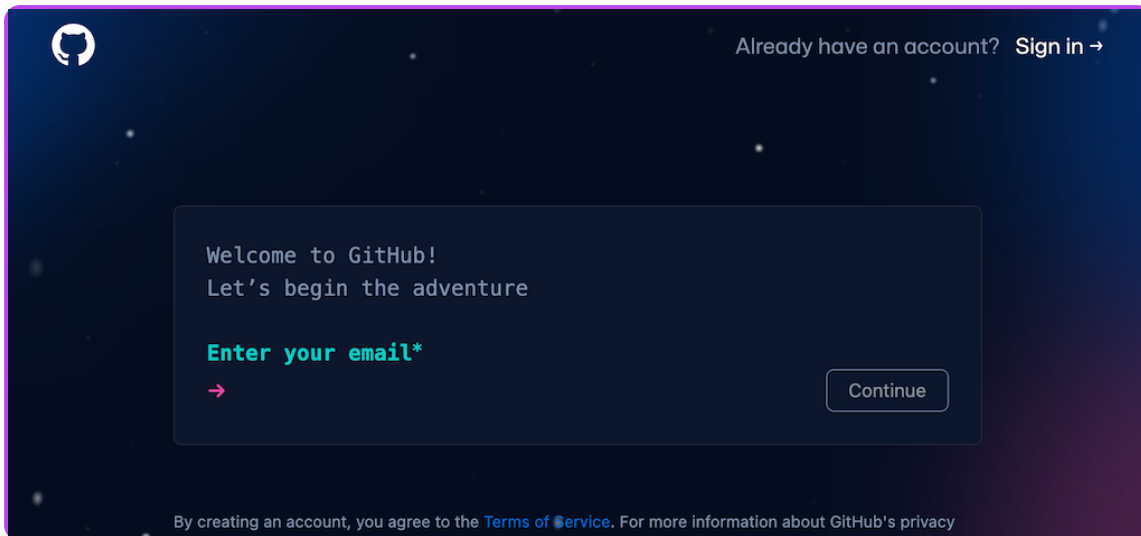




## 3.1.1. STEP 1 - FORKING THE AI4T GITHUB REPOSITORY

### 1- CREATE AN ACCOUNT ON GITHUB

The preliminary step is to create an account on GitHub (it's free) if you do not already have one.



*Creating an account on github.*

Access to [the sign up page on GitHub](#)

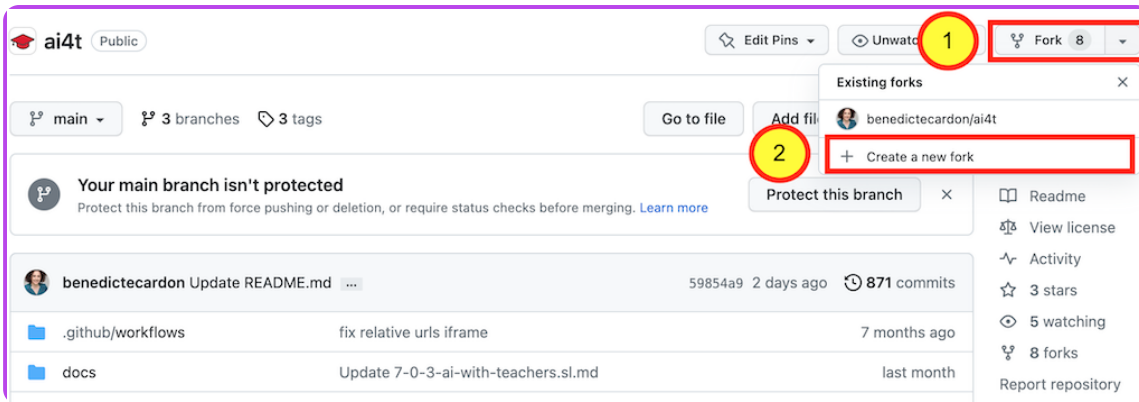
### 2- ACCESS THE GITHUB REPOSITORY OF THE PROJECT AI4T

Address of the GitHub repository of the AI4T project: <https://GitHub.com/inrialearninglab/ai4t>

### 3- CREATE A FORK OF THE REPOSITORY

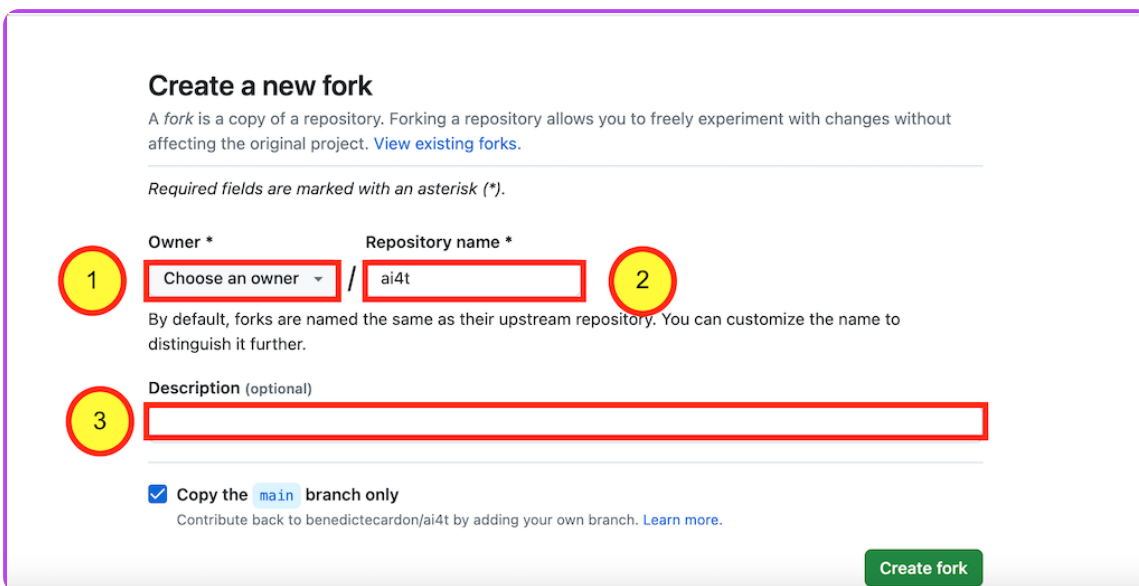
A fork is an extensive copy of elements (from contents to commands) of the GitHub repository but it is detached from the **main**.

