

## Guardian Staking FAQs

### Pool 2: Use the pool with the 15-Day Token Lock

**Where is the link to Guardian's Staking Platform?** Always access the staking pool from Guardian's website (main menu): <https://guardianplatform.io/staking/> Do not use any other links from any other sources. Social media admins and moderators will **ONLY** provide the link to Guardian's official website, and from there you can access the staking pool.

**What wallet should I use?** Connect to the staking pool using the Solana wallet that holds your Guardian tokens.

**Should I connect to the pool using a PC or Phone?** Either works fine. It may be easiest to access the staking pool from within your wallet's internet browser feature.

**Is there a limit to how many wallets I can stake?** No. You can connect to the staking pool with each Solana-compatible wallet you have which holds your Guardian tokens. Each wallet creates its own individual stake.

**Pool 1 vs Pool 2:** Pool 1 utilized a 30-day token lock and that pool has ended. It is still visible on the staking platform but should not be used. Pool 2 utilizes a 15-day token lock and has a higher daily APY. Pool 2 is the pool for this last round of Guardian staking.

**What is the minimum and maximum stake?** 10,000 token minimum per wallet, there is no maximum number of tokens that can be staked per wallet. **Only stake whole numbers (like 23,339 or 1,556,556,281), do not use decimals.** If you try to stake a token amount with a decimal in it (like 804.228) the staking platform will reject the stake. Using that example, just stake 804 tokens.

**What is the cost to Stake, Unstake, and Claim Rewards?** The staking protocol has a small staking fee of .014 SOL to stake tokens. There is a .003 SOL fee to unstake, and a .003 SOL fee to claim rewards. Ensure your Solana wallet has a small amount of Solana in it to cover these fees.

**How long are my tokens locked?** Staked tokens are locked for 15 days. Unlock dates and times are depicted on your dashboard once your wallet is connected.

**What is the reward token?** Guardian's existing token on the Solana blockchain.

**Will Guardian unstake my tokens for me at the end of the block?** No. Guardian does not have access to your wallet, and it is the responsibility of the staker to unstake their tokens and claim rewards before the reward pool is depleted.

**How are rewards accumulated?** Rewards accumulate every second using the number of staked tokens multiplied by the daily interest rate. The daily interest rate is determined by the APY%. Your reward total updates every second and your reward total is displayed on your dashboard.

**When can I claim my rewards?** You can claim your rewards at any time during the staking period and as often as you choose. Claimed rewards (Guardian tokens) are delivered back to your staking wallet.

**Can I sell my rewards?** Yes. They are regular Guardian tokens on the Solana blockchain.

**Can I add my rewards to my staked bag?** Yes. Claim your rewards first, then add them to your staked bag from your connected wallet. Your 15-day stake timer will reset every time you add to your staked bag.

**Where do the reward tokens come from?** The project reserved Guardian Tokens for the staking program when the Solana contract was deployed.

**What happens when the 15-day timer expires?** Your staked bag continues to gain rewards, but you can now unstake your tokens as the 15-day lock has expired. Unstaking is only required when the block ends if you want to stake tokens for the next block. The Staking Pool page on the Guardian Website displays a Staking Block timer to serve as a reminder when the current block ends.

**Do I need to restake after the 15-day lock expires?** No. Your staked bag remains staked and continues to earn rewards, but the lock timer has expired so you can unstake at any time.

**How do I exit the pool?** Once your 15-day timer expires, unstake (click max) to unstake your bag. Be sure to claim your rewards once you unstake. Your unstaked tokens and your reward tokens are delivered back to your wallet through the Solana blockchain.

**How do I check the status of my stake:** Connect your wallet to the staking pool and review the data provided on your dashboard. It shows your staked token total, your unlock date and time, and the rewards that are accumulating. You can also see your stake and unstake activity at the bottom of the dashboard. You can also use SolScan to check the status of your transactions by copying and pasting your Solana public wallet address into the SolScan search field.

**When does the Guardian Staking program end?** This final pool has 64M tokens for reward tokens, or nearly 11% of Guardian's total supply. Guardian's staking program will end when all 64M tokens have been disbursed to stakers through the pool's Claim Rewards function.