

# MAKING WEBSITES MAKE SENSE

FOR NON-TECHY HUMANS

*Hi! I'm Jessica Nakamura and I make web products. Let's break down some jargon and technical terms you need to know when working with a web developer.*

## What is a 'domain name' or URL?

A domain name (like *yourwebsite.com*) is your website's address — it's what people type in to find you online.

A URL is the full link to a specific page or section of your site.



## What is a 'registrar'?

A registrar is the service where you own your website's address (your domain name). The registrar keeps track of who owns which domain name and connects it to your hosting so people can find your site.

## MORE QUESTIONS?

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## What is a 'web page'?

A web page is one part of your website — like your homepage, about page, or contact page. Each individual page has its own sub-URL connected to your domain. Think of them like different rooms in the same house.

## What is 'hosting'?

Hosting is where your website lives on the internet — like renting space for your site so people can visit it anytime. Without hosting, no one can access your website.