Therefore you can do whatever you want in it without impacting the AI4T Mooc. However if you want to keep up with evolution in the **main**, you can **synchronise** your fork whenever you want



*Creating a fork on github.*

Once created, the fork has to be named.

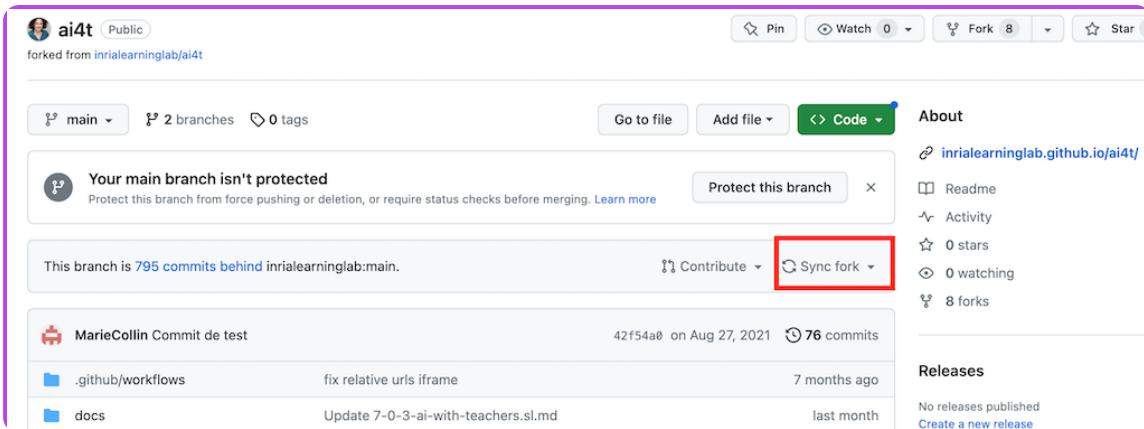


*Naming a fork on github.*

**We encourage you to:**

- 1 : Choose the right name for your account
- 2 : Keep **AI4T** in the repository name
- 3 : And to add as **description** the new target language you are developing

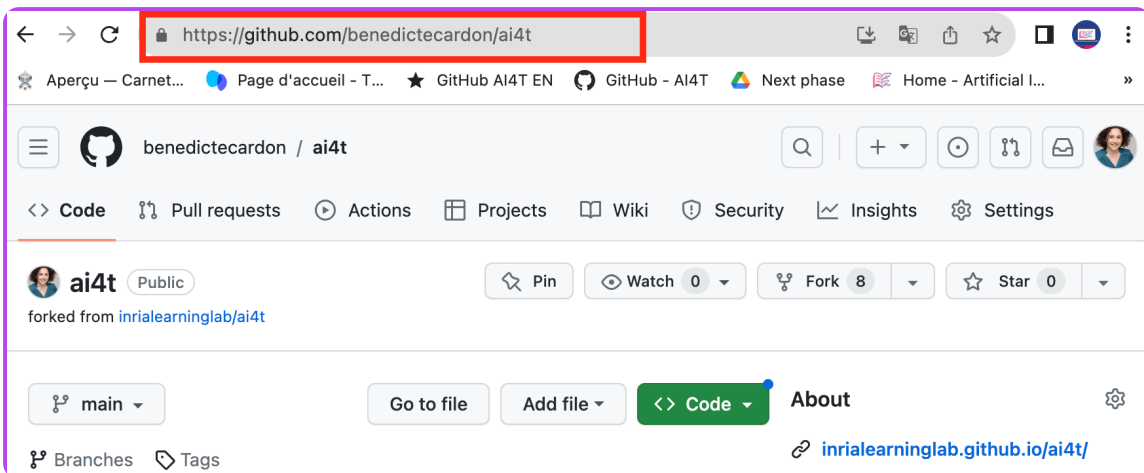
**Remember** : It's always possible to keep up with the evolution of the initial GitHub repository by "synchronising" you own repository with the AI4T one.



*Synchronising a fork on github.*

#### 4- YOUR FORK IS NOW READY AT YOUR PERSONALISED URL ADDRESS:

Example of personalised URL : <https://GitHub.com/ YOURNAME /ai4t>



*ID of a fork as mentionned in the URL of its static web pages.*