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#### **Self-Care Checklist for Parents**

Taking care of **yourself** is essential to **effectively supporting your child**. Prioritizing your **well-being** helps you stay **patient**, **consistent**, **and emotionally available**. Use this **checklist** to ensure you're making time for **self-care each day**.

### 🔽 Daily Self-Care Tasks

(Choose at least one per day to recharge and reduce stress.)

- ✓ Take 10 minutes of quiet time (deep breathing, meditation, or simply resting).
- Go for a short walk or engage in light exercise.
- Drink enough water and eat nourishing meals.
- Get outside for fresh air and sunlight.
- Engage in an activity that brings you joy (reading, music, art, or a hobby).
- Prioritize sleep—aim for a restful bedtime routine.

#### Social & Emotional Support Strategies

(Finding support strengthens your ability to manage daily challenges.)

- Connect with a friend, partner, or family member for a conversation.
- ✓ **Join a support group** or online community for parents of children with ADHD or learning differences.
- ✓ Set boundaries and ask for help when needed—it's okay to take breaks.
- Celebrate small parenting wins—acknowledge your efforts and progress.

## Personal Reflection Prompts

(Writing down your thoughts can help process emotions and clarify next steps.)

- What was one moment of connection I had with my child today?
- ✓ What went well today, and how can I build on it?



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- ✓ What was a challenge today, and how did I handle it?
- ✓ What is one thing I can do for myself tomorrow to feel more balanced?

## **♀** Need Support in Balancing Parenting & Self-Care?

Book a free 30-minute consultation for guidance on stress management, emotional regulation, and building a self-care routine that works for you.



Schedule Here

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By taking **small, intentional steps** toward **self-care**, you create a **stronger foundation** for both **yourself and your child**.

You deserve support, rest, and encouragement—taking care of yourself is not a luxury, it's a necessity.

Which self-care action will you prioritize today?

# Warmly,

Tom