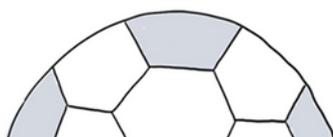


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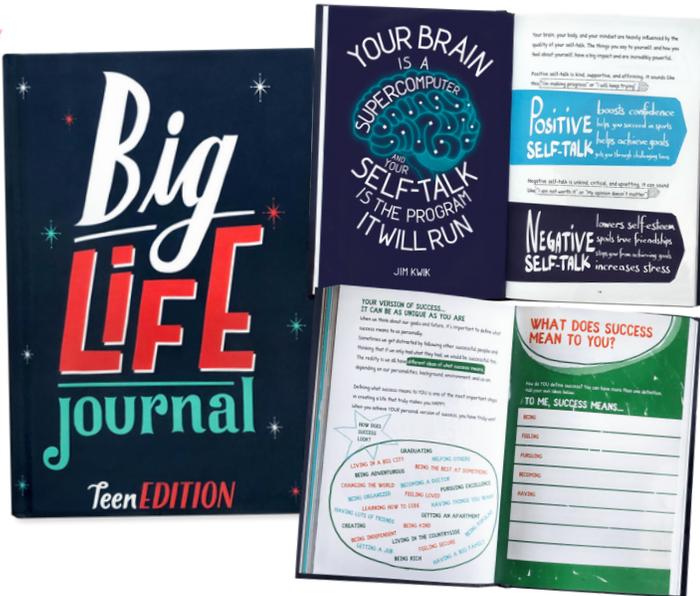
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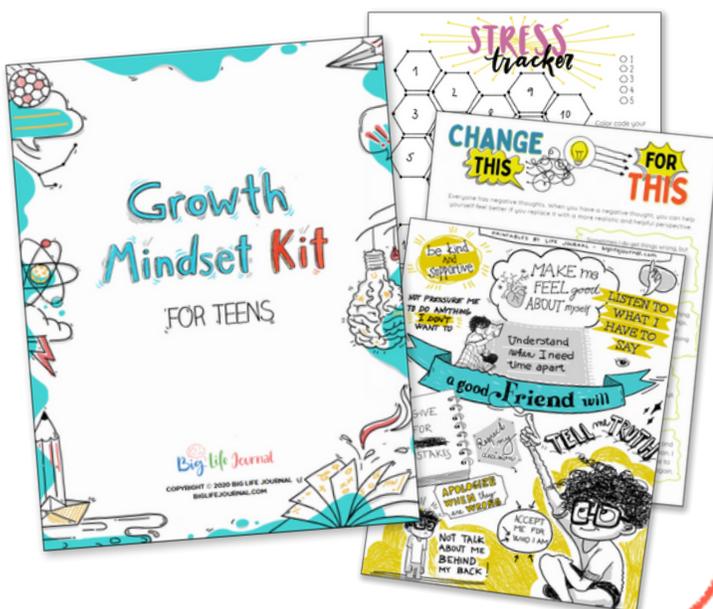
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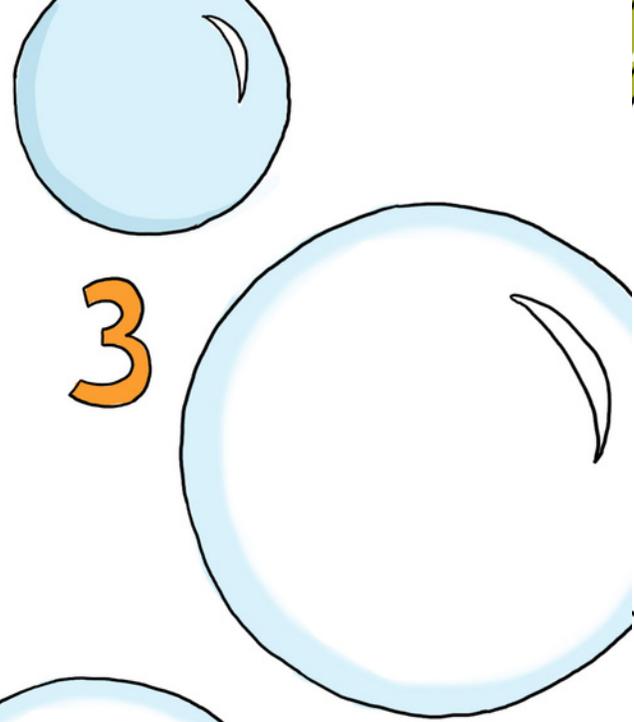
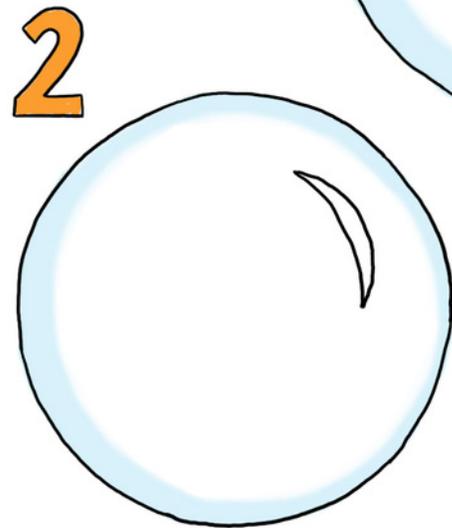


