

Rands with Sense



How To Choose Which Talents to Use to Get Extra Income

- Firstly, you must know that it is not about one talent being better than the other, but **about the need your talent can fulfil**.
- Step one is to **look around you**. Go out into your neighbourhood or city, do some research online and see if you can identify a need or a problem in your community. Start thinking about ways in which that problem can be solved and see what you can come up with.
- **Think simple, and make lists** of your ideas. You might come up with a solution that is completely viable.
- **Keep your ears open, and use your resources**. Perhaps you are good with making things, and you hear of someone who wants to sell a broken piece of furniture. You can buy it at a low cost, use your skills to fix and upscale it, and sell it for profit. You can then use your profit to buy off-cut wood pieces and other materials and make your very own furniture.
- Identify your skills, and make a list of ways you can use them to earn extra income.
- And remember the golden rule: **keep track of your finances**. You can only have financial stability if you can clearly identify how your cash flow is managed.

