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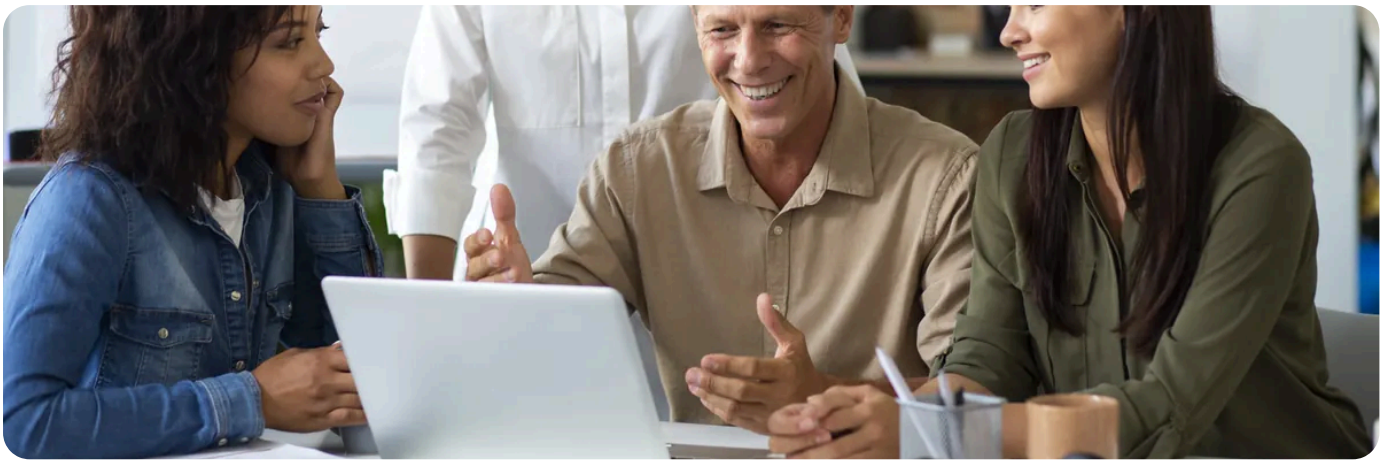
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You don't have to download WordPress, create a database and upload files by hand. The installer in cPanel does all of it in a couple of minutes.

Installing

1. In cPanel, look for **Softaculous Apps Installer** (or the WordPress icon) and open it.
2. Click **Install** on WordPress.
3. Choose the domain, and **leave the directory field empty** if you want the site at the root (*yourdomain.co.mz*) rather than in a subfolder.
4. Set the site name, and above all the **admin user and a strong password** - never leave the suggested "admin".
5. Install. In a minute or two you'll get the site address and the administration address (*/wp-admin*).

Right after installing

1. Delete themes and plugins you won't use. Unused code is still a way in - see **how sites get compromised**.
2. Check the site opens over HTTPS. The free certificate is automatic, and you can force it - see **how to redirect HTTP to HTTPS**.

3 Keep WordPress, themes and plugins updated. This is the single biggest factor in whether a site gets hacked.

Installing over an existing site erases it.

If you already have a site in that folder, the installer overwrites it. Take a backup first - see **how to restore your data**.

Prefer a different application?

The same installer offers Joomla, PrestaShop, Moodle and dozens of others, with the same one-click process.

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Installed it but the site doesn't open? We'll take a look.

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