

## 1: New Zealand Travel and New Zealand Business - The official website for New Zealand

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Sometimes it can be hard to keep track of what you need to do and when. This starting a business checklist includes the most important tasks to get you started. Planning, skills, resources, time and a little luck are all important. This list will guide you through the early stages of your business. Use it as a roadmap for building and running your new business. Get your new business up and running with our step checklist. Define your unique selling point You need a unique selling point USP. Try to sum it up in two sentences and memorise it. Think about trademarks too talk to your lawyer about this. Set up your business structure Choose a legal structure that works best for you. An accountant can help you here. Ensure that your business will eventually be profitable Can you make a profit from your business? Use accounting software to run profit and loss forecasts. Ask an accountant or financial advisor for their opinion. A credit card and PayPal account could be useful too. Arrange business insurance Even the smallest companies need insurance. Talk to a broker to find the best package for you. List the items that can be tax deductible expenses Office rent, equipment costs, internet costs all of these may be offset against tax so make sure you talk to your accountant. You can always refresh and improve your site at a later date. Create social network accounts Different businesses have different social media needs. You might need a Facebook page and a LinkedIn profile or you may only need a Twitter account. Do some research on competitors or ask your mentor to see what will work for your business. Look at companies that you aspire to be like for inspiration. Ask people to promote you online Contact members of your social networks. Tell them about your new business and ask them to share the link to your website with the people in their networks. Think about whether you need laptops, tablets, smartphones or all of these. Choose your business applications Software is getting more powerful and intuitive. If possible, choose online applications for your work. That way you can access your valuable data online from anywhere at any time. Keep your data safe Companies that lose data also lose business. Use cloud-based software for peace of mind. Get the ultimate guide to starting a business Accountants, bookkeepers and business advisors have helped us put together a complete guide on starting a business. Check out How to start a business. Keep challenging yourself Successful entrepreneurs keep going when other people would give up. That inner drive is what defines a successful business owner. Your attitude will help determine whether your business succeeds or fails. So keep going and the hard work will pay off. The steps in this starting a business checklist are all important. Only you can do that, with hard work, intelligent decisions and great employees. Stay nimble, be prepared for challenges and go for it! Get this checklist as PDF.

### 2: BusinessNZ - BusinessNZ

*The Small Business Book is the bestselling, hands-on guide to running your own business in New Zealand. This new edition is up-to-date, easy to understand and simple to use. If you are tempted to strike out on your own, this is the book that will help you decide if you've got the right stuff.*

If YES, here are 50 small business ideas and investment opportunities in New Zealand that you can start in Okay, having provided a detailed analysis of the legal requirements, market feasibility and every other thing it takes to start a business in New Zealand and a series of industry-specific sample business plan templates; here is an in-depth analysis of the top 50 best small business ideas in New Zealand. And since most of these businesses would require experts to help them settle down fast and connect well with consumers, there are opportunities for professionals that offer various services that help new businesses thrive. So, if you are a business consultant, or a marketer, or a business plan developer, and so on, you have a large market to serve in New Zealand. Recycling Wastes are inevitable, and this is true everywhere. From sewage and refuse to non-biodegradable wastes like plastic and glass. There is a dire need for waste recycling facilities in New Zealand, just as is the case in many other countries. If you have a solid background in waste management or recycling , opportunities await you in New Zealand. Agriculture One of the ever-thriving businesses, agriculture has always been a money-spinner in New Zealand. And with increasing awareness of the benefits of organic farming, there is booming demand for agricultural products developed organically. You can start a small farm and grow fruits and vegetables organically. You will make steady profit because there is always huge demand for these products as well as meat and dairy products. So, you may want to start rearing animals for their meat and milk, too. Tourism Annually, several thousands of tourists visit New Zealand on vacation. And this happens throughout the year. Investors can tap from the huge potential in the tourism sector by starting businesses that cater to tourists; with respect to hotels, home stays, transport services, tourist guide services, restaurants, etc. Healthcare equipment The healthcare sector in New Zealand keeps growing at a steady rate. But there now seems to be a shift in demand from healthcare services to healthcare devices, equipment, and machinery. So, if you have a background in healthcare, you can start a business that sells healthcare solutions such as medical equipment, medical software, devices for diagnosis, and so on. And you can render your services as well. Retail Retail stores sell everywhere, even in countries where there is still competition. To keep abreast of current trends, your store must offer e-commerce services that allow customers to place and receive their orders without leaving their locations. If you start a business that imports high quality technology devices, you will have a large market to cater to. Online marketing Because many businesses in New Zealand are using the web to hunt for customers, businesses need to up their game in order to win more customers than their competition. To achieve this goal, businesses are hiring the services of online marketing experts. If you are a copywriter, a web designer, an SEO expert, or some other online marketing expert, there are many opportunities for you in New Zealand. Processed foods and snacks:- As is the case in many other countries, New Zealand is a good market for processed foods and fruits as well as snacks. So, businesses that manufacture these foods or that import them would thrive well in the country. Maintenance services If you are a mechanical engineer, an electrical engineer, a plumbing expert, or some other professional, you can start a business that renders maintenance services. There is increasing demand for maintenance services in New Zealand as more individuals and businesses are now realizing that maintaining assets and facilities costs much less than repairing or replacing them. Fitness Centre It is often said that looking good is good business and this saying is true especially for residents of New Zealand. Looking good starts from having a fit body which is why people register in fitness centres to keep fit and stay healthy. If you have a flair for the fitness industry, you can start a fitness centre and make money from subscriptions that members would pay regularly. Plumbing Plumbing is an essential part of a home. You will know this if you have ever had a clogged pipe or maybe a leaking pipe. Plumbers are also one of the major building contractors because a house construction is not complete without plumbing. Another business you can start is in the financial sector. You can offer tax preparation and advisory services, financial management, business

