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## What have you done recently to make someone happy or to help others?





## What helps you stay close to the people that really matter?

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- Do three extra acts of kindness today. Offer to help, give away your change, pay a compliment, or make someone smile.
- Reach out to help someone who's struggling. Give them a call or offer your support. Let them know you care.

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- Make more time for the people who matter. Chat with a loved one or friend, call your parents or play with the kids.
- Make three extra connections today. Stop to chat in the shop, wave at a neighbour, learn the name of someone new.

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Which ways of being active and healthy do you really enjoy?

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What do you notice about where you are and how you feel right now?

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- Be more active today. Get off a bus a stop early, take the stairs, turn off the TV, go for a walk - anything that gets you moving.
- Eat nutritious food, drink more water, catch up on sleep. Notice which healthy actions lift your mood and do more of them.

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- Give yourself a bit of head space. At least once a day, stop and take 5 minutes to just breathe and be in the moment.
- Notice and appreciate good things around you every day, big or small. Trees, bird song, the smell of coffee, laughter perhaps?

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## What have you learnt or tried out for the first time recently?

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## What is your most important goal over the next six months?

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- Do something for the first time today. Sample sushi, try a new route, read a different newspaper or visit a local place of interest.
- Learn a new skill, however small. A first aid technique or a new feature on your phone. Cook a new meal or use a new word.

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- Take the first step. Think of a goal you're aiming for and do one thing to get started. Make a call, fill in that form, tell others.
- Share your dreams. Tell 3 people about an aspiration that is really important to you this year and listen to theirs too.

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## What has helped you bounce back from difficult times before?

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# What good things have happened in your life recently?

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- Ask for help today. Confide in a friend, talk to an expert, reach out to a colleague, ask a neighbour to lend a hand.
- When something is troubling you, do something you really enjoy.
   Shift your mood and bring a new perspective on the problem.



- Do something that you know will make you feel good. Listen to music, watch something funny, get outside or call an old friend.
- Try to smile and say something positive every time you walk into a room. Notice the reaction you get.





# What are your greatest strengths or hidden talents?

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# Which aspects of your life give you a real sense of purpose?

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- Ask a trusted friend or colleague to tell you what they think your real strengths are. Try to make more use of these.
- Be as kind to yourself as you are to others. See your mistakes as opportunities to learn. Notice things you do well, however small.



- Feel part of something bigger. Spend time with children, visit an inspiring location, gaze at the stars or join a club.
- Be more charitable. Give others your time, offer to help neighbours or friends, consider giving blood or volunteering.

