

The Back Office

Set up your company, your locations, and your staff, once.

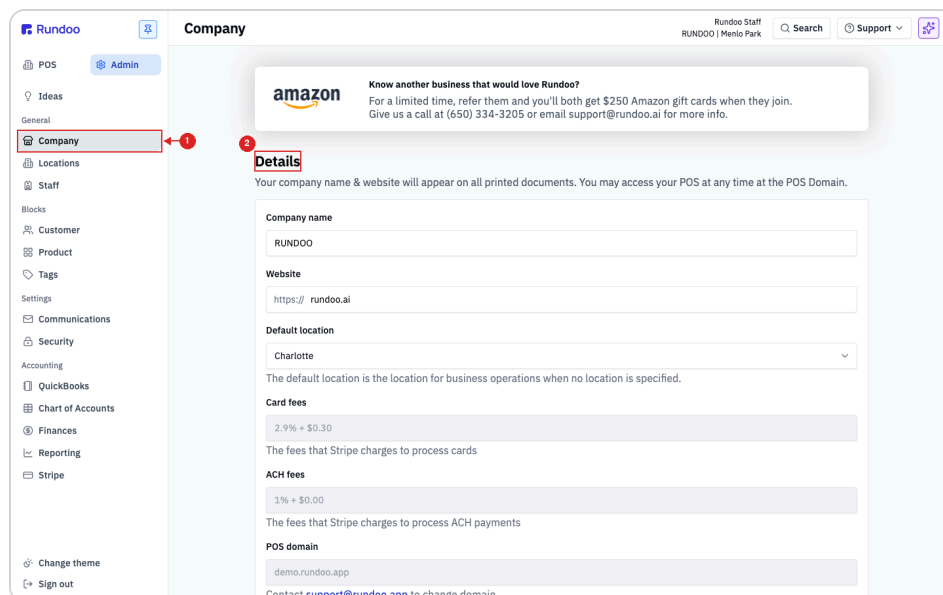
Step-by-step walkthrough ~5 min read Companion to the [5:21 video](#)

Most of your time in Rundoo is spent at the counter, on the Point of Sale side where the daily work happens. But behind that counter there is a quieter room: the settings for your company, your locations, and your team. This is the Admin side of Rundoo, and the good news is you set most of it once and then get back to running your store. Not everyone on your team sees this room either, so you decide who gets the keys.

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Where the back office lives

At the top of the left sidebar you'll see two tabs, **POS** and **Admin**. Click **Admin** and the whole sidebar swaps over. Under the **General** group you'll find the three settings that make up your foundation: **Company**, **Locations**, and **Staff**. We'll walk them in that order.



Click Admin at the top of the sidebar. Company, Locations, and Staff live under General.

DO THIS

Set your foundation, top to bottom

1

Fill in your Company details

Click **Company**. The **Details** section at the top holds the big-picture basics that print on every receipt, invoice, and statement: your company name, your website, and your **Default location**, which is the store Rundoo falls back to when a transaction isn't tied to a specific one (think accounting exports and receivables).

A few fields here are greyed out on purpose. Your **Card fees**, **ACH fees**, and **POS domain** are set for you and aren't editable on this page. Each section on the Company tab saves on its own, so make an edit and hit **Save** in that section's footer to commit it.

The screenshot shows the 'Company' tab in the Rundoo application. The 'Details' section is active, displaying fields for 'Company name' (RUND00), 'Website' (https://rundoo.ai), and 'Default location' (Charlotte). Below these are sections for 'Card fees' (2.9% + \$0.30), 'ACH fees' (1% + \$0.00), and 'POS domain' (demo.rundoo.app). The 'Card fees', 'ACH fees', and 'POS domain' sections are greyed out, indicating they are read-only. The 'Default location' is a dropdown menu. The page has a sidebar with navigation options like POS, Admin, Ideas, Locations, Staff, Blocks, Customer, Product, Tags, Settings, Communications, Security, Accounting, QuickBooks, Chart of Accounts, Finances, Reporting, and Stripe. The top right has a search bar and a support link.

Company → Details: name, website, default location, plus the read-only fees and POS domain.

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Set your costing preference and payment types

Keep scrolling the Company tab. Under **Cost management** you choose how Rundoo shows your margins on reports, **Average cost** or **Standard cost**. This is a reporting preference only. It does not change your books, which are always based on the real cost from the vendor receipt.

