

self care in a virtual world

TIPS & TRICKS



STAY HYDRATED

Don't let yourself become a cactus - you need water! Make sure you get a fresh glass each day. As a helpful reminder or mental cue, leave a glass or water bottle out in your line of sight throughout the day.



LET IN NATURAL LIGHT

Whether it's opening the blinds or opening the window - a little natural light goes a long ways in making a day more enjoyable, not to mention in giving a regular mental energy boost!



MOVE AROUND & STRETCH

Avoid aches, cramps, and soreness from getting "stuck" at the computer. Take care of yourself by moving around and <u>stretching</u> those joints. (Your wrists and hands will thank you especially!)



WORK OUT! (...IF YOU WANT)

A step above stretching - workouts boost energy, not to mention general health and wellbeing. Take a bike ride, do a <u>themed workout</u>, have a guided <u>yoga session</u>, or check out YouTube to bring back the Tae Bo action!



CREATE SPACE FOR HOBBIES

Make space and time to recharge with your favorite hobbies - give yourself a mental boost with the things you love! (No to mention recharge those creative energies!)



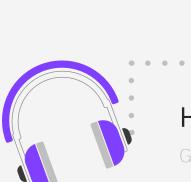
MEDITATION BREAKS

Take regular breaks regularly throughout the day, meditating or otherwise. Meditation can be especially rejuvinating, and if you haven't tried before, it's a good time to give it a shot!



READ SOMETHING NEW! READ SOMETHING RANDOM!

Take a "brain break" with something new (or familiar!). A break in routine can help recharge, and if you are looking for accessible books to check out, or just want a little something random to read - it's amazing what can be sparked with some new content!



HAVE A MUSIC MOMENT

Get pumped! Chill out :) Relax. or Unwind.. music can set a mood or energy in almost any moment. Not feeling it? The stress starting to rise? A music moment may be just what you need. Whether it's a <u>full list</u>, or a <u>random hit</u> - give yourself a good of music mood boost throughout the day!

TAKE THE TIME. MAKE THE SPACE.
YOU'RE WORTH IT!