

# Free Steps to Making Money Online

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The goal of these articles is to teach you ways to get started making money online without having to spend any money. This time we discuss having your own blog. There are endless ways of making money once you have traffic, and your blog will get you traffic. The income we will be looking at today will come from Google AdSense.

There are multiple benefits to having a blog including the low cost (or no cost), the resources that will help you get traffic to your blog, and the fact that you can provide your blog as an RSS feed. An RSS feed will allow readers to automatically receive your updates into their RSS reader.

Let's get started with the steps...

**1. Set up your blog.** You will need to decide what you are going to blog about. You should decide on a theme and name your blog appropriately. There are a number of free ways to set up a blog & to have it hosted for free. Blogger, WordPress and many social networks are good blog platforms. Most will allow you to set up a blog for free. They will host it for free and they will ping search engines every time you update, meaning you will get found.

**2. Write some content.** Before we move any further there has to be some information on the site and that means you have to make some entries. You can write some of these entries yourself and some can be quotes from sites of interest to your reader. A toolbar button for your browser will make it easy to post. The content will be added to your blog along with a link back to the site.

**3. Once you have** a weeks worth of blogging with two or three

entries for everyday, you can apply for an AdSense account. You can find out all about it on the AdSense page but basically you get Google ads on your site then get paid if your visitor clicks them.

Google will decide what advertisements show on your site based on the content it finds within. You need to be aware that Google will decline your application if your site is not considered to have content. Nobody outside of Google knows the precise rules on this. Once you have been accepted you get a javascript from Google to add to you site. Copy this & then log in to your blog and add the code. You might need to know a little bit of HTML to find the right location to paste your code. With a little experimentation you will figure it out. I suggest the ads be seen when the site loads but should not be too obvious or dominate your site.

**4. Write more content.** Try to keep your content coming at regular intervals as a number of directories will check on your site at regular intervals and the smarter ones will visit on a schedule based on your update schedule. They will probably determine this within hours after your first post.

**5. Submit your site** to blog and rss directories. Sometimes when you make a new entry they are automatically notified. Others you will need to manually submit to, some of which will require a link on your site to theirs. You can add links to your template. For a list of directories to get you started try searching Google.

**6. Keep writing interesting content.** Ideally you want people to come back again and again. As with customers its harder to get a new visitor than to keep existing visitors. So make it interesting, in fact make it so interesting that they can't help but tell all their friends about it also.

As with most free ways to make money this will take time to get going, but if you can build a following you will make

money.

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# Hydroponics and Indoor Gardening

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If you have heard of hydroponics or other methods of growing plants without soil and want to try it out at home, you can. Hydroponics is easy to care for and set-up at home. There are materials you can buy or some you may be able to find around the house.

The dirt or soil that you use to grow plants in a traditional method is substituted for a growing medium (full of nutrients the plant needs to grow) in hydroponics gardening. The nutrients are fed directly to the roots by method of a feed system. The system can be automated and the gardener can control how much water the roots receive within a specified time frame. The more growing medium the faster the plants grow.

Since the system can be automated, the amount of time and energy that is required to maintain a hydroponics garden is less than with a traditional garden. As long as enough water is present and growing medium the plants can be left unattended for a longer period of time.

A home-based hydroponics garden can grow vegetables year round. The concern about pests and the composition of the soil are not an issue with this type of gardening. Another bonus with this type of gardening is how fast you can have mature vegetables indoors (by increasing the amount of light and grow medium).

The types of plants that are best for hydroponics are ones with thin spider-like roots. Plants that have a bulb root system are still best grown in the traditional soil method inside a pot or outside. When you are ready to begin, germinate the seeds for your plants like you normally would. When the seed has started to sprout and has approximately 2-5 millimeters of growth it is ready to transplant to the hydroponics container and begin growing.

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# The Importance of Choosing the Right Campground

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Would you like to go camping? If you would, have you already selected your intended destination or your campground park? If you have yet to do so, you will want to continue reading...