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**3 words that describe my year**



**My top 3 accomplishments**

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**3 people who inspired me in 2020**



**A lesson I learned**

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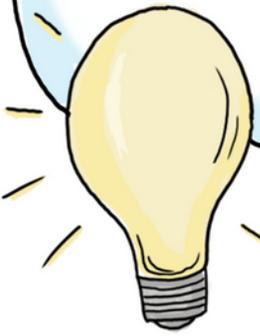
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**How I helped someone**

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**my 2020  
in review**



**Something I did in 2020 that  
made me feel proud**

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# My Current Favorites

Book

Song

Movie

Show

Game

Food

Drink

Place to be

People

Color

Season

Blog

Celebrity

Influencer

Brand

Store

Technology

Sport

Thing to learn about

Thing/person to dream about

# GETTING TO KNOW MYSELF

Grab a notebook or blank sheets of paper. Choose one or more questions below and start writing your thoughts.

- What do I want most in life?
- Who has had the greatest impact on my life and why?
- What worries me most about the future?
- If I could talk to my younger self, what would I would say?
- What are the life principles I'd like to live by?
- What do I wish others knew about me?
- What is the most important thing I learned outside of school?
- What do I wish they taught in school?
- What does my ideal life look like?
- If I had five minutes and the whole world was listening, what would I say?
- A list of things that can be improved in the world.
- A list of things I want to do, learn, or become in life.
- A list of everything that inspires me (books, websites, quotes, people, stores, art, etc.).



# WHAT I THINK...

I am happiest when

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I am proud that I

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I get upset when

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What matters most in my life is

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I feel it's important for me to

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One bad habit I want to drop is

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One thing I want to improve in the world is

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The most important quality in a friend is

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# In 2021, I Will

## DO LESS

Complaining

Comparing myself to others

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## DO MORE

Focusing on the positive

Asking for help

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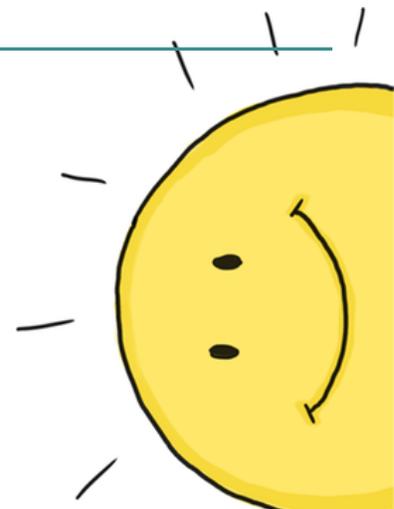
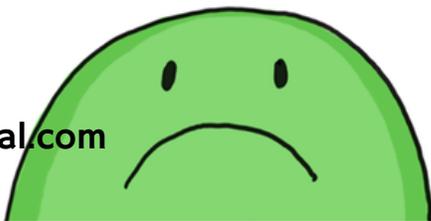
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# IT WILL BE A GREAT YEAR!

