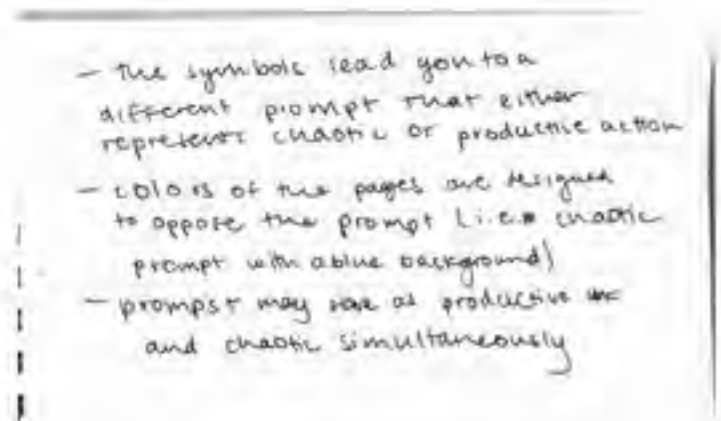
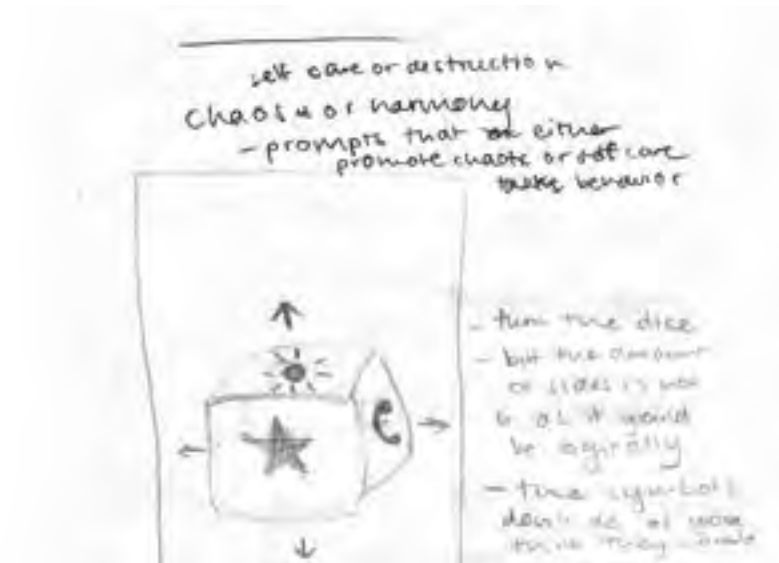


Care/Chaos

Sketches



Interaction:

- You can tap the sides of the dice to turn it
- when tapped each signifier brings the user to a new page with a prompt of “self-care” or “chaotic” behavior
 - * For example, when tapped, the phone icon brings you to a prompt that says “call your mom”
- There are many different examples of signifiers; a “power” symbol that prompts one to turn off their phone, an index signifier of the sun that prompts one to go outside

Analysis:

The game is supposed to be confusing as much as it is pointless. The interfaces with each prompt has a respective color in the background. The prompts categorized as “care” have a red background; red was chosen because it’s usually associated with danger so it’s used to disorient the user when paired with the “care” prompt.

Similarly the “chaotic” prompts have a blue background, as it’s a color often associated with peace and calmness.

Some of the prompts also encourage care and chaotic behavior simultaneously. For example, one of them prompts the user to turn off their phone notifications, which could be seen as both minimizing distraction or leading to disorganization.

Not all of the signifiers afford prompts either. For example, the face with a flashlight icon reveals a bright white screen which can be used as an actual flashlight. This hidden affordance may be confusing to the user at first because they’d been receiving only prompts prior. Each page also features a “home” icon, which is a false affordance that actually has no purpose. The symbol that brings you back to the starting page is the star, the back arrows can also be used to navigate.

The mapping of the dice features symbols on each face, which makes it seem that the user is “tossing” the dice to get a random result. In reality, the dice is only being turned and the dice itself is illogical as the faces of the dice continue to change no matter which direction it’s turned (not constrained to just 6 sides).

Try it yourself!

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