Take a Mindful Moment

Taking time out can help to reduce stress and anxiety. Find what works for you and aim to make it part of your daily routine.

Think of three things that you are grateful for. Try this every day, wherever you are! You can write them down or just think in the here and now.

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Connect with your
senses - one at a time:
•listen to a bird
•notice colours of leaves
•touch the bark of a tree
•smell the fresh air
•taste (take a picnic!)

Place your feet on the ground. Imagine you have roots like a tree, going deep into the earth, helping to keep you strong with a solid foundation. Writing can be therapeutic and help you connect with others. Write a letter to someone you care out; compose a poem or verse.

Getting lost in a good book can help to calm the mind. Ask a friend to recommend something. Find a quiet place, and try to read without distraction.

Engage your senses and notice how sounds, smells, colours and textures change with the weather. Take a notebook and pens, pencils/paints. Doodle, sketch, paint or draw! Try to focus on this alone, notice how you feel. Appreciation for others can help you feel more positive about the people around you.

Spend a moment thinking about someone who has been kind to you.

Sit quietly and notice your breath. Breathing in through your nose, and out through your mouth. Try to make the 'out' breath longer than the 'in' breath. Stay in the momentif you are walking,
think about how
your body feels,
notice the sound of
your footsteps, look
around and appreciate
what you see.

Find a quiet place to sit. As thoughts drift into your mind, acknowledge them and let them pass, do not dwell on them. Focus on your breath for a few minutes of calm.

How do you support your wellbeing? We would love to hear from you.

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