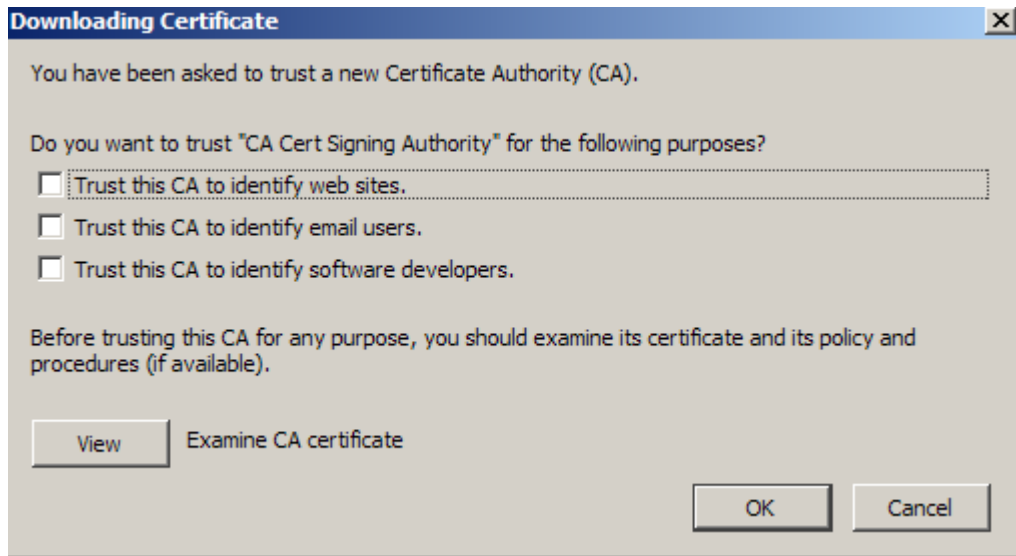


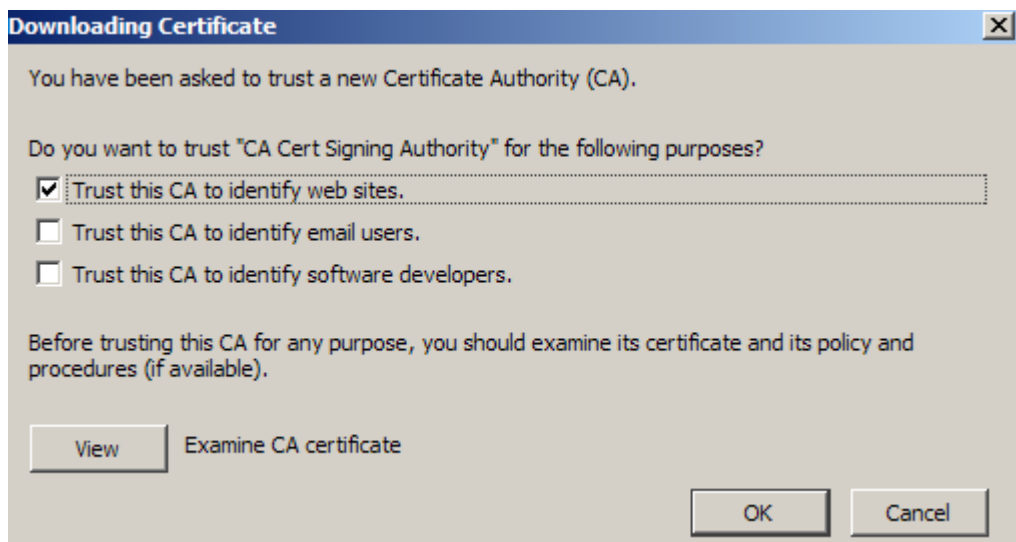
How to add Certificates and disable pop-up blockers in Firefox 2

Certificates

Some websites (including several within NJIT) use self-signed certificates by default. Self-signed certificates are not always recognized by Firefox as safe. As you can see from the screenshot below, Firefox gives a warning if it does not recognize a certificate as being “trusted”:



For our purposes, we are only concerned with the web site certificate, so you should select the first option “Trust this CA to identify web sites.”.



Click OK, and the certificate will be added, and you may access your web site.

