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Secondary Health & Physical Education Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
National Health Observances: National Autism Acceptance Month National Minority Health Month National Distracted Driving Awareness Month Stress Awareness Month Sexual Assault Awareness Months at National Today			SHAPE America Convention April 26-30 New Orleans		1 Yoga Yoga is a great way to relieve stress. Try Savasana, considered to be the hardest yoga pose! Fully relax & clear your mind.	2 Star Jumps Jump up with your arms and legs spread out like a star. Do 10 then rest and repeat.
3 Crane Pose Here's a challenge! Put your hands on the ground, lean forward & balance your knees on your elbows.	4 Mindful Minute Mondays For 60 seconds, clear your mind & only focus on your breathing. If your mind starts to wander, bring your attention back to your breathing.	5 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.	6 Mindful Coloring Take some time and color a picture today.	7 World Health Day Theme: Universal Health Coverage	8 Walk and Talk Take a walk with your parents or an adult who takes care of you about what to do if you are bullied or see someone being bullied.	9 Read & Move Listen to a free <u>audible</u> <u>book</u> while you go for a walk, take a jog or clean up.
10 Fish Pose Hold fish pose for 60 seconds. Take a break and hold for another 60 seconds	11 Mindful Minute Mondays For 60 seconds, clear your mind & only focus on your breathing.	12 Sudoku Play a game of <u>Sudoku</u>	Can you go without your phone, tablet, TV or internet? Try to go device free for 2 hours. But first check out this video!	14 Walking Race Pick a distance and challenge a friend to a speed walking race. No running!	15 Jump rope to music! Can you jump to an entire song without stopping?	16 Side Seated Angle Pose Hold for 30-60 seconds on each side to target the hamstrings and calves.
17 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.	18 Mindful Minute Mondays For 60 seconds, clear your mind & only focus on your breathing.	19 Just play! Hide-and-seek, tag, hopscotch, hula hoop, pogo stick, it's up to you!	20 Positive Talk Be sure to talk to yourself today like you would talk to someone you love.	21 Yoga Combo Practice stress management yoga with Adriene.	22 Mindful Video Spend a few minutes watching this rare & colorful sea life video. What do you notice? How do you feel after the video?	23 Create a Dance Make up a dance to your favorite song. Be sure to include a jump, a slide and a spin. Or try this Hip Hop dance routine.
24 Nighttime Note Empty your mind before you go to bed by writing a note about what you're thinking and leave it for tomorrow.	25 Mindful Minute Mondays For 60 seconds, clear your mind & only focus on your breathing.	26 A Gratitude Attitude Write down something you're thankful for and why.	27 Garland Pose Practice your balance with this pose!	28 Look It Up What are benefits of practicing self-care or mindfulness skills? Find a website that health information and share with your family and friends.	29 Journal Create a journal to relieve stress.	30 Try Savasana again. Use this to relax and wind down all year!

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.