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CHECKLIST

Choosing your first programming language

- [ ] Write down three specific projects you want to build
- [ ] Identify which domain each project belongs to
- [ ] Search for beginner tutorials in each domain and note which languages appear
- [ ] Check that the language has clear documentation and an active community
- [ ] Install your top candidate and follow a simple tutorial
- [ ] Write a tiny program and run it to see how the workflow feels
- [ ] Choose the language where the first hour felt least frustrating
- [ ] Set aside regular short blocks of time to write and test code