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Practice yoga Stand up and stretch Listen to music Take a time out Slowly count to ten

Use positive self-talk Say something kind to yourself Talk to a friend Talk to an adult **Close your eyes and relax**

Say, "I can do this" Visualise your favourite place Think of something happy Think of a pet you love Think about someone you love

Write in a journal Hum your favourite song **Doodle on paper** Draw a picture Colour a colouring page **Clean something** Meditate Use a stress ball Dance Write a letter

Look at pictures you've taken Make a gratitude list List your positive qualities Do something kind Give someone a hug

Put a puzzle together Do something you love **Build something Play with clay** Hug a stuffed animal







Get enough sleep **Rip paper into pieces** Eat a healthy snack **Play an instrument** Read a good book Watch a good movie Set a goal **Take pictures** Gardening Jog in place



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Write a list Keep a positive attitude Schedule time for yourself **Blow bubbles** Write a positive note

> **Chew gum Paint your nails** Write a story Blog Read a joke book

Write a poem **Drink cold water Draw cartoons** Read a magazine Write a thank you note

Count to 100 Make a list for the future **Read inspirational quotes Compliment yourself** Visualise a stop sign

Hyper focus on an object Notice 5 things you can see **Paint with water colours** Use a relaxation app Watch a funny video

Drink some tea **Cook or bake** Plan a fun trip **Use an I-statement** Identify your emotions

Express your feelings to someone Write down your thoughts Identify a positive thought Make your day's schedule List 10 positives about you

Ask yourself, "What do I need right now?" Tell someone you are thankful for them Pet an animal

Make a list of choices Ask an adult for help









Smile in the mirror

Smile at others

Do schoolwork

Look at animal pictures

Organise something

Play a card game

Listen to nature sounds

Sit and relax all your muscles

Ask for a break

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