



# Mindfulness

# WHAT IS MINDFULNESS?

"Awareness that arises through paying attention, on purpose, in the present moment, nonjudgmentally"

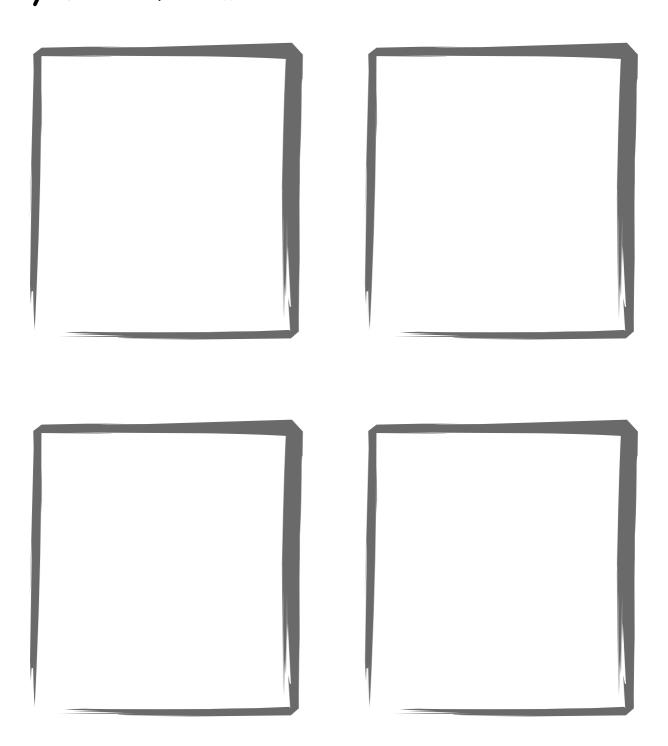
-Jon Kabat-Zinn

#### **BEING MINDFUL...**

- improves brain activity and creativity
- boosts mood and self-esteem
- reduces stress, and worries

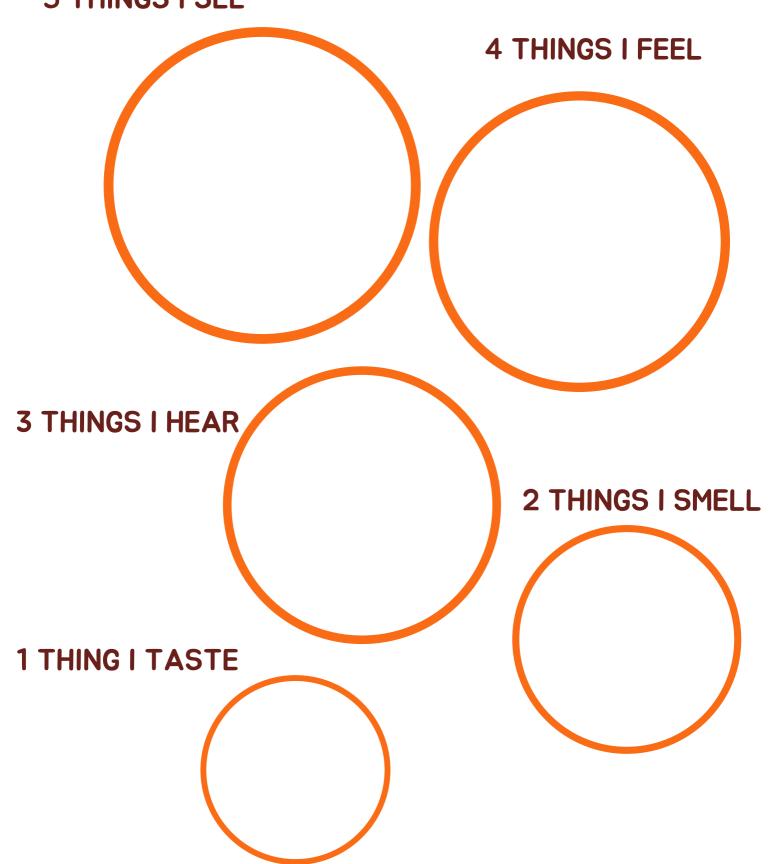
## CREATE

Lightly shade each box a different colour
Use a fine black marker to create designs in each
Focus on your hand moving the marker, noticing where
you start, draw and finish



