

Looking to make extra cash? The Internet offers a variety of ways to boost your income.

You don't need millions of YouTube subscribers or Instagram followers to make real money online. Here are three strategies for pointing and clicking your way to some extra income.



1 **SELL YOUR STUFF ONLINE**

Listing your items for sale online is an easy way to declutter and make some cash at the same time. Consider online marketplaces, auction sites and buy-back sites for electronics, textbooks, movies, games and designer clothing.

TIME & EFFORT

MINIMAL

Mail in old electronics

MEDIUM

List old stuff for sale

MAXIMUM

Buy and resell garage sale and thrift store treasures

TIP Stick to trusted, well-known websites to avoid scams



2 **SELL YOUR SKILLS ONLINE**

Put your skills to work online. Consider selling your creative work on your own website or through an established marketplace, or look to get paid for your extra hours by doing freelance work for businesses in need of your talents.

TIME & EFFORT

MINIMAL

List your photos on stock websites

Convert your essays and short stories into e-books

MEDIUM

List your freelance services on talent marketplaces to find clients and land gigs

MAXIMUM

Create and sell a course in your area of expertise

TIP Always get a deposit before doing any kind of custom work online



3 **SELL YOUR FEEDBACK ONLINE**

If you have some extra time here and there, selling your feedback is another way to earn some extra money online.

Options include taking surveys, critiquing videos or advertisements, writing product reviews, recording video testimonials, and user-testing websites and apps.

TIME & EFFORT

MINIMAL

Take surveys or do other digital tasks

MEDIUM

Test websites or apps

MAXIMUM

Use your smartphone skills to create video testimonials and product reviews

TIP Look for feedback opportunities that match your personal interests

SET MONEY ASIDE FOR TAXES

Remember, no matter the source, additional income must be declared on your tax return



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