# The Ultimate Landing Page Checklist

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# Make it one page

You can divide your landing page into separate sections, but stick to a single page.

#### Prioritize above-the-fold content

Because most visitors won't scroll all the way to the bottom of a landing page, place important content - such as your CTA - above the fold.

#### Be clear and direct

Include a strong headline across the top of the page. Visitors should understand within seconds what you are offering, why it benefits them and how they sign up.

# Focus on the 'how'

Make your landing page about your audience - not just about yourself. Go beyond simply explaining what your offering is; instead, focus on how your offering will benefit users.

# Use strong CTA copy

Choose a short, direct, action-oriented phrase that tells visitors exactly what they should do next. This is not the place for subtle messages. Examples of effective CTAs include:

- Sign up
- Subscribe now
- Start today
- Learn more
- RSVP here

#### Choose an eye-catching CTA button

Make your CTA visually prominent by placing it on a button. To instantly draw the eye of your visitors, opt for colors that make the button stand out from the rest of the content on the page.

#### Keep navigation to a minimum

Don't overwhelm your visitors with multiple navigation choices; you can miss converting users if you give them too many options. Instead, all points on your landing page should lead to the same place: your CTA.

#### Use powerful visuals

Grab your audience's attention with enticing and memorable visual elements, such as images and video.



# Embrace white space

While strategic visuals are key to a strong landing page, steer clear of packing in too many images, words, boxes, buttons, icons, clip art, videos and more. Leave plenty of breathing room around the elements on your page to make the content easy to read and digest.

#### Add social share buttons

Include social share buttons on your landing page to encourage visitors to spread the message. Share buttons give you additional exposure when people repost your page on their own social media feeds.

## Link to a contact form

In many cases - whether your goal is to capture leads, receive RSVPs to an event, or obtain subscribers - you'll want your landing page to link to a contact or sign-up form. Keep your form short and concise, and ask only for what you need: their name, email address, and perhaps their occupation or why they're interested in your business.

# Include a privacy policy

If you're asking visitors for personal information, include a brief privacy statement on either your landing page or accompanying sign up form. Reassure visitors that their contact details will remain confidential and that you won't be spamming their inboxes.

# Thank your visitors

Once visitors have completed your call-to-action, signed up or made a purchase, send automated thank you emails to each person who fulfills the desired action. Not only does this provide confirmation to users, but it is also a best practice for driving engagement, nurturing leads and building trust in your brand.

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