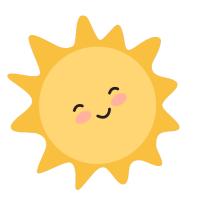
# TUNING IN WITH YOUR FIVE SENSES NOW

**5 THINGS I SEE** 

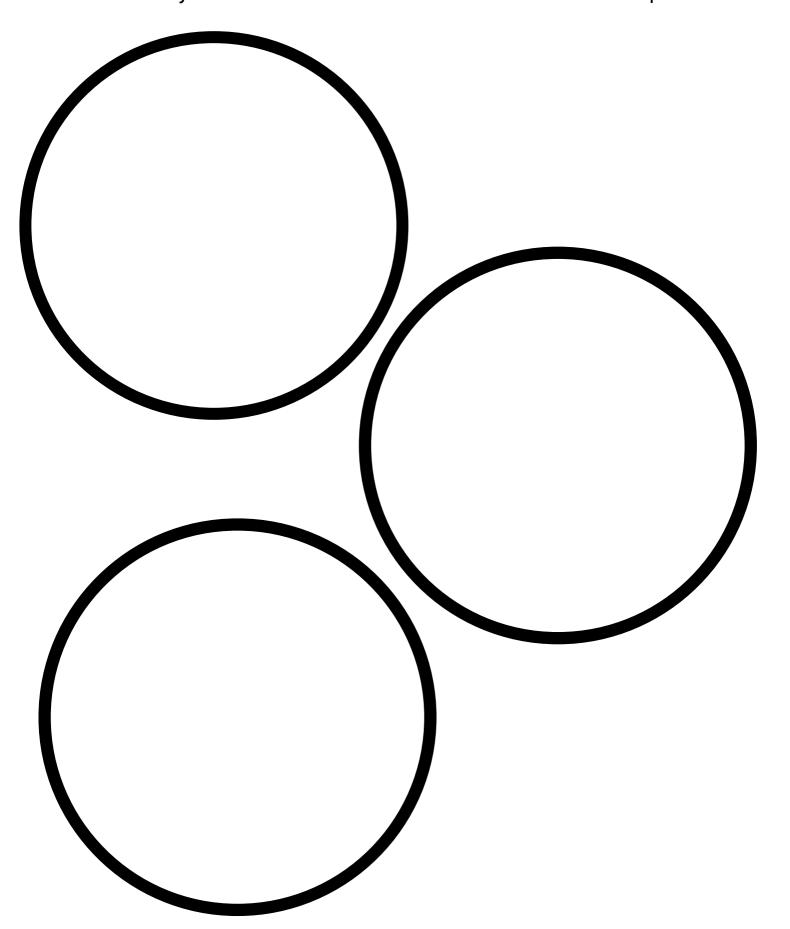




Fold a piece of paper twice to make a small booklet draw something each day that makes you happy



Fill each circle with patterns, noticing where you start and finish each line How does your hand move with each different pattern?



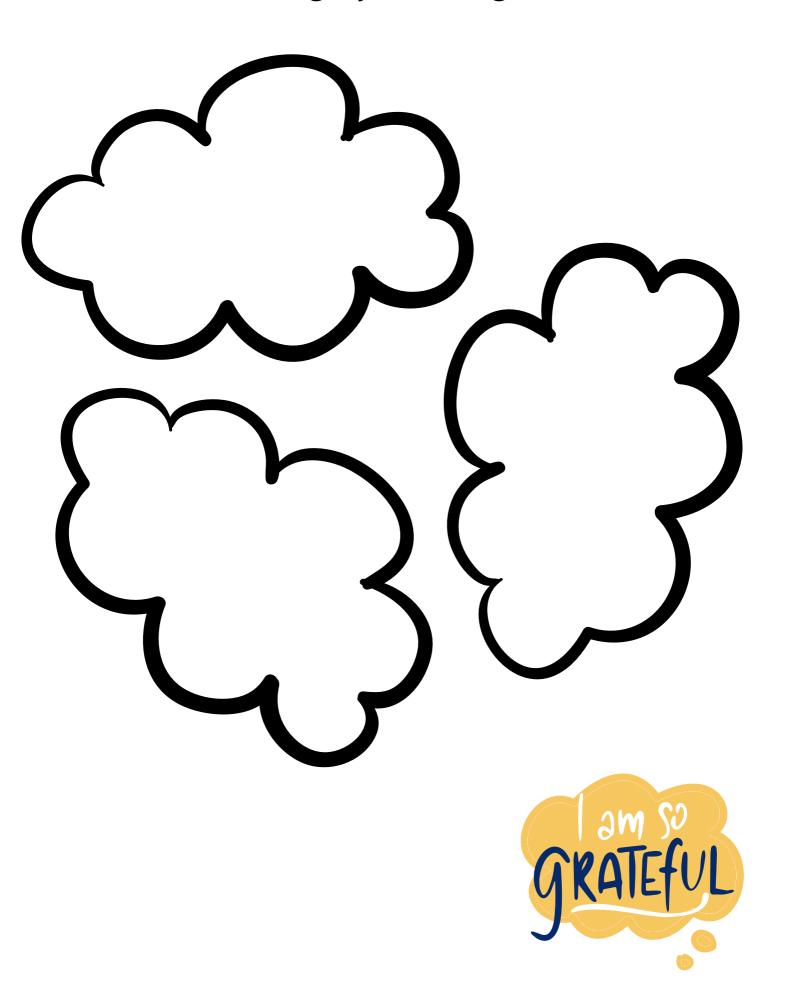
## MINDFULNESS ACTIVITY



Practice paying
attention to your
breath to calm your
body. Take full breaths
by tracing the lines with
your finger as you
breathe in and out.

Now draw a overlapping triangles, one for each breath

### Draw 3 things you are grateful for



### MINDFULNESS MANDALA

Complete the mandala below

