CHAPTER THREE CHECKLIST - TEMPLATES AND IMAGES

	Is your website mobile-friendly? View it on a mobile phone if you are unsure. Your email
	messages will be geared toward mobile, and your site should be ready to receive those visitors
	too.
	Go through available template on your chosen ESP. Choose several in a single-column format to
	try.
	Review your ESP's video or written tutorial on how to create an email.
	Upload your logo into the ESP library.
	Upload a header (branded to match you art website) into the ESP library.
	Choose font style and size to match branding.
	Upload art images, studio images and others to be used in emails into your ESP library.
	Make sure all photos have been labeled with Alt-tags.
	Create a sample email, with heading, title, images and content blocks.
	Experiment with colors to create a branded look, and optimized for easy reading on mobile
	phones.
	Send a sample email to yourself, and view on a mobile phone with images "turned off". Make
	any needed adjustments
	Create a sample email using a caption under photos. Send sample to yourself on mobile with
	images "turned off" to view what readers will see.
	Experiment with various templates to find one that you like and feel you can work with given
	the variety of emails that you will be sending to your list.
	If you do not feel your website is properly branded, you will need to work on putting together
	signature colors, a logo and header that portray a recognizable brand for your art business.
	If you work with a webmaster or graphic designer on your art website, ask them for font names,
	sizes, and specific colors.
	Having difficulties? Call your ESP provider tech support to go through every step where you
	need help.

This is foundational work on your email marketing program. Once set in place, you can use your templates over and over. This helps to make subsequent email creation effortless.