Your boutique launch checklist

As you prepare to bring your online boutique to life, use this checklist to ensure you've covered all the essential elements.



Research & planning

- Define your boutique niche and target customer
- Research competitors and market demand



- Create a business plan with financial projections
- Develop your brand identity (name, logo and colors)



Establishing a legal foundation



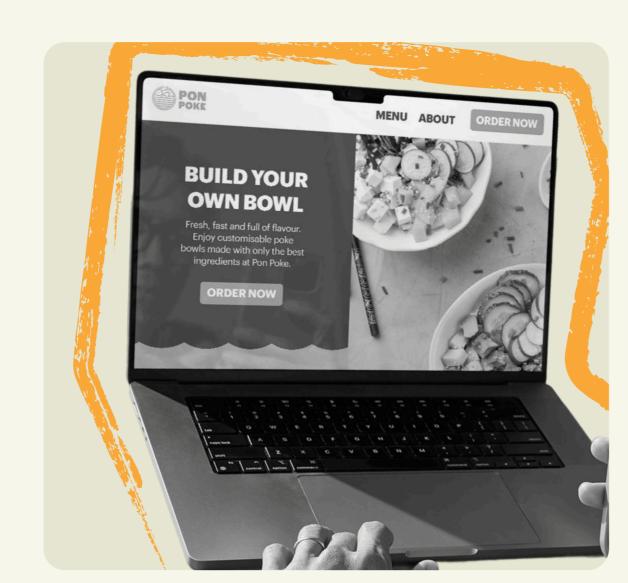
- Register your business name and entity
- Obtain necessary licenses and permits



- Set up a business bank account
- Secure business insurance
- Create terms of service and privacy policies

Setting up your online store

- Select and purchase a domain name
- Choose an e-commerce platform

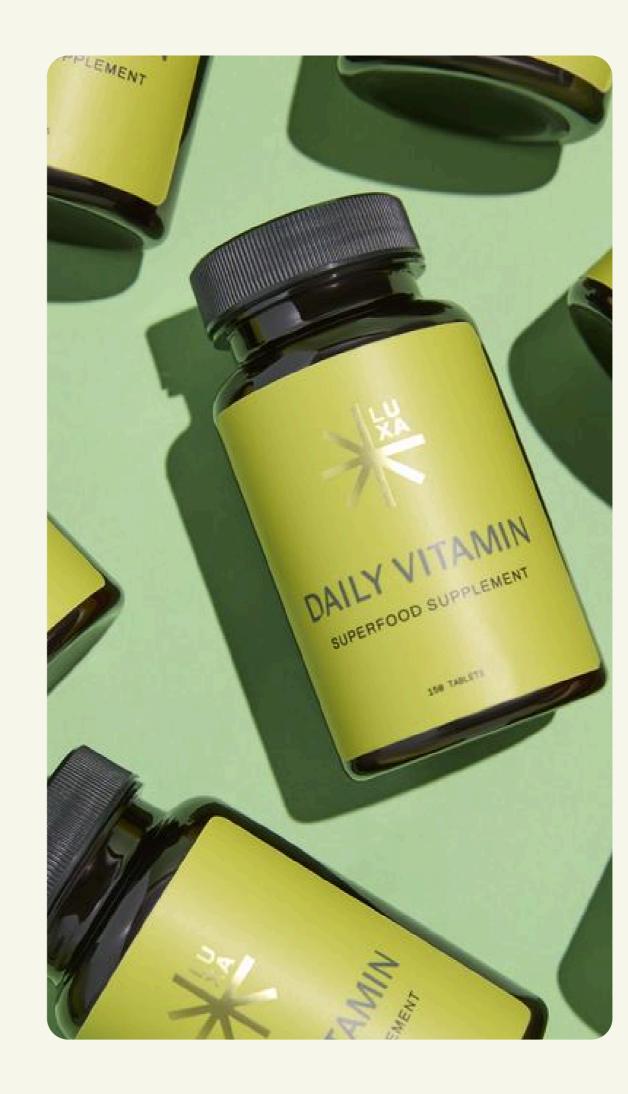


- Build and design a website
- Set up payment processing
- Configure shipping options
- Create product categories and collections



Sourcing products

- Identify and vet suppliers
- Order samples and check quality
- Place an initial inventory order
- Create product descriptions and specifications



- Professionally photograph products
- Set up an inventory management system

Marketing preparation



- Create a social media business account
- Develop a content calendar
- Set up an email marketing platform
- Create a launch marketing strategy
- Prepare an announcement for your network and potential customers



Prepare & polish for launch

Test your website functionality across devices



- Verify checkout process works properly
- Confirm email notifications are working
- Have friends and family test the full shopping experience



Double-check all links and navigation