Farther down, **Tender methods** are the ways your customers pay. If you need a custom one, like a type for your e-commerce orders, your Rundoo guide sets that up for you. And in the **Rundoo AI** section you can steer your daily summary text, for example adding a note to flag any items under 15% margin, so it shows up in the summary you receive.

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Open a location and set its details

Click **Locations**. Every store you run is listed here with its ID, name, address, phone, and tax rate. Click any row to open it. You land on the **General** tab, where the **Display name** is what customers see on receipts, and the **Location ID** is the short code that prefixes every invoice, receipt, transfer, and PO from that store. That code keeps your books straight.

This is also where you upload the store's **logo** (logos are set per location, not company-wide), set the **Inbound email** where customer replies land, and set the starting **Cash float** for the drawer. Heads up on the **CC on all email communications** box: check it and this address gets a copy of every invoice and statement you send, which adds up fast. Leave it unchecked and you'll only get the replies that matter.

One nice thing about this page: your changes save automatically as you move from field to field. There's no Save button to hunt for.

The screenshot shows the Rundoo web application interface. On the left is a sidebar with navigation links: POS, Admin, Ideas, General, Company, Locations (highlighted), Staff, Blocks, Customer, Product, Tags, Settings, Communications, Security, Accounting, QuickBooks, Chart of Accounts, Finances, Reporting, and Stripe. At the bottom of the sidebar are 'Change theme' and 'Sign out' links. The main content area is titled 'Locations' and shows a list of locations. The first location, 'Menlo Park', is selected. Above the location name are links for 'Attach file' and 'Deactivate'. Below the name is the address '261 Linfield Dr Menlo Park, CA 94025 • 1 (650) 247-8407'. There are two tabs: 'General' (active) and 'Integrations'. The 'General' tab contains the following fields: 'Name' (with a red circle 1 next to it and a red box around the text 'Menlo Park'), 'Display name' (with the text 'Rundoo Paints'), 'Location ID' (with the text 'B'), 'Address' (with the text '261 Linfield Dr'), 'Apt, suite, etc.' (empty), 'City' (with the text 'Menlo Park'), 'State' (with a dropdown menu showing 'CA'), 'ZIP' (with the text '94025'), 'Country' (with a dropdown menu showing 'United States'), and 'Phone' (with the text '(650) 247-8407'). A red circle 2 is next to the 'Name' field, and a red circle 3 is next to the 'Display name' field.

A location's General tab. Use the « LOCATIONS link, top-left, to return to the list.

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Handle delivery and custom tax rates

Back on the main **Locations** screen, scroll past the table. Flip on **Enable prompt to use address tax rate during sale** and, whenever a delivery goes to an address with a different rate, Rundoo will ask your cashier at checkout whether to use the destination's rate instead of the store's. Handy when you're delivering to a job site in the next county.

Below that, **Custom tax rates** are named rates you set up here first, like a tax-exempt or resale rate, so your team can pick them at the counter when they ring up a sale.

The screenshot shows the Rundoo Admin interface for the 'Locations' section. On the left is a sidebar with navigation options like POS, Admin, Ideas, General, Company, Locations (selected), Staff, Blocks, Customer, Product, Tags, Settings, Communications, Security, Accounting, QuickBooks, Chart of Accounts, Finances, Reporting, and Stripe. The main content area is titled 'Locations' and includes a search bar, a '+ Add location' button, and a table of existing locations. Below the table are 'Delivery tax settings' with a toggle for 'Enable prompt to use address tax rate during sale' and a 'Custom tax rates' section with a search bar and an '+ Add custom tax rate' button. Red numbered callouts (1, 2, 3) highlight the table, the '+ Add location' button, and the 'Custom tax rates' section respectively.

ID	Name	Address	Phone	Tax Rate	Active
H	Charlotte	p.o box 119	1 (912) 658-2801	6.500%	Active
E	E-Commerce	770 Marshall St	1 (914) 967-8617	9.875%	Inactive
B	Menlo Park	261 Linfield Dr	1 (650) 247-8407	9.375%	Active
NY	New York City	1060 5th Ave	1 (908) 236-5262	8.875%	Inactive
C	Palo Alto	2616 Middlefield Rd	1 (650) 555-3456	9.750%	Active
R	Redwood City	770 Marshall St	1 (650) 262-1191	9.875%	Active
I	Springfield	1113 Ramblewood Way	1 (800) 165-4853	9.625%	Inactive
TPA	Tampa	S 5th St	1 (555) 444-2222	7.500%	Inactive

The Locations page: your store table, the delivery tax toggle, and custom tax rates.

