How to improve things

Plan

Notice Opportunities

Hopes and dreams show the ideal state indirectly.
Hatred and annoyance tell that the current world is not ideal.
Both are the opportunities to improve things!

Know Ideal And Real

Define The Ideal

Reveal The Real

Find Hurdles

Define The Scope(*1)

There should be many differences between the two states.
Don't think you can handle all of them at the same time.
Define a scope and focus on handleable amount of hurdles.

Find Gaps

=Differences between two states

Find Hurdles

=Factors that cause the gaps and make the world real, not ideal

Discover The Solution

Know The Current State

=For example, on in-business problem solving, how business is done currently

Extract The Essence

=Things that must be done essentially, in the ideal state

Discover The Solution

=Better method to accomplish the essence

Slice The Solution

No one can introduce big ideas at the same time.
Split the new way into some viable stages, based on their priority.
Find M.V.S.(*2) and do it first.

DO AS NEEDED

Define Domain Concepts

Define the meaning of concepts belonging to the domain of business, to let stakeholders imagine the same image.

Do

Just do as you planned and make things ideal.

Sometimes go back to planning stage and control the direction of improvement.

(*1) Scope
Range of problems to be solved.
It's similar to the concept known as **"Problem Domain"**.

(*2) M.V.S.
An abbreviation of the term **"Minimum Viable Solution"**.
minimum amount of solution that makes positive impact on the business