



***Need An Idea
for your New Bedford
Channel 95 tv show?***



IDEA FACTORY

25 TV SHOW
IDEAS and how to
get started





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1. Community TV Shows

- a. Film neighborhood meetings and events
- b. Spotlight interesting local people and talk about their life journey and / or hobby
- c. Spotlight neighborhood small business owners on aspects of their business (non-commercial)

2. Lifestyle Shows

- a. Cooking or baking: Show viewers how to make recipes of all kinds.
- b. Fashion / Style: demonstrate coordinating clothing, styling hair, nails, applying make-up, etc.

3. Talk Shows

- a. Find or become a host & interview varied guests about their lives, talents, or other topics.

4. Art Shows

- a. Painting, Drawing, Sculpting: a “how to” program or showcase for your talent or other people’s
- b. Arts & Crafts: knitting, crocheting, making decorations, projects for kids and /or adults, etc.
- c. Dance: Use non-copyright music (we can show you where to find it for free) and show off dancing skills - modern, tap, jazz, ballet, hip-hop, country-line dancing, free-style, etc.
- d. Music: Showcase your original music and lyrics. Sing, Rap, Yodel, Play an Instrument

5. DIY (Do-It-Yourself) Shows

- a. Home Improvement “How To”: Restoring old furniture, building items like bookcases or benches, wall-papering, painting, remodeling, decorating, de-cluttering, organizing, etc.
- b. “How to” shows of all kinds. Anything you can do, you can teach and make a show out of it

6. Sports Shows

- a. Interview local athletes, teams, coaches, players of local leagues. Film actual games.
 - b. Film a panel discussion of current professional sports
- Focus on many sports, or just one. Sports with teams (like baseball, hockey, football, basketball, etc) or with singular athletes (like karate, skiing, golf, etc.)

7. Acting, Scripted or Improv Shows

- a. Write and produce a Sitcom or Drama or Skit show or Monologue scene
- b. Perform Stand-Up Comedy

8. Game Show

- a. Come up with a theme (like Sports, TV, or Music Trivia) and have contestants compete.

9. Hobby Show

- a. Share all facets of your hobby / interests. Whether it's building model cars, boats or planes, stamp collecting, gardening, designing websites, reading, or anything else

10. Travel Show

- a. Record and explore places around New Bedford like landmarks, parks or interesting places.
- b. Use video & pictures taken on your travels anywhere in the world & add narration and music.

11. Inspirational Show

- a. Interview people who have overcome adversity or who have achieved happiness in their daily lives, or people you admire / look up to & explore their experiences, thoughts and journeys.
- b. Interview people from different generations and ask their thoughts on events--serious or fun.

12. Real Estate Show

- a. Talk about information every buyer and / or seller should know. Where to start when looking to buy or sell, how to stage your home, what to expect in the current market, etc.

13. Wellness Show

- a. Simple fitness exercises people can follow.
- b. Meditation, Mindfulness, Yoga, etc.
- c. How to improve mental health.
- d. Nutrition: How to get all of your vitamins and nutrients, healthy eating tips and recipes.

14. Religious Show

- a. Film services or record messages of faith, etc.

15. Nature Shows

- a. From parks, to gardens to beaches- inform & delight viewers with info about the environment

16. History Show

- a. Spotlight local, regional, national or global history topics from people to places to things.

17. Non-Profit / Organization Show

- a. Spotlight the good work of a local non-profit, their leaders, staff, mission and messages

18. Documentary

- a. Find a subject (person, place or thing) and take a deep and close look and tell their story

19. Current Events Show

- a. Provide commentary or get a few friends together for a discussion on current events

20. Review Show

- a. Review restaurants, books, movies, tv shows, etc.

21. Writing Show

- a. Talk with authors about their books
- b. Talk with authors, journalists, etc. for tips on story-telling, dealing with writers block, etc.

22. Create A Character and Host segments for Public Domain movie

- a. Create a character (costume, script etc.) and film segments as that character to run in-between segments of public domain movies. Examples: A silly monster who introduces and comments on scary movies or Mr./Ms. MovieWatcher who introduces any movie. Or just be yourself and introduce and comment on public domain movies.

23. Financial Show

- a. Host or Find a Host with knowledge of money matters for discussion on budgeting, building credit, saving, stock market, etc.

24. Shorts

- a. Public Access Ch. 95 also airs short form videos for example: Music Videos or Short Movies

25. Public Service Announcement

- a. These short form videos focus specifically on announcements of interest to the general public or specific groups. Examples:

HOW TO GET STARTED

1. Write down a simple paragraph or two explaining what your show will be about.
2. Write a brief paragraph on what you'd like the viewer to take away from your tv show / video. Do you want to inform them? Entertain them? Inspire them? Make them laugh? Make them think? A combination of things? Etc.
3. Write down ideas for 3 episodes / videos

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