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# **Etsy E commerce Course Outline**

## Module 1: Introduction to Etsy & Getting Started

- What is Etsy and who it's for handmade, vintage, custom goods, and craft sellers
- Real-life example: A jewelry artist opening a successful Etsy store
- Creating your Etsy seller account and understanding the Etsy dashboard
- Etsy fees and policies every seller must know
- Activity: Create your own Etsy shop name and logo

#### **Module 2: Creating and Listing Products**

- What makes a great Etsy product listing
- Real-life example: Listing a handmade soap with variations like scent and size
- Writing product titles, descriptions, tags, and pricing effectively
- Uploading attractive product photos and managing inventory
- Activity: Create and publish your first product listing

# **Module 3: Designing Your Etsy Storefront**

- How to design a shop that feels professional and trustworthy
- Real-life example: A digital artist designing their shop to match their brand
- Adding a shop banner, logo, about section, and store policies
- Creating a cohesive shop aesthetic with branding tips
- Activity: Customize your shop design and fill out your "About" section

## **Module 4: Order Management and Customer Service**

- What happens when a customer places an order
- Real-life example: Fulfilling a custom T-shirt order smoothly

- Managing orders, processing refunds, and shipping items efficiently
- Writing clear and friendly messages to customers
- Activity: Simulate a customer inquiry and write a professional reply

#### **Module 5: Etsy SEO – Getting Found in Search**

- What is Etsy SEO and why it matters
- Real-life example: A candle seller optimizing listings to appear in search results
- Using keywords in titles, tags, and descriptions
- Tools for keyword research (Etsy Rank, Marmalead)
- Activity: Research and apply strong keywords to a product listing

## **Module 6: Marketing Your Etsy Shop**

- How to promote your products outside of Etsy
- Real-life example: Using Instagram to drive traffic to an Etsy art store
- Creating sales and promotions with Etsy marketing tools
- Running Etsy Ads and using social media to boost visibility
- Activity: Create a promotional image for your product and plan a simple ad

### **Module 7: Analytics and Shop Improvement**

- Using Etsy Stats to track traffic, views, and sales
- Real-life example: Improving a listing after analyzing visitor behavior
- Understanding conversion rate and customer reviews
- Using customer feedback to improve product offerings
- Activity: Analyze a sample shop's stats and suggest improvements

# **Module 8: Final Project – Launch Your Etsy Shop**

- Put everything together: branding, product listings, SEO, marketing, and policies
- Launch your store and test the buying experience
- Get peer feedback on your shop presentation
- Activity: Present your Etsy shop idea and showcase your product lineup

#### **Bonus Materials**

- Etsy SEO checklist

- Product photography tips and templates
  Customer message templates and refund policy examples
  Printable planning sheets for product launches and promotions
- Certificate of Completion for Etsy E-commerce Essentials