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To Do to Ta Da!



Increase your productivity and stay organized by using To Do lists!

List-Making Tips

- Write tasks down as a <u>specific action</u> (e.g., "contact 3 moving companies," instead of "find movers").
- ◆ If a task feels too overwhelming, ask yourself "What is <u>step #1</u> to get this task done?" Step #1 then becomes your new to-do item.
- Reorganize your To Do list(s) on a daily or weekly basis.

Keep Two Separate Lists

List #1: "Action Items" — create a daily To Do list with no more than 3 tasks.

List #2: "Ongoing Tasks" — keep a separate list with ongoing tasks.

Prioritize Your Tasks

- Prioritize and <u>rate items</u> in order of importance.
- Color code or use numbers to organize high vs. low priorities.
- Set due dates for each item.

Try out a (free) app

- ♦ Todoist
- ♦ Wunderlist
- ♦ Google Keep
- ♦ Any.do

...and many more!

Ta Da List

Make a list of completed tasks to shift the focus towards what you have accomplished!

- ✓ After you complete a task, write it down on a separate piece of paper.
- ✓ Personalize your Ta Da list by adding stickers or using colorful stationery.
- ✓ Create a new Ta Da list daily or weekly.

References