When it comes to choosing a campground there are a number of different approaches that are taken. In all honesty, most campers choose one of the campgrounds that is located closest to them and others, literally, just pick a campground off the Internet. While these approaches work, it is important to remember that you do not necessarily know what you are getting. If you are looking to have one of the best camping trips ever, you will want to take the time to find the campground park that is perfect for you and your needs.

As nice as it is to hear that you should carefully choose the campground that you end up camping at, you may be wondering exactly why that is. What you need to remember is that not all campgrounds and parks are the same. This is something that many people fail to realize but is something that can have a huge impact on the success of your next camping trip. If you

are not careful your next camping trip can seem more like a nightmare than a vacation.

Another one of the many reasons why you should carefully choose your next campground is because it may have an impact on how much you pay to go camping. Campgrounds often charge varied admission fees. If you are not careful you may end up paying more money than you need to. When examining the cost of a campground reservation it is important to keep the on-site services, facilities, and activities in mind. The more you have access to, the higher the cost of the campground reservation will likely be. With that in mind, it may be worth the extra costs, ...but not always.

As previously stated, not carefully choosing your campground can turn your next camping trip into a nightmare. One of the reasons for that is because it impacts what you can do. That is why the services, facilities, and activities that you have access to at a campground park are important. You will want to look for a campground park that is filled with activities. For example, look for ones that may have playgrounds for children, swimming pools, fishing, boat rentals, and hiking trails. The more activities that you have access to at a campground, the more likely you are to enjoy your trip.

Your campground decision may also impact what you have to bring along with you. For instance, if the park you choose does not have an on-site laundry facility, you would likely have to pack more clothes to bring along. The same can be said for the activities that you can participate in. If your campground park has a swimming pool or a hiking trail you may want to bring along a bathing suit and sneakers, respectively.

The campground that you choose may also have an impact on how many outside trips you have to make. In the United States, you can find a relatively large number of campgrounds that have on-site general stores or even first aid centers available. Should you forget to bring anything on your trip or even if

you suffered a small injury, you may need to leave the campground should you not have what you need. While this may not seem like a huge deal, it may put a damper on your camping trip and impact its success.

The above mentioned ways are just a few of the many that your selected park can impact your next camping trip, both in positive and in negative ways. To help ensure your next camping trip is all that you had hoped it would be, you will want to take the time to find the campground park that best fits you, your needs, as well as your wants.

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## **Adventure Sailing is More Fun When You Own the Yacht**

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You can charter adventure sailing vacation to almost any destination in the world. The only problem is that it will cost you a bunch of money paying for the crew, meals and fuel for the trip. You can probably save money on a sailing vacation when you own the yacht but only if you know how to navigate and control it.

The advantage of owning a boat is that you can go on a sailing vacation anytime you want. You don't have to call your travel agent or make any reservation online since the boat is just sitting at the dock waiting for you to come aboard. The only thing you have to do is buy food and fuel which should be enough to get you back to port.

The boat also brings financial benefits because when you are not using it, this can be rented out to those who want to go on their own sailing vacation as long as they are able to pay

your rate. This of course means additional revenue for you so the ship stays in good shape.

This makes it also ideal for those who want to conduct business on board because this is a tax deductible once you register your boat as a place of business. To see how this works, get in touch with your tax advisor.

Another financial benefit of owning your own yacht is it can sometimes be considered a second home. This is as long as the boat has at least one berth, a permanent galley and a head which is the requirement of the IRS.

If you can't buy your own yacht, there is something called fractional boat ownership which means for a certain period during the year, you can do whatever you want with the boat. This will allow you to use it to go on a trip with your family.

The best thing about this is that a group of you share the cost of owning the yacht which already includes its maintenance, insurance, moorage, equipment, fuel and repairs.

This can only happen of course after you have completed a boating safety class and a safety orientation. This will not be a problem for you if you are already certified to sail a boat and know how to use all the equipment like charts, compass and GPS on board.

