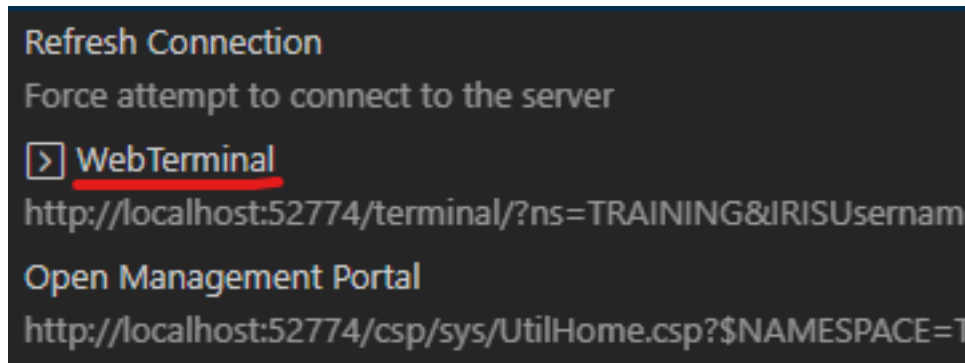

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VSCode Tips & Tricks - Web Terminal

How would you like to be able to access the Web Terminal directly from your VSCode?



This is another entry in the VSCode Tips & Tricks - and it is quite similar to the previous one about the SOAP Wizard.

Same principal, and same result, though different use-case.

So assume you want to open the Web Terminal (and for those of you who are still not familiar with this excellent tool by the amazing [@Nikita Savchenko](#) check out it's [home page](#)) from VSCode - you can take a similar approach to the one I described in the previous article.

I'll outline the steps again -

- Open the ObjectScript Extension JSON Settings
- In the 'conn' object add a 'links' object
- Inside 'links' add this line

```
"$(terminal) WebTerminal": "${serverUrl}/terminal/?ns=${ns}${serverAuth}"
```

It will look like this -

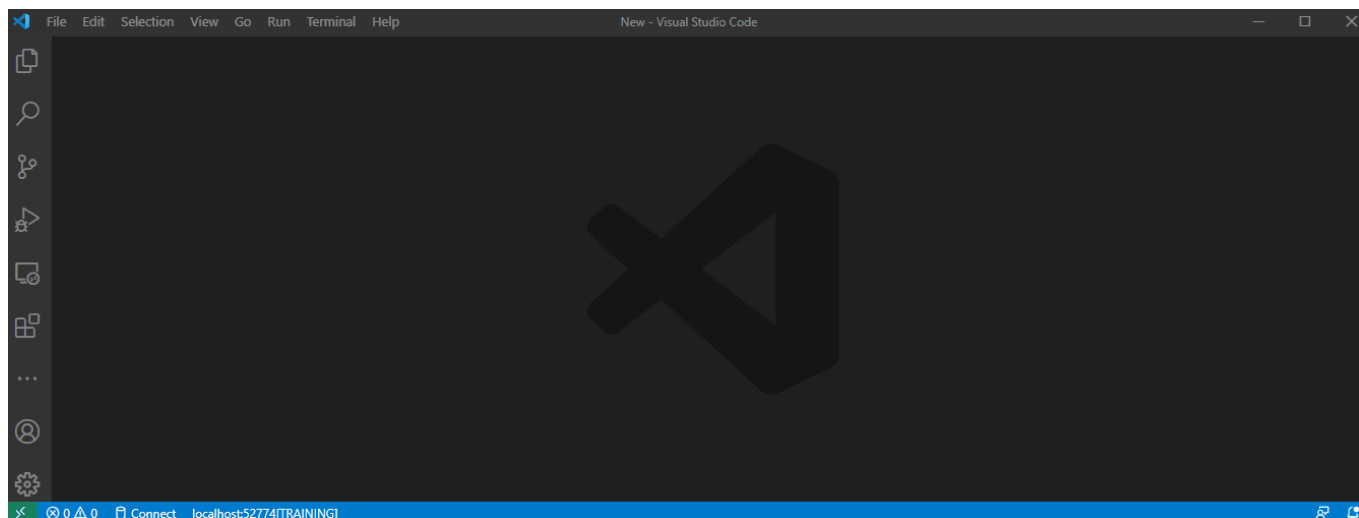
```
"objectscript.conn": {  
  
  "links": {  
    |    "$(terminal) WebTerminal": "${serverUrl}/terminal/?ns=${ns}${serverAuth}"  
    },  
  },  
}
```

Once you do this, when you click on the Connection in the bottom Status Bar of VSCode you should find Web Terminal in the menu.

This is mentioned in [this](#) VSCode ObjectScript's GitHub Issues discussion (about the `$(...)` variables used in the

URL above), by [@John Murray](#)

Here's a short GIF demonstrating this process (starting off with the standard menu, and finishing with the option to launch the Web Terminal) -



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