### CREATE A NEW HABIT IN 5 SIMPLE STEPS

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# **STEP 1: GET CLEAR**

What is the new habit you want to create?

Your reasons need to be better than your excuses. You need to understand why this is important to you. List 3 reasons creating this new habit is important to you.

• 1.\_\_\_\_\_

• 2.\_\_\_\_\_

3.\_\_\_\_\_

# **STEP 2: CREATE A DRIVE**

What will you gain by creating this new habit? How will your life be different?



### **STEP 3: SET THE STAGE**

- Think of your new habit as a boat on land. It is important to grease the skids and set yourself up for success. What can you put in place to help you achieve your goal?
- Example Habit: Exercise in the morning before work 4 out of 5 days a week.
- There is no magic formula. This is unique to you. If you despise coffee, then brewing coffee at 5am will not inspire you.

Support Ideas



- 1. Set coffee maker to brew at 5am
- 2. Hire a personal trainer to meet each morning or meet a friend at the gym
- 3. Set gym clothes out the night before

Support for New Habit

- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_



## **STEP 4: UPGRADE THINKING**

#### Change Your Mindset

- What is the old message you have programed in your subconscious? If you keep telling yourself the same thing than you will keep serving up the same dish.
- Example:

Old Belief: Exercising is not for me and I give up after a week.

New Belief: Exercising is healthy for my body and it gives me energy for the day.

Old Mindset:

New Mindset:

# **STEP 5: ACCOUNTABILITY**

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Habit Tracker **Q** 

Day	Day	Day	Day	Day
1	2	3	4	5
Day	Day	Day	Day	Day
6	7	8	9	10
Day	Day	Day	Day	Day
11	12	13	14	15
Day	Day	Day	Day	Day
16	17	18	19	20



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#### Additional Resources

The Power of Habit by Charles Duhigg

Drive by Daniel Pink

Mindset by Carol Dweck

Make It Stick by Peter C. Brown, Henry Roediger, Mark McDaniel