Advice I want to give myself as I begin the new year

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A big project I want to work on in 2021

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3 things I want to learn in 2021

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Something I want to get better at in 2021

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What I am excited about the most for 2021

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GOALS

2021

Personal Goals

Health Goals

Relationship Goals

Financial Goals

Learning Goals

Other Goals

# 2021 MONTHLY GOALS

January

February

March

April

May

June

July

August

September

October

November

December

# OUR FAMILY GOALS FOR 2021

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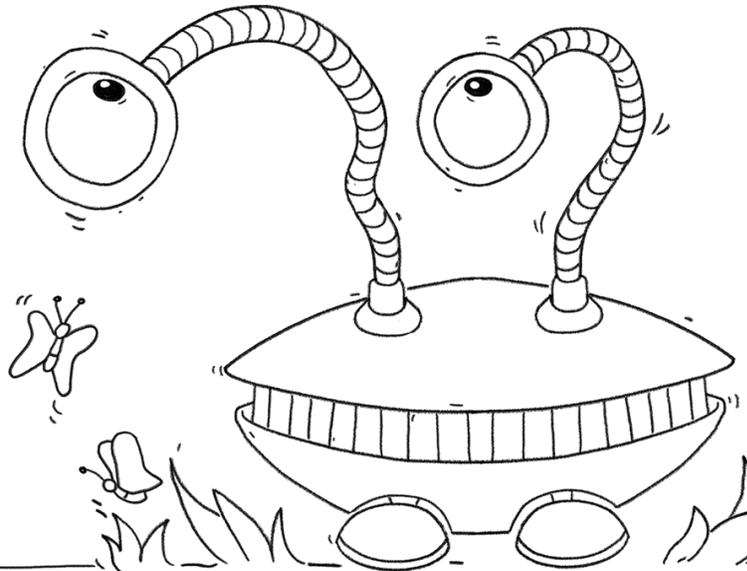
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# FAMILY GOAL IDEAS

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## RELATIONSHIPS

- Have a weekly check-in (to see how everything is going)
- Create a family mission statement
- Take more family photos

## HEALTH

- Do a family water drinking challenge
- Set time to unplug and play together
- Set up a no-phone zone

## FAMILY PROJECTS

- Remodel a room together
- Create a scrapbook

## CELEBRATIONS

- Birthdays/anniversaries
- Sport/activity accomplishments
- Driver's test

## ADVENTURES / TRIPS

- Save up for a special family trip
- Go on a road trip
- Visit a new national park

## MAKING A DIFFERENCE

- Volunteer together
- Do a street, park, or ocean clean-up
- Start a community garden

- Start a family book club
- Use Conversation Cards
- Take a class together
- Start a family hobby

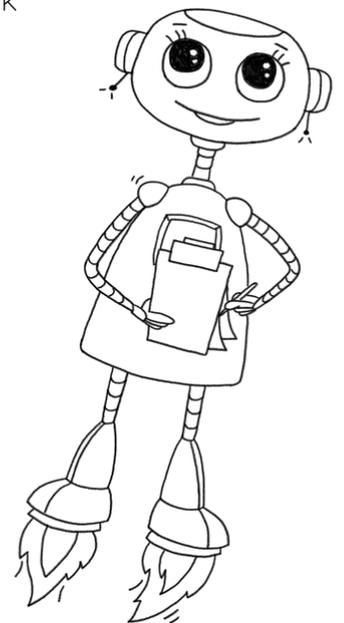
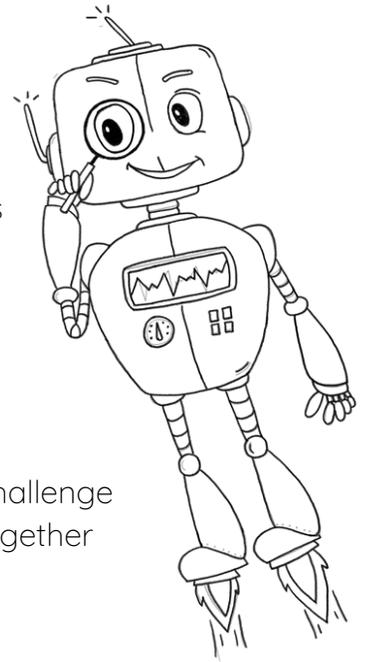
- Participate in a fun run
- Do a daily meditation challenge
- Do weekly meal prep together

