

Start-a-Website Checklist

A simple beginner path from idea to launch.

01 Plan your site

- ☐ Define the site's purpose in one sentence
- ☐ Pick a name and check the .ca / .com domain
- ☐ List your core pages: Home, About, Services, Contact
- ☐ Gather text, photos, and your logo in one folder

02 Choose hosting & domain

- ☐ Register your domain
- ☐ Choose a beginner-friendly host
- ☐ Set up your hosting account and connect the domain
- ☐ Create a professional email address

03 Build your pages

- ☐ Install your site builder
- ☐ Pick a clean, mobile-friendly theme
- ☐ Write each core page using plain, helpful language
- ☐ Add your logo, brand colors, and consistent navigation

04 Launch

- ☐ Proofread every page and test every link
- ☐ Check the site on phone, tablet, and desktop
- ☐ Add a contact form and confirm it delivers
- ☐ Submit your site to Google Search Console
- ☐ Share the link with friends, family, and your network

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