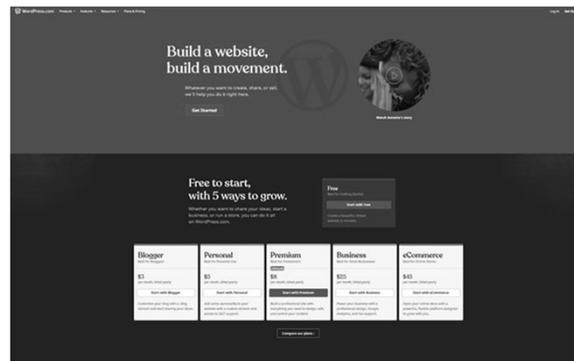


## CREATING A WORDPRESS ACCOUNT TO BEGIN THE DEVELOPMENT OF YOUR PROFESSIONAL WEB SITE

Log in to <https://wordpress.com>  
Click on Get Started.



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Step One: Create a Free Account.  
This is the first of seven steps.

A screenshot of the WordPress.com account creation form. The form is titled "Let's get started." and includes the following fields: "Your email address", "Choose a username", and "Choose a password". Below these fields is a checkbox for "By creating an account via any of the options below, you agree to our Terms of Service." and a "Create your account" button. At the bottom, there is a section for "Or connect your existing profile to get started faster." with a "Continue with Google" button. A link for "Already have a WordPress.com account? Log in now." is also visible.

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Step Two: Select a site type.

Start with a site type

- Blog**  
Share and discuss ideas, updates, or creations.
- Business**  
Promote products and services.
- Professional**  
Showcase your portfolio and work.
- Education**  
Share school projects and class info.
- Online store**  
Sell your collection of products online.

Continue

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Step Three: Describe your site.

This is what you see when you create a blog

Tell us about your website

Q e.g. Fashion, travel, design, plumbing Continue

This is what you see when you create a business site.

Tell us about your business

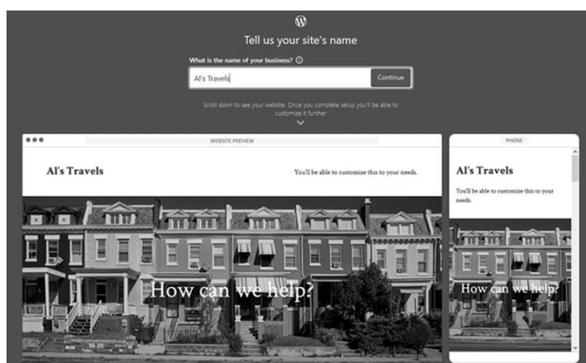
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Step Four: Create your site name.

Below is a screen shot for the business site name prompt.



Below is a screen  
shot for a blog site  
name prompt.

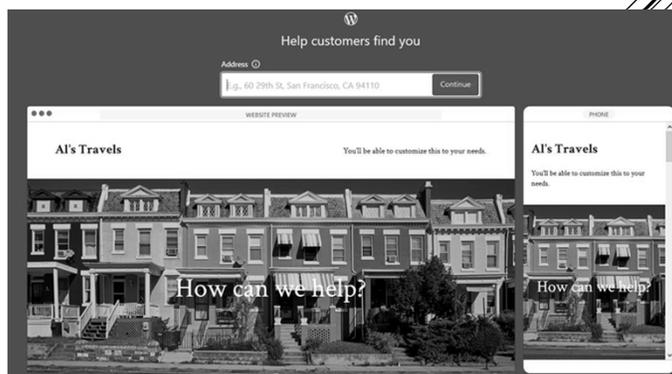


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Step Five: Create site address.

Below is a screen shot for the business site address prompt.

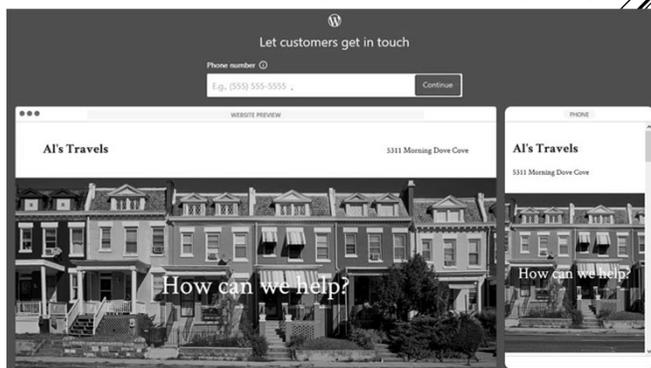


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Step Six: Add site phone number.