- Make an emergency safety plan
- Create a family yearbook

- Graduations
- Course completion
- College acceptance

- Go someplace new
- Go fishing together
- Go fruit picking together

- Learn to recycle or upcycle
- Support an organization
- Make a donation



# 2021 Savings Goals

SAVING FOR

GOAL: \_\_\_\_\_

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GOAL: \_\_\_\_\_

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# MY GOAL PLANNER

MY GOAL

\_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETE BY: \_\_\_\_\_

MY ACTION PLAN

TASK:	Complete by:	Actual completion date:

POTENTIAL OBSTACLES:	How I will address this challenge when it arises:

# SMART Goal Examples

You may have set goals in your past that were difficult to achieve because they were too vague or unachievable. Creating SMART goals can help you

**SPECIFIC:** Be as clear and specific as possible with what you want to achieve.

**MEASURABLE:** Set goals you can measure.

**ACHIEVABLE:** Set goals you can reasonably accomplish within a certain time frame.

**RELEVANT:** Each of your goals should align with your values and larger, long-term goals.

**TIME-BASED:** Set an end-date for your goal.

## Personal Goals

- Live at least 3 months in a foreign country by the time I'm 20.
- Journal about my day for 20 days in a row.
- Get an internship at a local art museum this summer.

## Health Goals

- Go for a 20-minute run every Monday and Friday.
- Drink 8 glasses of water a day.
- Eat one veggie meal a day.

## Relationship / Family Goals

- Write one email a week to my grandma.
- Send birthday cards to all my cousins this year.
- Do one unexpected kind thing for a friend.

## Learning Goals

- Attend a major IT conference this year.
- Read 5 books about entrepreneurship by July.
- Practice skateboarding once a week for at least an hour.

## Other Goals

- Save \$200 by March.
- Film one YouTube video a week.
- Volunteer at a local animal shelter once a week.

# SMART Goal Check

My GOAL: \_\_\_\_\_

Is my goal SMART?



**S**pecific: What exactly will I accomplish?

\_\_\_\_\_



**M**easurable: How will I know when I have reached my goal?

\_\_\_\_\_



**A**ttainable: Is attaining this goal realistic? Do I have the resources to achieve this goal or how can I get them?

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**R**elevant: Why is this goal important to me?

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**T**ime-Based: When will I achieve this goal?

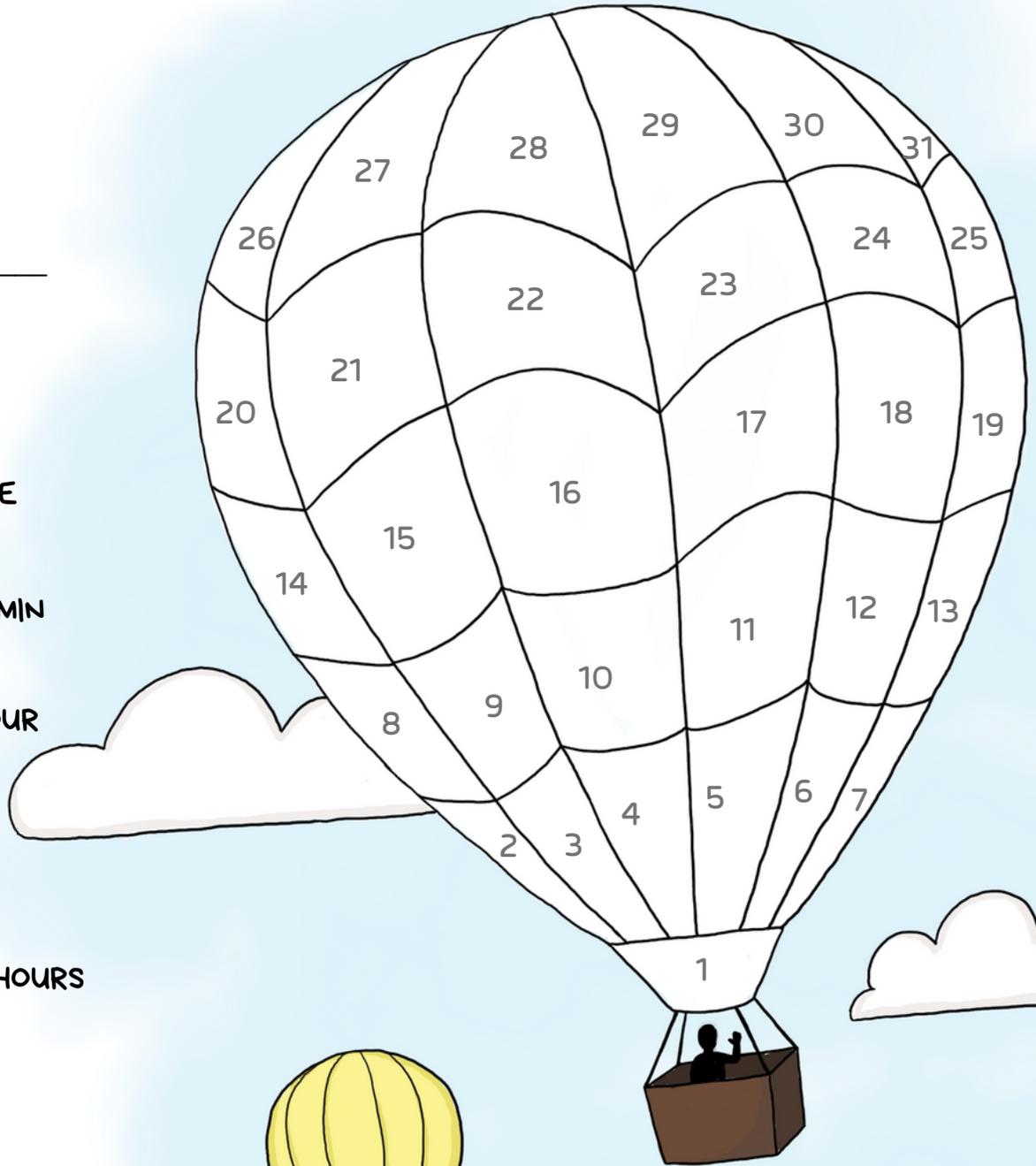
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# SCREEN-FREE time tracker

