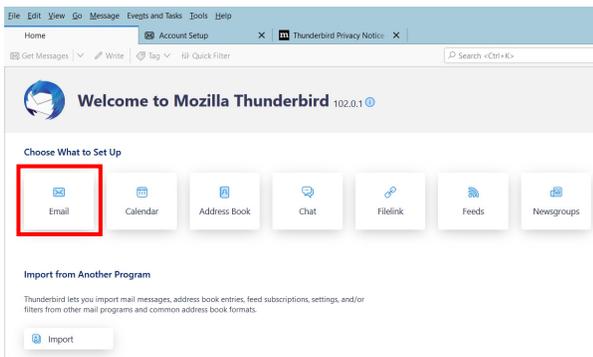# Getting Started

Add a New Thunderbird Email Account

1 Setting up Thunderbird for the first time:

- Open **Thunderbird**
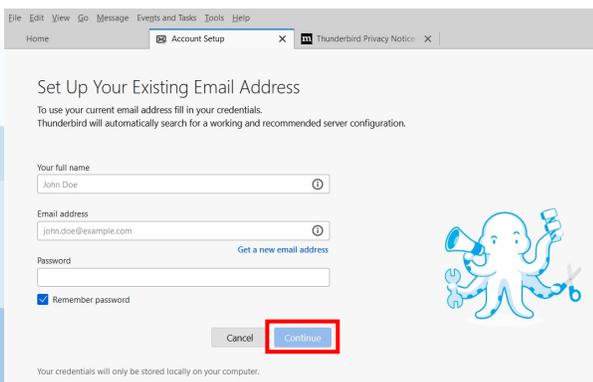- Click on the **Email** icon under "**Choose What to Set Up**"

2 A window will open which will allow you to enter your existing HomeSC email information (ex: myemail@homesc.com).

- Home Telecom has already provided you with an email address. Be sure to enter your **full name**, **HomeSC email address**, and **your email password**.
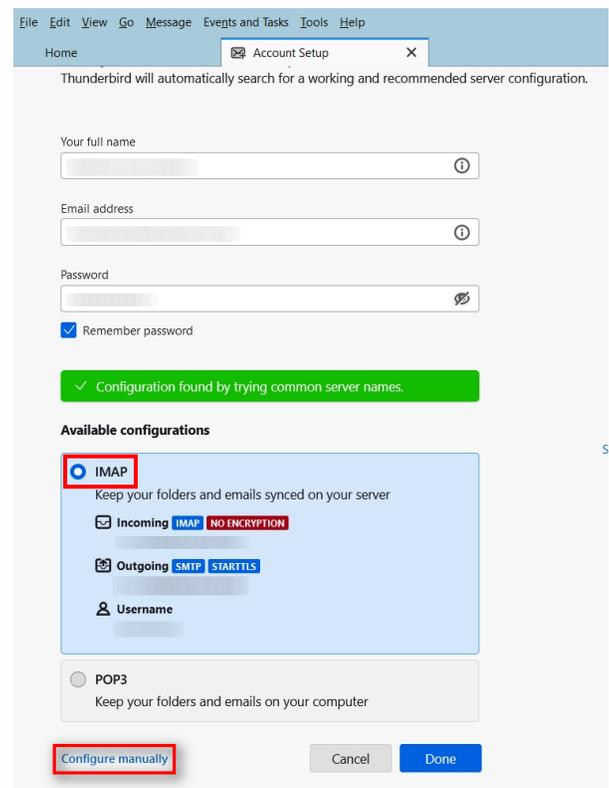
  You may also choose to have Thunderbird save your email password by selecting the checkbox next to **Remember password**.

- Click **Continue**

3 The system will process your input to find your email configuration:

- Make sure that **IMAP** is selected (under Available configurations)
- Click the **Configure manually** link located at the bottom left of your window

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Add a New Thunderbird Email Account (cont.)

4 Update your Incoming and Outgoing Server Settings:

- − Make sure that the **Incoming Server Protocol** drop-down is set to **IMAP**

- − Edit the **Incoming Server Hostname** is set to: **mail.homesc.com**

- − Ensure that the **Incoming Server Port** is displaying **993**

- − Make sure that the **Incoming Server Connection Security** drop-down is set to **SSL/TSL**

- − Select the **Incoming Server Authentication Method** drop-down and choose **Normal password**

- − Edit the **Outgoing Server Hostname** to: **smtp.homesc.com**

- − Make sure that the **Outgoing Server Port** field is set to **465**

- − Make sure that the **Outgoing Server Connection Security** drop-down is set to **SSL/TSL**

- − Select the **Outgoing Server Authentication Method** drop-down and choose **Normal password**

- − Enter your **full email address** (ex: *myemail@ homesc.com*) into both Username fields (Incoming and Outgoing)

- − Click **Done**

Congratulations, your Thunderbird email is now set up!