

## Thinking about Starting your own Business?

### 10 Things you must do to give your new business a flying start.

We advise printing this document for easy reference.

This pdf has been put together to make the process of starting a business as easy as possible by using our 10 point checklist. Document produced by [www.registerbusinessname.com.au](http://www.registerbusinessname.com.au)

- Choose your business name with the help of:  
<http://www.registerbusinessname.com.au/choosing-a-business-name.html>
- Check if your chosen business name is available by visiting:  
<http://www.search.asic.gov.au/gns001.html>
- Check if the domain name is available by visiting:  
<http://www.digitalpacific.com.au/>
- Understand auDA's domain name eligibility and allocation policy rules located at:  
<http://www.auda.org.au/policies/auda-2008-05/>
- Register your business name in the relevant state or territory by visiting:  
<http://ow.ly/1Byer>
- Register Your ABN by visiting:  
<http://www.abr.gov.au> – Click the first link left - “Apply for an Australian Business Number” and follow the prompts.
- Register Your Domain Name(s) by visiting  
<http://www.digitalpacific.com.au/>
- Think about getting your own personalised email address by purchasing web hosting –  
example: john@yourdomain.com.au  
Visit: <http://www.digitalpacific.com.au/>
- You can now print business cards and any other relevant artwork with your NEW domain name and EMAIL address.
- Get a website made and upload it to your web hosting account.

Congratulations! If you followed all the steps you should now have your business name, abn, domain name, web hosting, email address, business cards and website.  
We hope you found this checklist helpful.