

Parent Blogging Success Checklist

A simple roadmap to build a parent blog that fits real family life

1. Getting Started

- Choose your blog niche (what you'll focus on)
- Pick a blog name that feels like your family brand
- Set up WordPress site (Wealthy Affiliate or Bluehost)
- Install a clean mobile-friendly theme like Blocksy or GeneratePress

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2. Find Your Voice & Audience

- Define who you're writing for (your ideal reader)
- Write down 3 parenting topics you're most passionate about
- Read other parent blogs for inspiration and gaps

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3. Set Up Your Blogging Tools

• Create a free Canva account for graphics

- Use Grammarly or Google Docs for proofreading
- Use Trello or Google Sheets for planning content
- Bookmark your Wealthy Affiliate dashboard for training and keyword tools

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4. Build a Routine That Fits Family Life

- Decide your blog hours (realistic time slots each week)
- Batch tasks: writing, graphics, and scheduling
- Create a simple content calendar

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5. Write Helpful, Honest Content

- Write like you're talking to a friend
- Solve one problem per post
- Include real stories or examples

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6. Make Your Blog Search-Friendly

- Add keywords to title, intro, and meta description
- Use headings (H2, H3s) for readability
- Submit your site to Google Search Console

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7. Share Your Blog

- Create 2-3 Pinterest pins per post
- Share posts in Facebook groups for parents
- Start building your email list (<u>Kit</u>)

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8. Make Time Like a Pro

• Use Trello or ClickUp to track progress

- Set weekly goals (1 post, 1 update, 1 share)
- Take breaks when family need you

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9. Monetise the Family-Friendly Way

- Add affiliate links to products you use
- Create printables or mini-courses
- Be transparent and helpful with recommendations

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10. Choose Trusted Affiliate Programs

- Sign up for Amazon Associates, Canva, or Tailwind
- Try Wealthy Affiliate for hands-on affiliate training
- Keep offers relevant to parent readers

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11. Grow and Track Progress

- Review Google Analytics weekly
- Update top posts every few months
- Celebrate milestones traffic, comments, first sale!

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