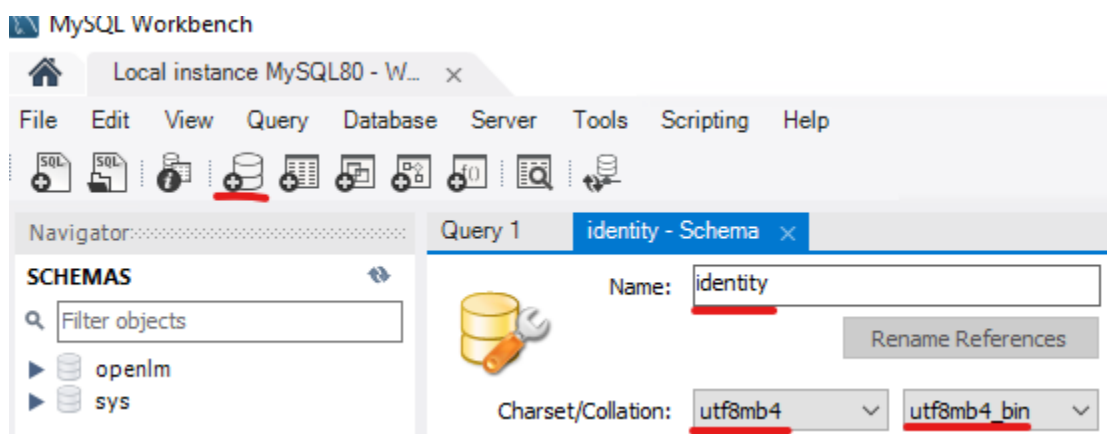# How to set up OpenLM Identity Service database with MySQL
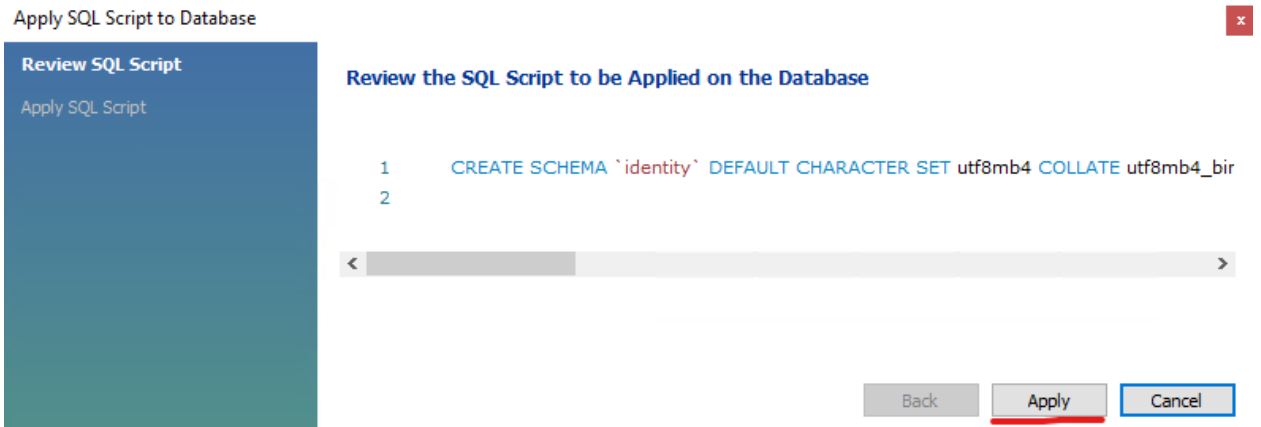
1. Open MySQL Workbench and connect to your MySQL server

2. Click on "Icon" to create a new schema in the top menu and set the name of your database as "identity". Also, make sure to select the charset/Collation "utf8mb4" and "utf8mb4_bin".

3. Then click "Apply" to approve the creation of the new OpenLM database.

Apply SQL Script to Database

Review SQL Script

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Review the SQL Script to be Applied on the Database

```
1    CREATE SCHEMA `identity` DEFAULT CHARACTER SET utf8mb4 COLLATE utf8mb4_bir
2
```

Back   Apply   Cancel

4. The identity database is ready to be connected with OpenLM during the installation process of the OpenLM Server component.