

# Quick Start Guide: Fresh Node Setup Script

This quick start guide provides essential steps for running the Fresh Node Setup Script (fresh\_node\_notak.sh). Use this as a one-page reference for installation and basic troubleshooting.

Step	Action
1. Preparation	Ensure you are on a Debian-based Linux system. Connect to the internet.
2. Permissions	Run as root (sudo su) or use sudo when executing the script.
3. Make Executable	chmod +x fresh_node_notak.sh
4. Run Script	sudo ./fresh_node_notak.sh
5. Logging	Logs stored in /var/log/mesh-install.log
6. Post-Install	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reticulum (rnsd) and MediaMTX run as services</li><li>• Config at ~/.config/reticulum</li></ul>
7. Reboot	Reboot when prompted to finalize installation

## Troubleshooting (Quick):

- Script fails: Check /var/log/mesh-install.log
- Services not running: systemctl status rnsd or mediamtx
- Safe to re-run script if needed