

How To _____

Register Your Craft Business



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1. Choose a Business Name and Check Availability

The first step in registering your craft business is choosing a name that accurately represents your brand. Once you've confirmed that the name is available, you can proceed with registering your business.

2. Choose a Business Entity

The next step is to choose a business entity, which will determine how your business is taxed and regulated. There are several options to choose from, including sole proprietorship, partnership, LLC, and corporation.

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3. Obtain a Federal Tax ID Number

Once you've chosen your business entity, you'll need to obtain a federal tax ID number, also known as an Employer Identification Number (EIN).

4. Register Your Business with the State

In most cases, you'll also need to register your business with the state in which you operate. This involves filing articles of incorporation or organization and paying a registration fee.

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5. Open a Business Bank Account

Once your business is registered, you should open a separate bank account for your business transactions. This will help you keep your personal and business finances separate, which is important for tax purposes and liability protection.