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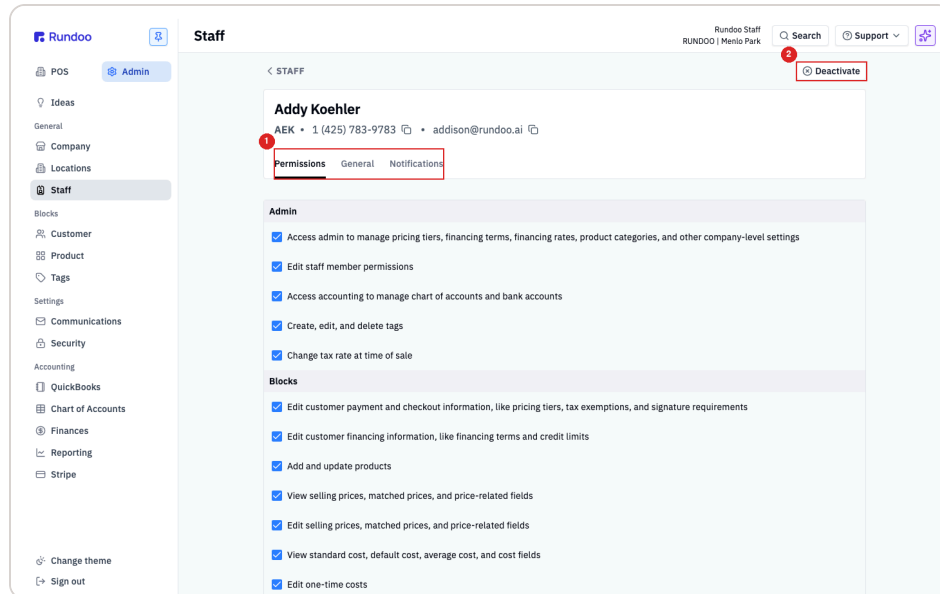
Add your team under Staff

Click **Staff**. This is where you add team members and decide what each one can do. To bring someone on, click **Add new staff member** and fill in their first name, last name, email, and **Staff ID**, the short username they type to sign in at the counter. Keep the Staff ID short and memorable, because they'll type it every shift.

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Set permissions, starting with the Admin gate

Click a staff member to open their profile. Three tabs run across the top: **Permissions**, **General**, and **Notifications**. Permissions is the important one. The very first **Admin** checkbox is the master key: if it's unchecked, that person can't reach the Admin side of Rundoo at all. Below it, the permissions are grouped so you can hand out exactly the access each role needs and nothing more.



The Permissions tab. The top Admin checkbox decides whether this person sees the back office.

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Tune each person's notifications

The **General** tab holds contact info and the email and text consent boxes. The **Notifications** tab lets you decide, per person, which updates they get and how, in the app **Inbox**, by **Email**, or by **SMS**. Three things all have to line up for a message to arrive: the channel is checked here, the matching consent box is on, and there's an email or cell phone saved. If billing emails ever pile up, someone can quiet them right here on their own Notifications tab.

KEEP IT HANDY

The three tabs at a glance

COMPANY Admin → Company Details, cost method, tender, Rundoo AI. Save per section.	LOCATIONS Admin → Locations Per-store details, logo, cash float. Delivery + custom tax below the table.
STAFF Admin → Staff Add people, set permissions, tune notifications.	THE MASTER KEY Permissions → Admin Uncheck it and that person can't see the back office.

Good to know

- Company sections each save with their own **Save** button. A location's detail page saves automatically as you go.
- Logos live per location on the Locations tab, not on Company. Your default location's logo is what customers see on the sign-in screen.
- Changing a location's **Name** updates it everywhere, including old receipts. Changing the **Location ID** only affects new documents.
- You can't delete a staff member, since their name is on past sales. Use **Deactivate** instead, and **Reactivate** to bring them back.