

Maverick's ChatGPT Secret Codes

100 prompt shortcuts organized by category

Clean black-and-white edition

Writing Clarity Analysis

Decisions Productivity Thinking

Persuasion Research Strategy

Frameworks Content Power

Each code below changes how ChatGPT responds by forcing
a specific mode, format, or reasoning pattern.

Writing & Clarity

CONCISE

Strips the answer down to the shortest possible version with zero filler.

/tighten

Removes weak words and makes every sentence hit harder.

/bold

Makes the writing confident and assertive with no hedging.

/storytell

Turns dry information into an engaging story people actually want to read.

PUNCHLINE

Ends every point with a strong memorable line that sticks.

/rhythm

Varies sentence length to create a natural reading flow.

/cut

Removes the bottom 50 percent of least important content instantly.

PLAIN

Rewrites using only common everyday words anyone would understand.

/emotive

Adds emotional weight and feeling to flat factual writing.

/sharpen

Makes vague language specific, precise, and impossible to misread.

Analysis & Decisions

STEELMAN

Argues the strongest possible version of your idea instead of poking holes in it.

ASSUMPTIONS

Lists every hidden assumption its answer is secretly built on.

RANK

Rates every option against each other and tells you the single best one.

DEVILSADVOCATE

Takes the opposing side of what you just said and pokes holes in it.

RISK

Surfaces every single way this could go wrong before you commit.

FORECAST

Maps out the three most likely outcomes so you can see the future before you choose.

MATRIX

Plots options on a two-by-two grid to make the right choice obvious.

TRADEOFF

Shows exactly what you gain and what you lose with each option.

WEIGHTED

Scores each option across multiple criteria with a weighted total.

VERDICT

Stops listing options and tells you the one it would actually pick.

Productivity & Output

CHECKLIST

Turns any answer into a step-by-step checklist you can actually follow.

SUMMARIZE

Compresses any long answer or document into just the key points.

GAPS

Tells you all the important things you forgot to ask but absolutely should have.

BATCH

Groups related tasks together so you can knock them all out at once.

PRIORITIZE

Sorts everything by actual importance instead of listing them equally.

DELEGATE

Rewrites any task so clearly that someone else could do it without asking questions.

SOP

Turns the response into a reusable standard operating procedure.

TEMPLATE

Converts the answer into a fill-in-the-blank template you can reuse forever.

ACTIONITEMS

Pulls every to-do out of a long response and lists them separately.

NEXTMOVE

Skips the explanation and just tells you the single next thing to do right now.

Thinking & Reasoning

5WHY

Asks why five times in a row to dig down to the real root cause of any problem.

/inversion

Solves the problem by thinking about what would guarantee failure and doing the opposite.

CONSEQUENCEMAP

Maps out the second and third order effects of any decision.

/thesis

States one clear argument and builds the entire response around proving it.

FALSIFY

Tries to disprove its own answer to see if it actually holds up.

/reductio

Takes an idea to its logical extreme to test if it still makes sense.

CONTRARIAN

Takes the opposite position of the mainstream view and defends it.

SYNTHESIS

Combines two opposing ideas into a new third option that takes the best of both.

DILEMMA

Frames the problem as a genuine tradeoff instead of pretending there is a perfect answer.

ROOTCAUSE

Digs past every symptom to find the single underlying problem causing everything.

Persuasion & Communication

OBJECTIONS

Lists every reason someone would say no and builds a response to each one.

/frame

Changes how the information is positioned to completely shift perception.

/pitch

Structures the message like a tight 60-second pitch that lands.

/convince

Rewrites a point using the most persuasive argument structure possible.

EMPATHY

Rewrites the message leading with the audience's emotions and concerns first.

/proof

Adds credibility by backing every single claim with evidence or data.

ELEVATOR

Compresses any idea into a 30-second elevator pitch.

REBUTTAL

Builds a point-by-point response to every counterargument.

/spin

Takes a negative situation and reframes it as a positive opportunity.

PERSUADE

Restructures the entire message using proven psychological persuasion principles.

Research & Exploration

/verify

Checks every claim in the response and flags anything it is not confident about.

EVIDENCEBASED

Only includes information that is backed by data or research.

/cite

Adds a source reference after every factual statement it makes.

DEEPRESEARCH

Goes far beyond the surface with a thorough multi-angle investigation.

/scan

Quickly surveys a topic and gives you the full landscape in under a minute.

BENCHMARK

Compares performance or results against industry standards or competitors.

TRENDWATCH

Identifies what is changing right now and where things are heading.

CASESTUDY

Finds a real-world example that proves or disproves the point.

/origins

Traces an idea or trend back to where it originally came from.

DATAONLY

Strips all opinion out of the response and only gives raw facts and numbers.

Content & Creative

HEADLINE

Generates ten headline options ranked by click potential.

/opener

Writes five different opening lines and picks the strongest one.

CTA

Creates multiple call-to-action options for any piece of content.

/storyline

Plans out the full narrative arc before writing a single word.

REPURPOSE

Takes one piece of content and turns it into five different formats.

EMAILSUBJECT

Generates high-open-rate subject line options for any email.

/monologue

Writes the response as a spoken monologue ready for video or podcast.

LISTICLE

Structures any topic as a numbered list article optimized for readability.

/twist

Adds an unexpected turn or contrarian angle to make content stand out.

SERIES

Breaks one big topic into a planned multi-part content series.

Strategy & Business

MOAT

Identifies what makes something defensible and hard to copy.

FLYWHEEL

Maps out a self-reinforcing growth loop where each step fuels the next.

POSITIONING

Defines exactly how to own a specific category or niche.

MONETIZE

Finds every realistic way to turn something into revenue.

PIPELINE

Builds a full step-by-step funnel from first touch to final conversion.

COMPETITOR

Analyzes what competitors are doing and finds the gap they are missing.

PRICING

Breaks down the best pricing strategy with reasoning for each tier.

RETENTION

Identifies exactly why people leave and how to make them stay.

GROWTH

Finds the fastest path to scale with the least amount of resources.

UNFAIR

Identifies your single biggest unfair advantage that nobody else has.

Frameworks & Models

AIDA

Structures writing as attention, interest, desire, action for maximum persuasion.

PAS

Structures writing as problem, agitation, solution to make the reader feel the pain.

BAB

Frames the message as before, after, bridge so the transformation is obvious.

STAR

Structures the response as situation, task, action, result.

RICE

Scores every idea by reach, impact, confidence, and effort.

MECE

Breaks a topic into categories that do not overlap and cover everything.

SMART

Turns any vague goal into something specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, timebound.

SCQA

Structures the answer as situation, complication, question, answer.

BLUF

Puts the bottom line up front before any explanation or context.

ERRC

Tells you what to eliminate, reduce, raise, and create in any strategy.

Power Commands

/unbiased

Removes all personal lean and gives a truly neutral balanced response.

ULTRATHINK

Forces a much longer and deeper reasoning process before typing any response.

/calibrate

Adjusts the response style, depth, and tone to match exactly what you need.

V2

Rewrites its own answer as a better second version without being asked.

/persona

Makes ChatGPT respond as any specific type of expert you describe.

PREMORTEM

Pretends your plan already failed and works backward to explain exactly why.

/multiangle

Gives the same answer from three completely different perspectives.

BRUTALHONEST

Removes all politeness filters and gives the harshest most real answer possible.

/adapt

Detects your knowledge level from your question and matches the response to it.

FINALANSWER

Commits to one definitive answer and refuses to hedge or give alternatives.