MONTH \_\_\_\_\_

## COLOR KEYS

- NO SCREEN TIME
- LESS THAN 30 MIN
- 30 MIN TO 1 HOUR
- 1 TO 2 HOURS
- MORE THAN 2 HOURS



Color the squares above with different colors to create your key. Track your daily screen time by coloring in no. 1 of the 31 parts of the hot air balloon according to your color keys.



# SCREEN-FREE activities

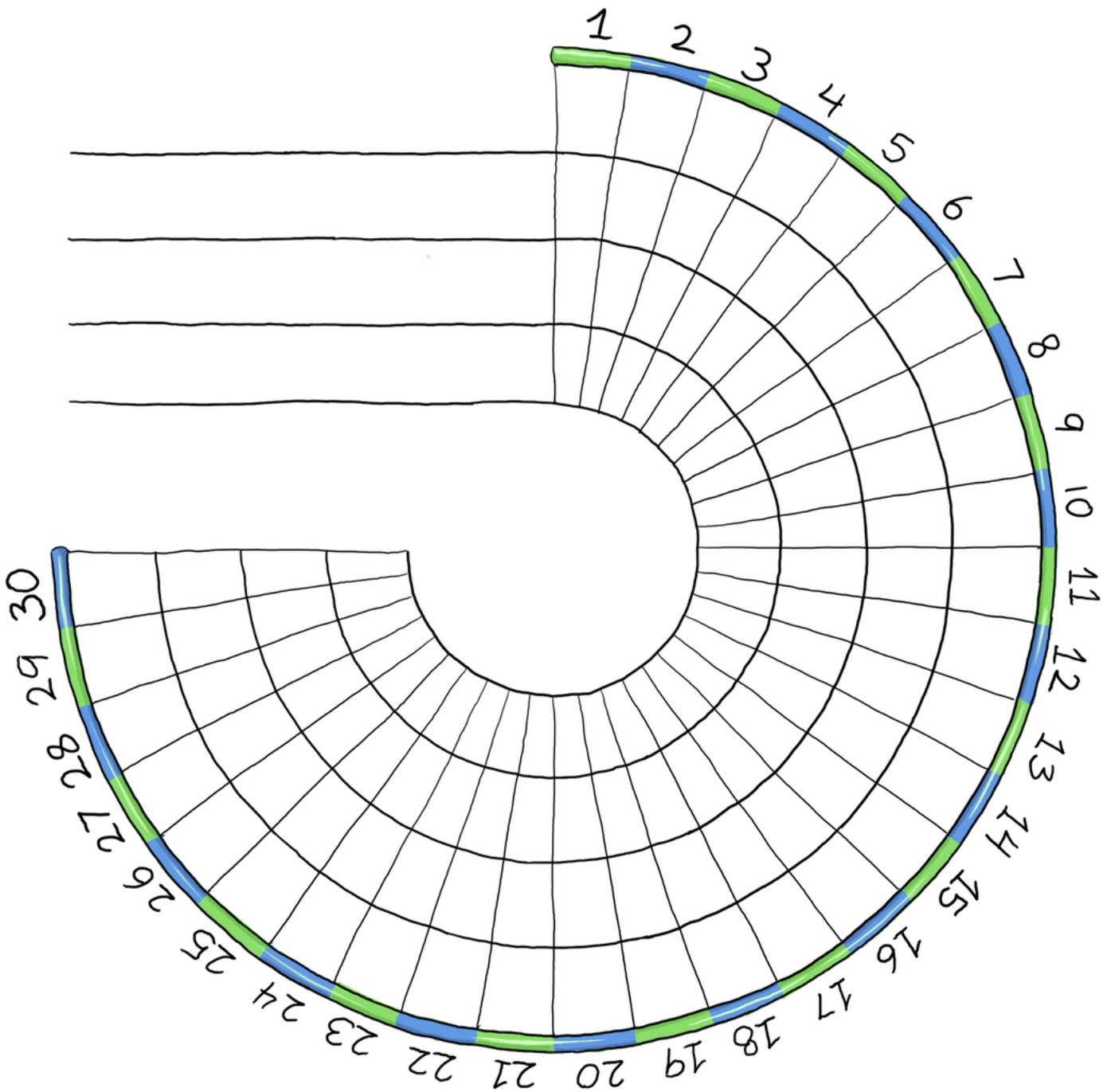


- Play a board game
- Do a puzzle
- Journal
- Practice meditation
- Research something new and just for fun
- Read a book
- Paint or draw a self-portrait
- Practice a musical instrument
- Plan a dinner and cook it
- Bake something
- Volunteer
- Make a vision board
- Try calligraphy
- Learn origami
- Research and create your family tree
- Interview someone from a different generation
- Go for a nature walk
- Study outdoor survival skills
- Go on a photo hunt to take photos of inspiring people, things, and nature
- Mentor a younger child
- Write a poem or a song
- Do a science experiment
- Find out how something works
- Build a tower out of cards
- Learn how to play dominos
- Play Sudoku or do a crossword puzzle
- Learn magic tricks and do a show for your family
- Learn to garden
- Get (or borrow) a telescope and study the stars
- Paint pictures or affirmations on rocks
- Do yoga
- Make a list of business ideas
- Plan a dream trip
- Study a new language
- Replicate famous art
- Draw cartoons or comic strips
- Publish a newspaper or magazine
- Write or draw a letter or an email to a penpal or relative
- Make friendship bracelets
- Write and illustrate a short story
- Write a play
- Write and direct a short film
- Fix something that's broken
- Clean out closet and put together a bag of items to donate
- Redecorate or organize bedroom
- Host a fashion show
- Look through photo albums
- Go to the library to find interesting books
- Make a bucket list
- Put together a time capsule
- Make tissue flower bouquets
- Make paper beads from magazines
- Create dough art
- Make pressed flower cards
- Crochet or cross-stitch
- Create a collage
- Hold an art show
- Make up a play to perform for your family
- Go on an indoor scavenger hunt
- Build a volcano out of papier-mâché
- Play balloon volleyball
- Have a Jenga tournament
- Sing karaoke
- Play charades
- Exercise
- Have a spa day
- Design a board game

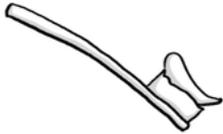


# HABIT tracker

This habit tracker will help you form new, good habits. Write the habits you want to form inside the circles (for ideas, see next page). Throughout the month, color the days you followed through on your habits. You can cut the circles out and glue them inside your notebook. Print this page multiple times if you need more circles.