consultancy , business plan preparation or help people source for business loans to start up new businesses.

**Uniform designs** You could design uniforms for schools, hospitals, factories and industries. This is a very worthwhile business in New Zealand. It is one way to make good money. However, you will need to acquire sewing skills that will help you leverage fully on the business.

**Child care Centre** If you love working with children, you can start a day care centre where people can drop off their children while they go off to work. If you are thinking of starting on a low-scale due to lack of funds, you can become a nanny or babysitter until you can afford to start your own child care centre.

**Recruitment Agency** Recruitment agencies offer a very essential service by linking the unemployed with those who need to employ. You can start your own home-based online recruitment agency. This is cheaper and easier to start as interviews and tests for jobs can now be conducted online.

**Gaming Bar** Residents of New Zealand love sports especially football and you will agree with me that watching football alone at home is boring. People prefer to watch their football where they can meet with other football fans, share their excitement and discuss details of the match.

**Construction** You can start a construction company and start helping people to bring their dream homes to a reality. However, you would need to have a degree in a construction related field like engineering or building technology to start such a business.

**Taxi Services** There is so much movement going on a daily basis in New Zealand. People going to work, kids going to school, people struggling to meet up with appointments and several other categories of people who need to be at one place or the other. The challenge is that not everybody owns a car. So you can help those who do not have cars to reach their destinations by starting a taxi service.

**Agriculture** Of course, residents of New Zealand need to eat. You can make money from investing in the agricultural sector and cultivating food crops for sale in the market or cash crops for export. All over the world, agriculture is known as a veritable way to make money because of the need for people to eat food that will nourish their bodies.

**Property Investment** The property market in Auckland is really booming. You can take advantage of this and invest in the real estate industry. Real estate will always be one of the smartest ways to make millions within a twinkle of an eye. If you think you have a passion for this trade then you may want to consider starting a property investment business.

**Become a business Coach** A lot of people are setting up businesses in New Zealand but so many people are scared of losing their investments. You can start helping people feel more confident about their investments by starting a business coaching service. You can organize business seminars, write books about how to be a smart investor and generally earn money from passing on business knowledge to other people.

**Real Estate Agent** -: If you are interested in the property industry in New Zealand but you cannot afford the capital, you can become a real estate agent and then when you have made enough money, you can become property developer yourself.

**Magazine Production** You can also start producing your own magazine. You can write on any niche you have a passion for like health, business, fashion or fitness. Do not just think you can start a magazine publishing business without being vast. One of the things that you can do to be vast is to read far and wide " especially other magazines.

**Car dealership** Another business you can start in New Zealand is to start selling cars. You may start a used car dealership or sell new cars depending on how much capital you can afford. Therefore, if you have a penchant for automobile, then you can look at starting a car dealership business.

**Dress making** Dress making is another booming business in New Zealand. You can also open a boutique for selling clothes and other fashion items. Be sure you learn the ropes before venturing into the trade.

**Social media** If you would prefer an online based business instead, you can become a social media owner. Social media platforms such as facebook, Twitter, what Sapp and what have you started really small. Today they are a force to reckon with. You too can join the league of social media moguls if you have the passion for it.

**Water Business** This is yet another lucrative business that you can start in New Zealand. Water business is in different categories, you can own a water refill station where people can come and purchase clean water or you can start making bottled table water for sale. You can first of all undertake some research so that you can be conversant with what you are going into.

**Waste disposal** Waste management is a money spinner these days. There are so many secondary uses of waste material other than dumping them somewhere to decay. Waste can be recycled or even used to make bio-fuel which is a popular alternative source of energy for cooking.

