





FEATURE OF THE WEEK



Purpose

Mindfull



Positivity

Lets get musical!

Inspired by Arlynn Morris (13W)

- ★ Can you write a song or compose some music?
- ★ Can you sing or play a song that has helped you be more positive! Happy songs!
- ★ Share your musical talents with us!
- ★ These will be celebrated at the end of term.

Send your videos or audio links to Mr Travers before June 4th.









Activities to choose from this month:

Mindful Actions

Take a break! Learn the art of Origami or beat the boredom with this weeks student feature.

Positive Thinking

Practice the art of positive self talk. How you talk and think about yourself matters. How to create your own self talk flower.

Self Care

The Chinese art of Tai Chi and the Seven Pillars of Self Care. Take action and look after yourself.

Learn something new!

Reap the benefits of learning something new or trying a new hobby. You are never too old to try something new.



Mindful actions.....

what you think.









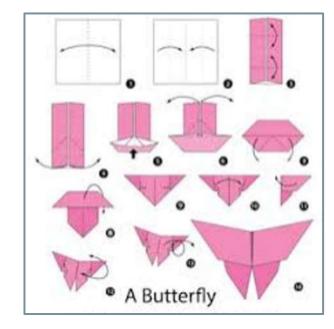
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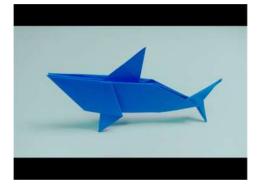
Take a break and help develop your handeye coordination, fine motor skills and mental concentration with the art of Origami!





There are lots more to discover!







Mindful breaks...









Beat the boredom:

Top tips from Vijay! (7F)

Congratulations Vijay on joining the student leadership team for Thrive.

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I know you are all stuck at home, and feeling moody.
Here are 3 ways to beat virus boredom!

1. TAKE A LOTTA BREAKS

In the current situation, students stare at the laptop from 8 am to 3 pm. Taking breaks are very important!

2. TALK

Talk with your friends via Hangouts or socialize with your siblings and relatives! Keeping social connections are very important right now.

S. CATCH-UP

Catch-up on your old hobbies in your free time! After school, get out of your room, read, draw, grab a snack there's so much to do!



Positive thinking...

Our strength grows out weakness.

Ralph Waldo Emerson









Positive thinking...

How you talk yourself matters.

- Practice the art of positive self talk.
- Begin to develop your inner coach.
- Learn to help yourself when things don't always go the right way.
- 1. Read the A-Z in learning how to positively talk to yourself.
- 2. How many of these letters do you already do?
- 3. Which letters should or could you try to do?







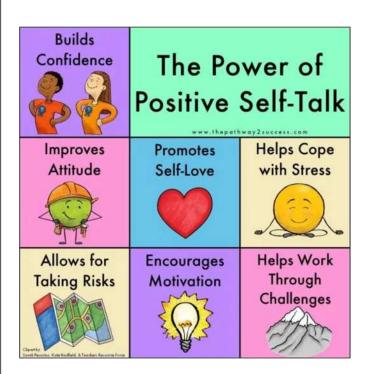




Positive thinking...



Why positive self talk is so important!





Create your own self talk flower craft!



Self care...

TAKE CARE OF YOUR BODY. IT'S THE ONLY PLACE YOU HAVE TO LIVE.







Self care...

Tai chi is an internal Chinese martial art practiced for both its defense training, its health benefits and meditation.











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- 1. Loosens Muscles
- 2. Builds Power
- 3. Strengthens Organs
- 4. Slows Respiration
- Strengthens Nerves
- 6. Builds Bone Density
- 7. Prevents Joint Injury
- 8. Strengthens Ligaments
- 9. Destroys Free Radicals
- 10. Increases Injury Recovery
- 11. Decreases Stress
- 12. Balances Emotions
- 13. Improves Circulation
- 14. Prevents Muscular Spasms
- 15. Reduces Pain

Qigong

Benefits of

- 16. Lowers Heart Rate
- 17. Normalizes EKG
- 18. Lowers Blood Pressure
- 19. Improves Asthma
- 20. Relieves Bronchitis
- **Builds Immune System**
- 22. Relieves Migraines
- 23. Decreases Stroke Risk
- 24. Improves Skin Elasticity
- 25. Improves Posture
- 26. Improves Flexibility
- 27. Increases Balance 28. Improves Memory
- 29. Aides in Digestion
- 30. Improves Kidney Function









Self Care... Look after yourself!

Did you know about the Seven Pillars of Self Care?

- Choose one of the pillars that needs a little more time or effort!
- Make time for your daily self care routine.
- Stay healthy and look after yourself.





Self Care... Look after yourself!

Self care action plan (Notes from the video)

- ★ Step 1- Be smart and look after yourself to reduce burnout and improve productivity. Healthy habits: good nutrition, exercise, sleep and hygiene.
- ★ Step 2 What works for you and makes you feel good? Go for a walk, call a friend, write in a journal or do nothing!
- ★ Step 3 Recognise the warning signs when things seem too difficult and you can't think straight. Recharge the batteries and take time out for yourself.



(Video: 5 minutes)



Learn something new...

If you want something you've never had, you have to do something you've never done.











Learning something new...

Dedicate some time each day for learning a new hobby or skill.



- 1. Helps you learn faster and better. Train the brain!
- 2. Makes you more interesting!
- 3. Make new friends.
- 4. Build your self esteem.
- 5. Sense of accomplishment and satisfaction.
- 6.and many more!

IDEAS!!!

- Try gardening or cooking!
- Arts and crafts.
- A new language with Duolingo
- Make a homemade facepack!
- Learn Coding at Udacity
- Build Your Vocabulary
- Learn about First Aid.
- Train Your Brain at Lumosity
- Watch Ted ED









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Inspirational stories.....92 year old gymnast and a 99 year old runner!



