

# Work At Home Entrepreneur - So You Fancy Being The Boss Of Your Own Business

**Starting your own business** may seem like an unreachable dream to some but in all reality it actually doesn't have to be. Obviously there are millions of **work at home entrepreneurs** who fancy **being the boss of their own business**. Taking responsible for their own achievements they diligently go about the job of making their own dreams become reality.

For some this readily falls into a natural pattern of things and a set routine, while for others there can be much frustration, pain and disappointment. Interestingly though, many of the matters that provide difficulty for one and yet contentment for others are basically common factors being managed totally differently, so often resulting in entirely different outcomes.

The often crucial variant in results is simply based initially on an 'internal belief' and a willingness to think details. This has nothing to do with your earlier education or your personal financial situation, But is premised on you holding some key thought processes and beliefs about yourself before you decide to take the plunge and attempt to become the master of your own business destiny.

As a first step before any serious undertaking, you really should be asking yourself at the very least the following questions:

1. Do I REALLY believe I have it in me to take a grip on, and be responsible for, my own commercial life?
2. Can I carry my drive into a) first taking the time to at least investigate all the options, b) test and uncover what really interests me, c) uncover my true purpose and motives, d) develop at least a pencil-plan of what equipment and facilities I will NEED (not ideally want, because many services and equipment are available elsewhere)?
3. Can I provide a predetermined and set number of specific hours per week to take care of the obvious steps that will at least move matters forward...crucially, one-step-at-a-time?
4. a) Do I have or can I hire or learn the necessary skills to run my own commercial life?  
B) Will I listen and learn
5. a) Do I believe in myself enough to step up to the plate and do it? B) Am I prepared to firmly stick with this decision?

If you answered yes to at least three out of the five core question-sets above, I would contend that you probably have a good chance at making a go of **starting your own business**, and definitely more so IF prepared to pay REAL attention to the ones you were iffy about. Be prepared to commit or don't begin until ready to. DO NOT launch into things prematurely.

While being a **work at home entrepreneur** may seem like an easy task to some, let

me assure you that it often is not, and the old axiom of “nothing comes for free”, applies here. However, if you make the time and effort to hang back on your natural impatience and establish PRE-STARTING steps that you adhere to, your chances of survival can increase dramatically. Yes, you will certainly have to put in work, and likely more in the initial stages, but then if you plan start or growth too early the concept changes (more on that through my link perhaps) but you will certainly gain pleasure in the knowledge that ALL your hard work can ultimately benefit your entire family in the long run and give you the pride in the accomplishment.

If you accept these words of experience that it will be your PLANNED steps that will reward you most, you can win much.

Being the boss of **your own business** will also mean that you will be solely responsible for all the important decisions that take place within your business but again, while it might initially be that some decisions are wrong and only some right, you'll find that in time this 'error ratio' will fade away substantially. Owning **your own business** does allow you to be wrong or right and to wear the consequences but don't practice the errors too hard. Instead of someone else deciding for you, you will soon learn to 'pre-empt' the next decision and with experience be ahead of it.

There are many pros and cons for **starting a business** or **not starting a business** but in the main, if the business subject or product is something you hold a natural interest in, in all honesty, the good points will always outweigh the bad.

The first step in your journey to **being an entrepreneur** and **starting a business** of your own is to ensure you dig out all the information you can uncover, get your business education a little polished up and if at all possible, find yourself a mentor.

When I say 'business education' I am NOT proposing a business course (although if this appears important to you, do it by all means) on tax, formalities, laws and rules, I'm meaning for you to begin the understanding of the entire buying, making, processing, selling commercial merry-go-round. These are the important things that make money. The other stuff costs money and time and are best left to those with that focus and skill.

Remember your goal. **You fancy being boss of your own business** so you can be in charge, drive it forward and make money. You do not need to learn how to spend money for no return (laws and taxes), so you aim to learn how to make it. Others will cause you to spend it readily enough.

**Business education** can be readily acquired from your local library and many government and **small business startup** organizations. There is a lot of general focus free information readily available to any that ask, as well as avenues where you might locate an appropriate **business mentor** or **business advisor**. I would ask that all these 'average' resources are considered deeply as for many years the official statistics for business failure rates have remained extremely high without being addressed. Most of the reasons for statistical failure are mainly quite obvious and readily prevented or reduced. They simply require addressing, which is what I have done.

In both instances you will begin your climb to the dizzying heights of a **successful**

**business person**, by allocating some regular time and effort for your greater subject education and analysis of at least past-weekly results and activities. It will take a little time to learn through real world trial and error but with the right information based about experience it can all be so easily formalised into a success strategy.

Make your dream a reality today by taking the first step to **finding the right advisor** and the right education and you will be well on your way toward being an **entrepreneurial success story**.

Something to consider:

If you go about your life believing deep down that you are not worthy to be where you're aiming, or that you will probably not succeed, the great contradiction in life is that you will succeed.

**You will indeed succeed in your deep belief that you will fail!**

Think about it.

It is not what you want that will come to be, but what you truly believe you can achieve, that comes about.

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