Below is a screen shot for the business site phone number prompt.



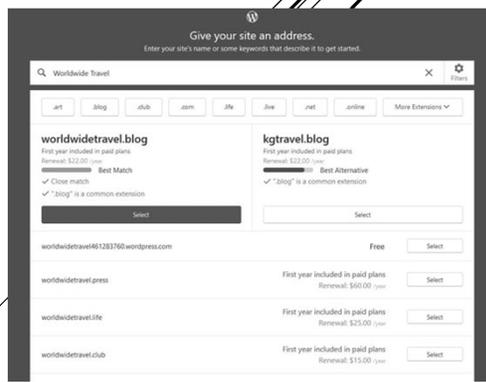
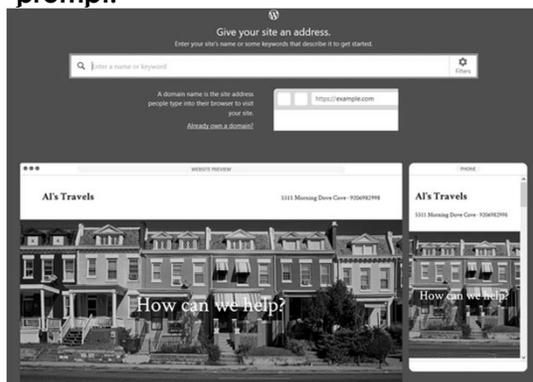
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Step Seven: Add site name or some keywords that describe your site.

Below is a screen shot for the business site address prompt.

Your response gives suggested domain names and prices.



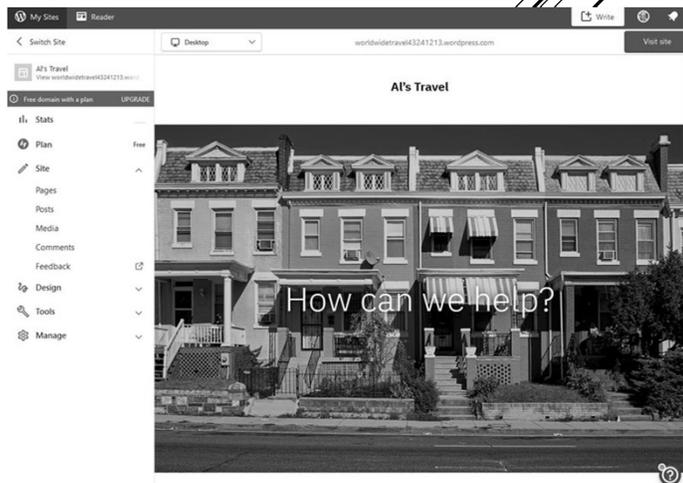
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WordPress.com Dashboard: After completing the seven step process,  
your WordPress.com dashboard is created.

The Dashboard is where you  
will control the design and  
development of your website.

The dropdowns in the left column  
are where you can edit the features  
of your website.



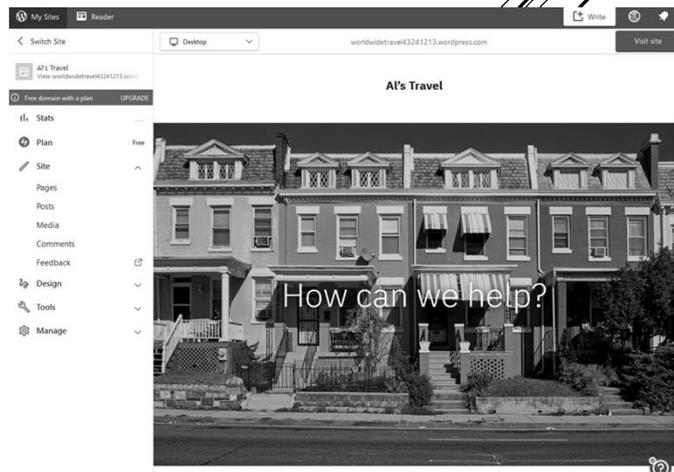
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WordPress.com Dashboard

About Your WordPress.com Account:

- It is a free account with a long activation time.
- Multiple web sites can be created.
- Additional features can be purchased.



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