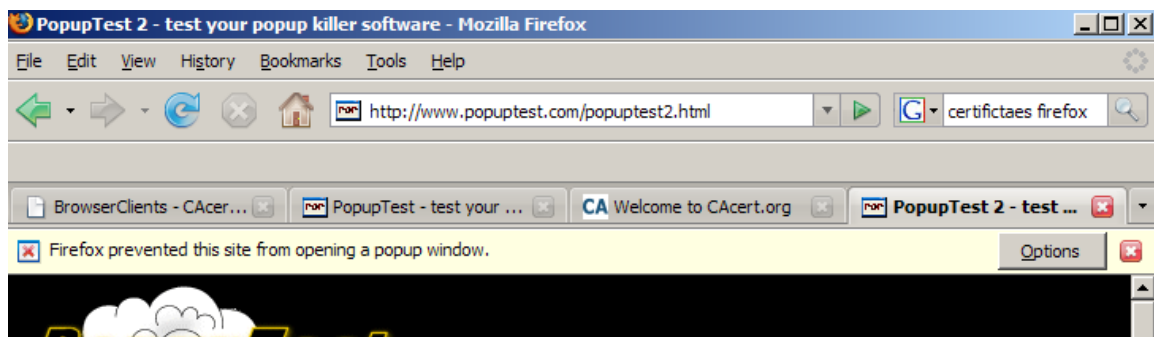
Allowing Pop-ups windows in Firefox

What are Popups?

Popup windows, or popups, are windows that appear automatically without your permission. They vary in size but usually don't cover the whole screen. Some popups open on top of the current Firefox window, while others appear underneath Firefox (popunders). Popup blocking is turned on by default, so you don't have to worry about enabling it to prevent popups from appearing in Firefox.

Some web sites, including some banking sites, use popups for important features. However, many websites also use pop-ups as web spam, to advertise. Blocking all popups disables all such features. To allow specific web sites to use popups, while blocking all others, you can add specific web sites to the list of allowed sites. Firefox does a fairly good job of identifying legitimate pop-up windows and allowing them to appear. However, it is not perfect, so you may an instance where it block a window you need to access.

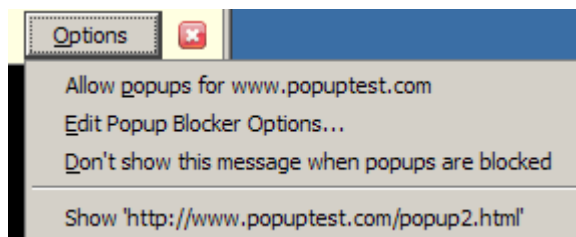
Below is an image if what the popup block information bar looks like when it is enabled:



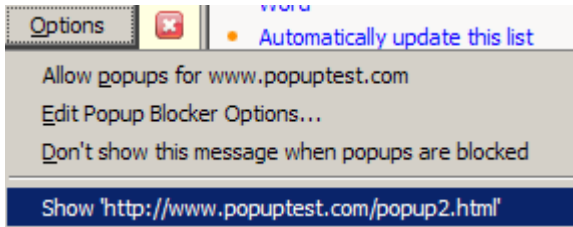
Notice the options button on the right in the yellow information bar. When blocking a popup, Firefox displays an information bar, as well as an icon in the status bar. When you click either the Options Preferences button in the information bar or the icon in the status bar, a menu is displayed with the following choices:

- * Allow/Block popups for this site
- * Edit Popup Blocker
- * Don't show this message (info message) when popups are blocked
- * (show a blocked popup)

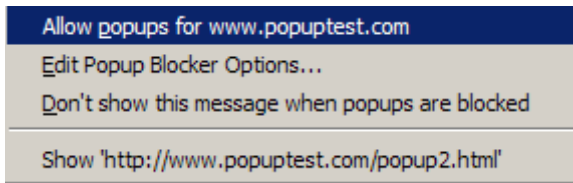
If you click on that button, the following drop down menu will appear:



If you want to enable pop-up for this time only, highlight the bottom Show “your current web site’



If you would like to add the site as trusted for all future use, highlight Allow popups for “your current web site’.



For more detailed information on managing popups in Firefox, please link to:
<http://support.mozilla.com/kb/Pop-up+blocker>