# EXAMPLES OF GOOD DAILY HABITS

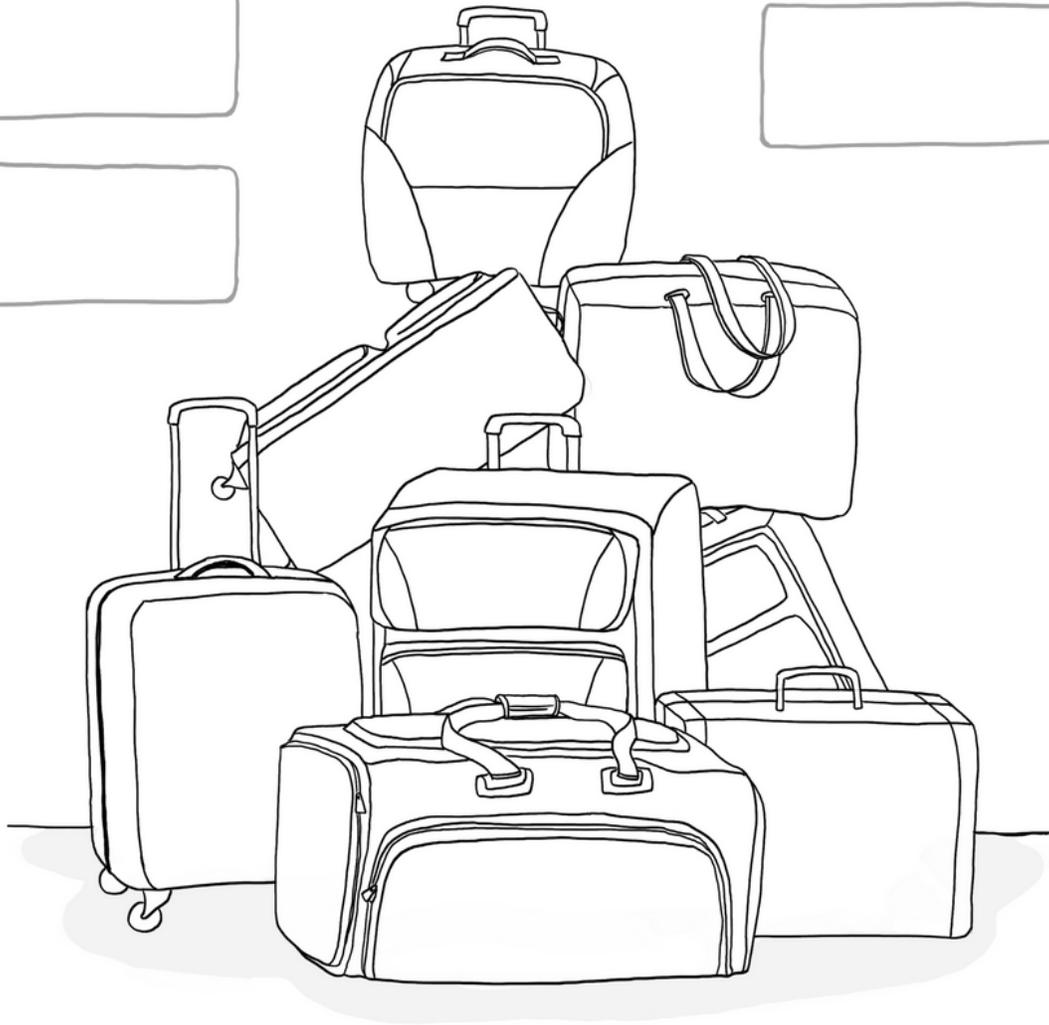


- Wake up before 8 a.m.
- Make your bed
- Brush your teeth in the morning
- Have a healthy breakfast
- Arrive early to class or appointments
- Do something kind for someone
- Spend a maximum of 1 hour on social media
- Drink 6 glasses of water
- Eat at least 2 healthy meals a day
- Eat less sugary foods
- Do at least 30 minutes of exercise
- Walk or bike to school
- Save money
- Meditate
- Take vitamins
- Read a few pages in a book
- Practice affirmations
- Journal your thoughts
- Organize your study space
- Clean up your room
- Brush and floss your teeth at night
- Get at least 8 hours of sleep
- Go to bed before 10 p.m.



# MY TRAVEL BUCKET LIST

Think of all the places you want to visit in the future. Write them inside the boxes.



