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RESOURCES FOR WELL-BEING AND LIFE SATISFACTION

POSITIVE EMOTION

- UCSD Center for Mindfulness: Visit the website for free mindfulness videos and guided meditations.
- The Zone: A lounge for student health and well-being. Includes daily programming and a space to relax. They offer the *Wellbeing* Leadership Award which teaches wellness and leadership skills.

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MEANING

Student Sustainability

Collective: Promotes sustainable policies, education for students, social justice dialogue, and a sustainable space for students on our campus.

Center for Ethics and Spirituality: Provides a meditation space, and *Spiritual Wellness Coaching* to increase spiritual wellness and develop a personalized plan to make it happen. Helps students find meaning and purpose regardless of religious affiliation or non-affiliation.

ENGAGEMENT

- UCSD Recreation: Join workout
 classes, go on adventures, or be
 part of a team.
- Student Personal Wellness: A free
 8-week small group program that includes personalized workouts,
 nutrition, and well-being education.

RELATIONSHIPS

Center for Student Involvement:

- Find opportunities to get involved and connect, including student orgs, clubs, and community service.
- CSI Communication and Leadership: Offers *iLead* drop-in workshop program, and *Communication Seminars* designed to boost leadership, professional, and social skills.
- International Students & Programs Office: Weekly events that provide international and domestic students the opportunity to interact through conversation, games, and light refreshments.

ACCOMPLISHMENT

- **Career Center:** Assists students in planning for their multiple path futures as alumni through peer-to-peer coaching, skills advising, and full-time/internship employer and graduate school events.
- The Basement: Innovation and entrepreneurial hub. Offers open access event programs, creative innovation space, and mentorship. The *Basement Annual Incubator* teaches skills to develop entrepreneurial or social impact ideas.

(Seligman, 2013)

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ACTIVITIES FOR WELL-BEING AND LIFE SATISFACTION

POSITIVE EMOTION

- **Start a Gratitude Journal:** write 3 things you are grateful for daily.
- Savor a favorite beverage or meal.
- Listen to your favorite music.
- Watch videos that spark joy.
- Do an anonymous act of kindness for someone you know, or even for a stranger.

ENGAGEMENT

- Walk without looking at your phone today: observe sights, sounds, and smells around you that you've never noticed before.
- Find an activity that allows you to "flow" and be completely absorbed in the present moment.

RELATIONSHIPS

- Write a letter of gratitude to someone important in your life: consider sharing it with them.
- Cook a meal or bake a treat for someone special.
- Make plans to meet a friend for a meal or activity.
- Focus on listening more in
- conversation with others.

MEANING

- Get involved/in touch with your spirituality: whether that be religion, meditation, nature, etc.
- Have discussions with friends and colleagues about what is meaningful for you and them.
- Belong to and serve something that is bigger than yourself.

ACCOMPLISHMENT

- Create a bucket list: work towards completing these things.
- Write your vision of a positive future: What have you done and want to do that would help make that a reality?
- Create a daily schedule that prioritizes self-care: exercise, social interactions, sleep etc.