**Facility Management** Business resources like equipment, money and even human resources need to be properly managed and maintained regularly, so that they can be put to efficient

use. This is what facility managers do. They help to put resources to judicious use and help to prolong the useful life of equipment. There is increasing demand for facility managers all around the world and its one of the businesses you can start in New Zealand. Solar Energy Consultant As a solar consultant, you can basically conduct a home inspection and give clients a report on their solar options for their particular home and site. This can range from full-fledged general solar installations that generate electricity to simple solar walkway lighting. You might want to start by working in a solar products company to become knowledgeable in the solar energy field. However, to be a consultant, it is often best not to be affiliated with any one company or product and be able to recommend products and options across the field of solar energy. Tax Repairer Most tax preparation franchises offer courses, seminars, and training to get you ready to work for them. You will learn a lot about tax preparation while working for them before going out on your own. There is a lot of educational support out there to learn tax preparation and all its complexities.

### 3: The New Zealand small business guide (Book, ) [[www.enganchecubano.com](http://www.enganchecubano.com)]

*Get this from a library! The New Zealand small business guide. [Richard Higham; Sara Williams] -- This guide gives you all the necessary steps to start a successful business and offers help in determining course of action for you and your business.*

A practical GST guide for businesses

1. Registration The obligation to register for GST applies to both residents and non-residents who carry on taxable activities in New Zealand s 8
2. Any person must apply for GST registration within 21 days of becoming liable to register. Supplies of goods and services between the parent and branches are fully taxable. If a branch fails to file GST return, the parent body is responsible for liabilities incurred. Group registration is available where: All companies in the group are treated as a single entity for GST purpose. The transactions within the group are not subject to GST. A company should be chosen as the representative of the group. All taxable or non-taxable supplies made by members are deemed to be made by the representative, so is input tax. Copies of all records issued by the registered person must be kept in New Zealand for at least seven years after the end of the tax period to which they relate. Tax Invoice Tax invoices are different from ordinary invoices. Tax invoices contain all prescribed particulars. It must also have either: It must clearly show: However, it is best practice to keep records for these purchases, such as invoices, vouchers or receipts. At a minimum, record the date, description, cost and supplier of all purchases. A supplier can only issue one original tax invoice. It is an offence to issued more than one original. Smaller operations may adopt a six-monthly return period. Persons are eligible if, at the end of any month, the total value of taxable supplies excluding GST: Returns have to be filed, generally, by the 28th day of the month following the end of the taxable period. Two exceptions applies, first, the due date for taxable period ends on 30 November is 15 January. Second, the due date for taxable period ends on 31 March is 7 May. There is a due date calendar available on IRD website. The due date carries over to the next working day if it falls on a weekend or public holiday. The omission of an input tax claim can usually be rectified by including the claim in the next GST return. Deregistration Registration ceases when s The cancellation is optimal under this situation. Cancellation takes effect from the last day of the taxable period in which the application is processed. A person who ceases to be registered for GST has the following obligations: The person must finish a final GST return covering the period from the beginning of the final taxable period up to the date of deregistration. The person must pay off any GST payable. All records must be kept for at least seven years s These rules require associated persons to deal with each other at market value and not manipulate the price between them to obtain a GST advantage s 10
3. Likewise, the time of supply for associated persons is determined when the goods are supplied by a registered person from an associate normally it is determined at the time when the payment is made or an invoice is issued. The amount of any input tax credit that may only be claimed is limited to the amount of GST paid by the associated person.

### 4: Human Resources - Wolters Kluwer New Zealand

*This title provides up-to-date information on running a small business in the contemporary environment. Comprehensive coverage includes topics such as financial accounts and how to read them, financial exporting, troubleshooting and recovery actions for a small business in trouble.*

### 5: Welcome to New Zealand | Official site for Tourism New Zealand

*50 Best Small Business ideas in New Zealand for Business solutions Following the global awareness that New Zealand is a very good place to do business in, new businesses; especially those owned by foreigners, are springing up in the country.*

### 6: For Māori business | Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment

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### 7: Starting a Business Checklist | Small Business Guide | Xero NZ

*Get this from a library! The Small Business Book: a New Zealand guide for the 21st century.. [Leith Oliver; John W English] -- Completely revised and updated edition of the bestselling guide to starting, managing, and expanding a small business in New Zealand.*

### 8: A practical GST guide for small business in New Zealand

*Read our small business guides for tips, tricks, and essentials on cloud accounting, invoicing, online bookkeeping, payroll, online business tools & more. You're on the site Region: Global Australia Canada Global Hong Kong Indonesia Ireland Malaysia New Zealand Philippines Singapore South Africa United Kingdom United States Close.*

### 9: New Zealand Small Business Guide: RICHARD HIGHAM: [www.enganchecubano.com](http://www.enganchecubano.com): Books

*The New Zealand Business Number (NZBN) is a unique identifier for your business. Your NZBN links to the information others need in order to work with you, like a trading name, phone number or email.*

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