# My Mood Tracker

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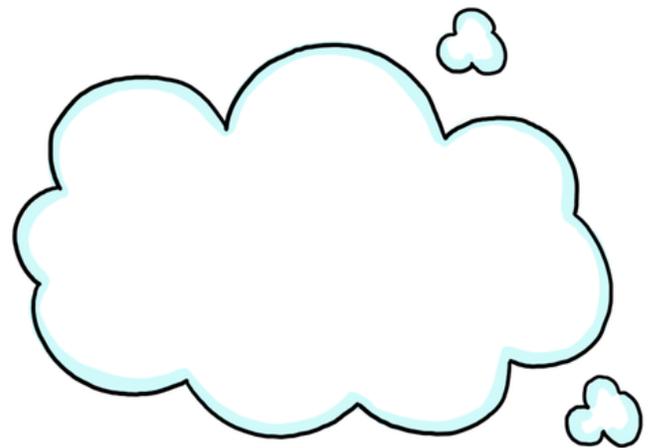
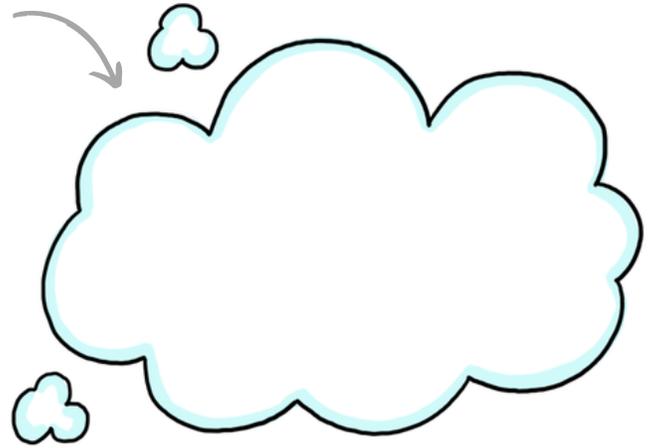
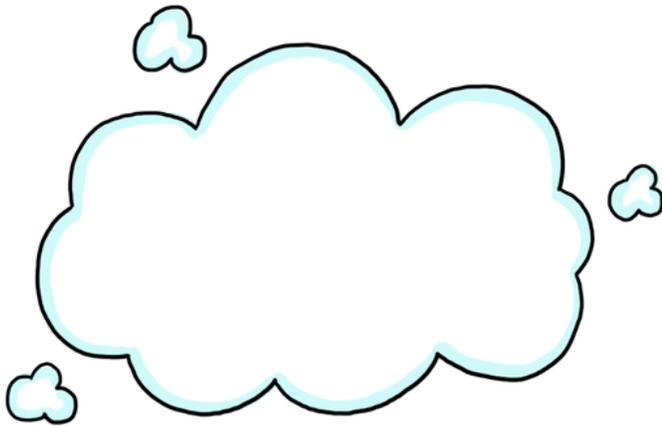
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- Sad, Lonely, Depressed, Insecure
- Productive, Energetic, Motivated, Alive
- Tired, Lazy, Unmotivated, Bored
- Average, Normal, Uneventful, Good
- Angry, Grumpy, Frustrated, Annoyed



# WHEN I NEED TO FEEL CALM...

My top 3 calming strategies (deep breaths, meditation, walk, cold shower, sleep, hug, exercise, a talk, etc.)



My calming quotes, words,  
or mantras

# 10 Day GRATITUDE CHALLENGE

- Day 1** Take photos of 5 people or things you're thankful for.
- Day 2** Write 3 things you're grateful for about YOU (your unique personality, skills, talents, style, etc.).
- Day 3** Go on a gratitude walk alone or with someone. While on a walk, list things you are grateful for in the past, present, and future.
- Day 4** Find 3 quotes about gratitude. Write them on post-it notes and place them around your home, on your mirrors, or in your planner.
- Day 5** Write about 3 things in nature you love and are grateful for.
- Day 6** Write about one event in your life you're grateful for.
- Day 7** Take a moment before each meal you eat today to be thankful for it.
- Day 8** Call someone you haven't talked to in a while. Tell them how much you appreciate them.
- Day 9** Write a thank you letter to someone.
- Day 10** Write a thank you letter to yourself.



**KINDNESS**

is loaning  
someone your

**STRENGTH**

instead of  
reminding them  
of their

**WEAKNESS**

DARKNESS CANNOT  
DRIVE OUT DARKNESS

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