

it's a mood can help you reflect on how you're going and manage low mood



This zine was made on Ngunnawal land! We pay respects to their Elders and recognise sovereignty was never ceded. Treaty now.



quick note!

Feeling low, sad or irritable is super normal.

These feelings are useful signals that we need to slow down and be kind to ourselves.

A lot of the time moods come and go, they aren't a forever thing.

However, if you notice these feelings stick around for weeks or months, it's a good idea to get support.

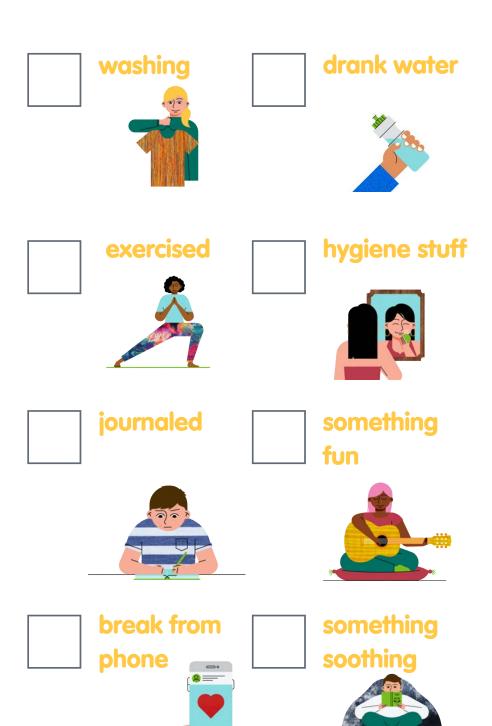
You can start by chatting to a doctor or calling headspace Canberra.



small wins

Low mood can make small things hard. Recognise that you managed to get stuff done today by ticking them off.





hard thoughts

Write out the things that have been on your mind.

- 1. I'm worthless
- 2. I'm going to feel like this forever.
- 3.



positive re-evaluation

Gently consider if these thoughts are 100% true, 100% of the time.

- Actually, I made my friend laugh today, plus I can be really thoughtful.
- 2. I felt ok this morning and I feel pretty good when I'm dancing.

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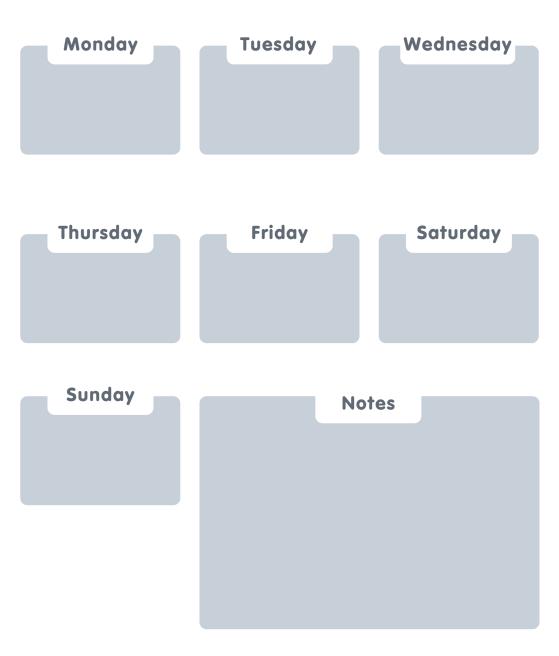
things I enjoy

It's easy to forget to do things that make us feel good. Write done some ideas.

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schedule it!

Now schedule that stuff in!





gratitude jar

Write down some things you are glad are in your life.





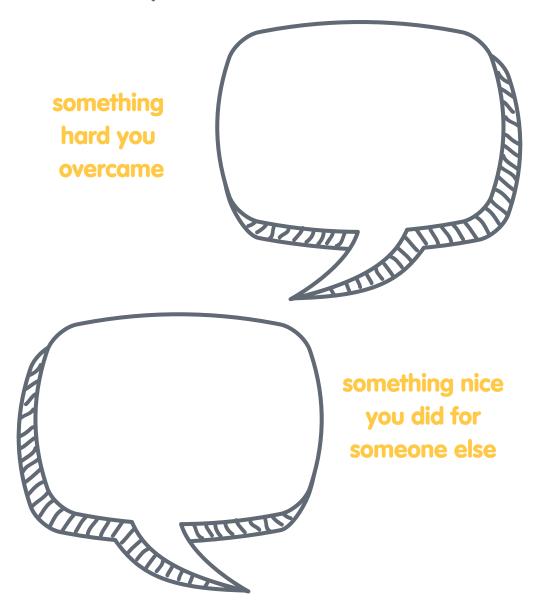
journal

Each day write out three good things that happened.

Day 1	Good outfitHugged my catHad bubble tea
Day 2	
Day 3	
Day 4	
Day 5	
Day 6	
Day 7	

positive self talk

Learning how to be kind about ourselves is hard. Try it in the bubbles below.



self afirmation

Circle three of your strengths, or write down your own.

creativity	quirkiness	kindness
curiosity	humour	gratitude
honesty	forgiveness	activism
team work	self control	caring
appreciation	support of friends	flexibility
dedication	family oriented	love of learning



movement plan

Getting up and about can help with mood. Write some ideas for physical activities.

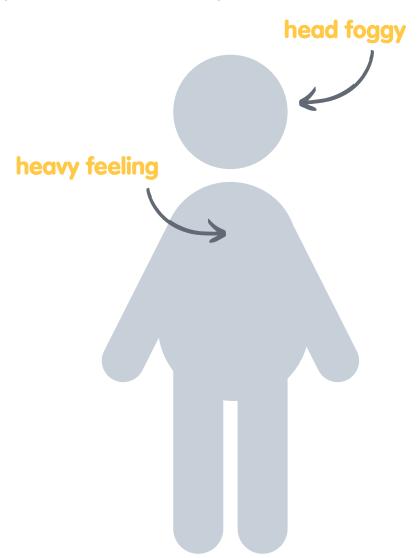
muscle relaxation activity

swimming

move to music

body check in

Your body will let you know how you're going. On the picture below write what you feel and where you feel it.



plus this stuff!















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