The other option is to join a boat club. Unlike part time sharing, you don't get to own a boat. But as a member, you are entitled to up to 4 advanced reservations at any given time and access to powerboats or to sailboats that are up to 30 feet in length. The club for its part will shoulder all the other expenses such as maintenance, cleaning, storage and insurance.

There are many of them around so you won't have a hard time choosing one. Some cater to one market while others cater to

all. They also offer boating classes for those who want to do this for fun or commit themselves in the sport.

Adventure sailing vacation is truly better when you own the yacht as the only thing you have to do is drive on over to the docks, stow your gear on board and then sail off into the sunset.

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# Creating Online Business Opportunity

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Here are a couple of different ways that you can make money by creating an online business. We'll spend the bulk of our time looking at eBay with a small amount of space looking at making money through AdSense.

eBay is a major source of income for many people in the United States and it is a great way for you to get started when selling online. The easiest way to get started is to look around the house and find things that you do not need and try and sell those online. What you want to do when looking at creating an online business opportunity with eBay is to figure out how you can sell each item for the most amount of money that you possibly can. To do this requires creativity and teaching yourself to write good sales copy. After you have sold several of your products through eBay that were sitting under house, start looking for items that you could sell on a regular basis. The easiest way to do that is to search the web for drop-shippers. You will find a huge list of wholesalers who are able and willing to ship products to you or to your customers so that you do not have to worry about keeping inventory. This will allow you to work on developing your



sales skills as far as writing your sales copy in dealing with the customers. You will not need a lot of money to invest in inventory. To see what the particular areas of eBay are “Hot” and easy to sell in, search for: “What’s Hot On eBay.” You will see what some of the best selling products and get an idea about what you could sell on eBay to make money.

Another way to make money online by creating a website and put ads on it. Google has a program where you put ads on your website and any person who clicks on those ads is sent to the advertiser’s page then you are paid a small fee. It can be a great way to make a little extra money. You can optimize your pages and make even more.

Much of what you do on the Internet comes down to how you write and how people respond to what you write. If you take the time to write good sales copy for your listings on eBay, you will continue to have success after you’ve learned other methods to make money on the Internet. The Internet can be boiled down to just these couple of steps to focus on when looking to create a business. If you search the web you will find good information about how to write good sales copy.

Hopefully this article on creating an online business will help get you thinking about it. eBay is an inexpensive and low-risk way for you to get your feet wet.

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## Hydrogen Energy

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Hydrogen is abundant on earth and is found when combined with other elements that will help form chemical compounds like water or H<sub>2</sub>O. By using the power of hydrogen you will be able to form energy that can be renewable, but also that is healthy

for everyone and Earth in general. You will find that this technology is something that NASA has been using for years but has also researched for the better good of everyday life.

Hydrogen energy is stored in the form of fuel cells. Because hydrogen is not found naturally by itself, the first step to building a fuel cell is to remove the hydrogen from a compound. You may not know this, but Hydrogen is many things other than water; such as, natural gas; a substance that is often used in hydrogen energy. Hydrogen energy is where you are reforming to use heat in order to separate hydrogen and natural gas. When water is used, a similar process called electrolysis, is used to separate the hydrogen and oxygen with an electrical current. The result of each of these processes is more energy in the form of hydrogen than is used in the process itself.

This type of energy has been researched since it is considered to be pure power. An engine that uses hydrogen produces almost no pollution making it much preferred over fossil fuels. In the space shuttle, for instance, the byproduct of burning hydrogen to power lift-off is purified water. Therefore, using hydrogen power is not only clean, but also useful. You can compare fuel cells to batteries since they are alike. However, with the fuel cells you will never lose your charge and it will work until all of the hydrogen is cut off. Inside the cell oxygen is combined with hydrogen and the chemical process that produces water gives off heat and electricity. The water can then be broken into hydrogen and oxygen once again and the process starts all over again.

As for the future you will find that there are some scientists that have predicted that these fuel cells will become popular in use. Today, they still happen to be working on making this method convenient and something that can become convenient. After this process has been made cost effective you will find that hydrogen will become the solution to all of the world's problems. This process is renewable and clean.