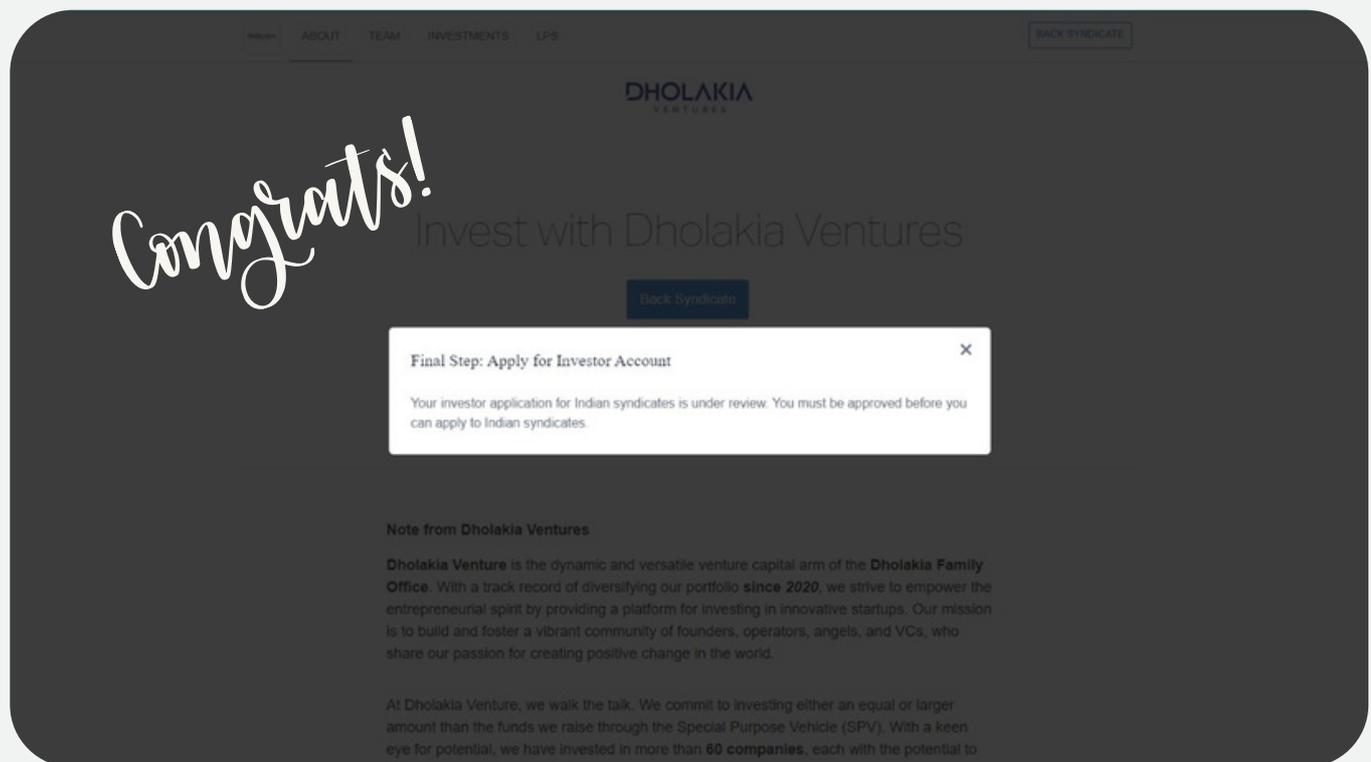
Please fill in all the necessary accreditation-related details across these three pages, based on your applicable eligibility. Once completed, you're all set to embark on your thrilling venture hunt journey. Good luck!

A screenshot of the AngelList accreditation form page. The browser's address bar shows the URL: venture.angellist.com/v/start-investing/accreditation. The page title is "Step 1 of 3: Accreditation". Below the title, there is a note: "You must be an accredited investor per the SEC's standards to invest on AngelList" with a "Learn more" link. The form contains several sections: 1. "Will you be investing money as an Individual, a Trust, or a Firm or Fund?" with radio button options for Individual (selected), Trust, and Firm or Fund. 2. "What is your full legal name?" with a text input field containing "VIRAJ SANJAYBHAI SHAH". 3. "Where is your legal place of residence?" with a dropdown menu showing "India". 4. "How are you accredited?" with radio button options: "I have, either on my own or with my spouse, more than ₹8.18cr of net tangible assets (excluding my primary residence)", "I want to make investments via AngelList India only. I do not meet the above criteria. However, I hereby declare that I have more than ₹2cr of net tangible assets (excluding my primary residence)", and "I'm not accredited yet".

Now What?

Sit back and relax! We've got you. The AngelList team will review your application within the next two to three days, and you'll be all set to start investing with us. To ensure a smoother and faster experience, please consider sharing your email address with the relevant point of contact at DV.

Clicking on the [Link](#) initially shared with you again will reveal the following interface. Rest assured, the approval process won't keep you waiting for long.



DEALFLOW

Once approved, you will become a member of the Dholakia Venture's Syndicate. As a member, you will begin to receive regular dealflow, which will be communicated to you through your registered email. Additionally, all relevant research work and memos pertaining to the specific Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) will be shared with you, along with any other necessary material documents.

TRANSACTIONAL & COMPLIANCE ASPECT

Once you begin committing to the SPVs, the AngelList team will handle and communicate all transactional and compliance aspects seamlessly through digital means. This includes share transfer, transactional assistance, wiring of funds via escrow, and fulfilling KYC-related requirements. You can expect clear and efficient communication through joint or individual email trails, ensuring that all necessary procedures are taken care of by the DV & AngelList team.

Curiosity is endless. Unanswered queries?

FAQS

Still have more questions? Let's chat and find the answers!

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THANK YOU



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