

FHA Loans, Explained Simply

The flexible path to homeownership with just 3.5% down.

WHAT AN FHA LOAN IS

A mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration, designed for buyers who want a lower down payment and more forgiving credit guidelines. It is the most popular first step into homeownership in America.

WHY BUYERS CHOOSE FHA

Down payments start at 3.5%, credit guidelines are friendlier than conventional, and the entire down payment can be a gift from family. Sellers can also contribute toward your closing costs.

WHAT TO KNOW GOING IN

FHA loans include mortgage insurance: an upfront premium financed into the loan plus a monthly amount. Loan limits vary by county, and condos must be in an FHA approved project.

QUICK FACTS

- 3.5% minimum down payment
- Gift funds allowed for the entire down payment
- Seller can pay closing costs
- County loan limits apply
- Condos need FHA project approval



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