

May 2020

Secondary Mind & Body Calendar

SUND	AY MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
National Observances May 1-7: National Physical Education and Sport Week May 4 th : Star Wars Day May 5 th : Cinco de Mayo May 6 th : National Nurses Day May 10 th : Mother's Day					1 Crane Pose Here's a challenge! Put your hands on the ground, lean forward & balance your knees on your elbows.	2 4 Walls Face each wall in a room and do a different exercise for 30 seconds -side shuffle -grapevine to left then right -wide stance punches -vertical jumps
3 Mindful Snack When eating a snack today, really pay attention to the taste, feel, sound, smell and look of the snack you're eating. What do you notice?	4 Star Jumps Jump up with your arms and legs spread out like a star. Do 10 then rest and repeat.	5 Celebrate Put your favorite song on and make up a dance or fitness routine.	6 A Gratitude Attitude Write down something you're thankful for and why.	7 Tabata Jump squats 20 seconds of work 10 seconds of rest 8 rounds	8 Before Bed Breathing While lying in bed, place your hands on your stomach and pay attention to the up and down of your belly as you breathe.	9 Dribble Challenge Dribble a ball 100 times with each hand. Can you successfully dribble 100 times with each hand while moving?
10 Positive Talk Be sure to talk to yourself today like you would talk to someone you love.	11 Fish Pose Hold fish pose for 60 seconds. Take a break and hold for another 60 seconds	12 Wild Arms As fast as you can complete: 10 Arm Circles front & back 10 Forward punches 10 Raise the Roof's Repeat 3x	13 Mindful Senses What do you notice around you? Find: 5 things you see 4 things you feel 3 things you hear 2 things smell 1 thing you taste	14 Jump rope to music! Can you jump to an entire song without stopping?	15 How Fast Can You Go? Pick a distance and see how fast you can run the distance.	16 Slide, Slide, Sprint Slide to your left for 10 steps, slide to right for 10 steps then face forward and sprint for 10 seconds.
17 Tabata Tuck Jumps 20 seconds of work 10 seconds of rest 8 rounds	18 Garland Pose Practice your balance with this pose!	19 Commercial Break Can you hold a plank for an entire TV commercial break?	20 Nighttime Note Empty your mind before you go to bed by writing a note about what you're thinking and leave it for tomorrow.	21 Paper Plate Planks In plank position with paper plates under your feet. Complete 30s each:mountain climbers -in and out feet -knees to chest	22 Positive Talk Be sure to talk to yourself today like you would talk to someone you love.	23 Jump, Jump Jump side-to-side over an object or line for 1 minute straight. Go again but jump front to back. Repeat each jump twice.
24 Card Fitness Take a deck of cards, flip the top card. Complete exercises based on the suit & number on the card. Face cards are worth 15. Spades- jumping jacks, Clubssquats, Hearts- mountain climbers, Diamonds- Your choice !	25 Chair Pose Hold for 30 seconds, relax then repeat.	26 Step Jumps Find a step or a bench and jump up and down 50 times. Be careful. Take a break if you need to.	27 A Gratitude Attitude Write down something you're thankful for and why.	28 Balance Stand on your right leg and lift your left knee at a 90-degree angle. Touch your toe without falling repeat 10 times then switch sides	29 10 Jump Lunges Complete a right leg lunge, while in the down position jump up landing in a lunge position on the left leg.	30 Commercial Break Can you hold a plank for an entire TV commercial break?
31 Wake and Shake As soon as you get out of bed shake your body any way you like for 10 seconds. Are you up now? Good! Now jump up and down 10 times.	SHAPE America recommends school-age children accumulate at least 60 minutes and up to several hours of physical activity per day. Each bout of physical activity should be followed by cool-down stretches that help reduce soreness and avoid injury. Happy exercising! Reproduced with permission from the Society of Health and Physical Educators (SHAPE America) https://www.shapeamerica.org/publications/resources/teachingtools/teachertoolbox/activity-calendars.aspx Star Wars photo from www.starwars.com, Cinco de Maya photo from https://northfortynews.com/happy-cinco-de-mayo-northern-colorado/,					

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