

**OPTIMIZED
WORKFLOW
BUNDLE**

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Daily Task Prioritization Checklist

1. PINPOINT YOUR TOP TASKS

- Think about what absolutely needs to get done today. What will move the needle on your projects or goals? Those are your top three priorities.
- Consider urgency, importance, and how each task fits into the big picture of what you're trying to achieve.

2. TIME BLOCKING

- Once you've nailed down your top three tasks, it's time to block out some time for them in your calendar.
- Set aside dedicated chunks of time where you can focus solely on each priority without distractions.

Protect these time blocks like your productivity depends on it, because it does!

3. ESTIMATE COMPLETION TIME

- Be realistic about how long each task will take to complete.
- Consider the complexity of the task, the resources you'll need, and any potential roadblocks.

It's better to overestimate and finish early than to underestimate and feel rushed.

4. SPOT DELEGATION OPPORTUNITIES

- Look at your task list, is there anything that could be handed off to a teammate or outsourced? Delegate based on each team member's strengths, workload, and availability.

Remember, you don't have to do it all yourself!

5. CHECK OFF AND REFLECT

- As you work through your tasks, check them off to track progress.
- Reflect at day's end: Did you manage time well? Any areas to improve task prioritization?

6. IMPROVE

- Evaluate the effectiveness of your time blocking, task estimation, and delegation decisions.
- Make adjustments to your task prioritization approach as needed to optimize productivity and goal attainment.





Communication Coordination Checklist

1. MEETING AGENDA AND PREPARATION

- Circulate a clear agenda before meetings and share relevant materials.
- Ensure everyone knows what to expect and comes prepared to contribute.
- Keep meetings focused and productive by sticking to the agenda.

2. COMMUNICATION CHANNELS

- Choose the most efficient channel
- Use email for formal communication, Slack for quick updates, and calls for urgent matters.
- Clarify expectations reg. response times for each channel

3. ACTION ITEMS AND FOLLOW-UP

- Assign action items clearly, including deadlines and responsibilities.
- Follow up on progress regularly to ensure tasks stay on track.
- Hold team members accountable for their commitments and provide support as needed.

4. DOCUMENTATION AND KNOWLEDGE SHARING

- Document key decisions, discussions, and action items after meetings.
- Share meeting notes and relevant information with team members to maintain transparency.
- Avoid repetitive explanations.

5. AVAILABILITY COMMUNICATION

- Set clear communication boundaries.
- Update your status on communication platforms to indicate when you're available or unavailable.
- Respect colleagues' boundaries and avoid unnecessary interruptions during focused work time.

6. FEEDBACK AND IMPROVEMENT

- Solicit feedback from team members.
- Continuously evaluate and adjust communication strategies to improve collaboration and efficiency.
- Encourage open communication and address issues promptly to foster a positive team environment.



TIPS & TRICKS *for productivity*



Use Tools to Keep Track of Tasks: Try using apps like Trello or Asana to organize your assignments, due dates, and team projects. It's like having a digital to-do list that helps you stay on top of everything you need to do.



Manage Time Effectively: Ever heard of the Pomodoro Technique? It's a cool way to work for 25 minutes, then take a short break. It helps you stay focused and avoid getting tired out when you're working on stuff.



Talk and Write Clearly: When you're talking or writing, try to get straight to the point without rambling on. It saves time for everyone and makes sure your message gets across loud and clear.



Let Machines Do the Boring Stuff: Use tools that can do repetitive tasks for you, like setting up emails or posting on social media. It frees up your time for more fun and important things.



Keep Learning New Stuff: Check out online courses, podcasts, or articles to learn new things that can help you with your schoolwork or hobbies. It's like having a whole world of knowledge at your fingertips!



Share the Workload with Your Team: If you have too much to do, see if you can pass some tasks to your teammates who are good at them. It makes things easier for everyone and helps get stuff done faster.



Know When to Say No: If you're already swamped with work, don't be afraid to say no to more tasks politely. Let people know you have enough on your plate and suggest other ways to get things done.



Keep Your Goals Realistic: Be honest about what you can get done in a day and focus on the most important stuff first. Remember, it's okay if you can't finish everything—just do your best!



Celebrate Your Wins: Take a minute to pat yourself on the back when you finish something, even if it's small. It feels good to recognize your hard work and makes you want to keep going.



Take Care of Yourself: Don't forget to take breaks and look after yourself when you're working hard. Taking care of your body and mind helps you stay focused and do your best work in the long run.

YOUR NOTES:



AFTERWORD...

Thank you for downloading "New at Startup: Survival Guide." It will definitely help you cope with the overwhelming excitement and balance your expectations.

If you're facing challenges with

- stress,
- communication,
- motivation,
- creativity, or
- burnout,

remember that I offer 1:1 and team coaching sessions to provide personalized support and guidance. Feel free to reach out anytime for assistance.

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