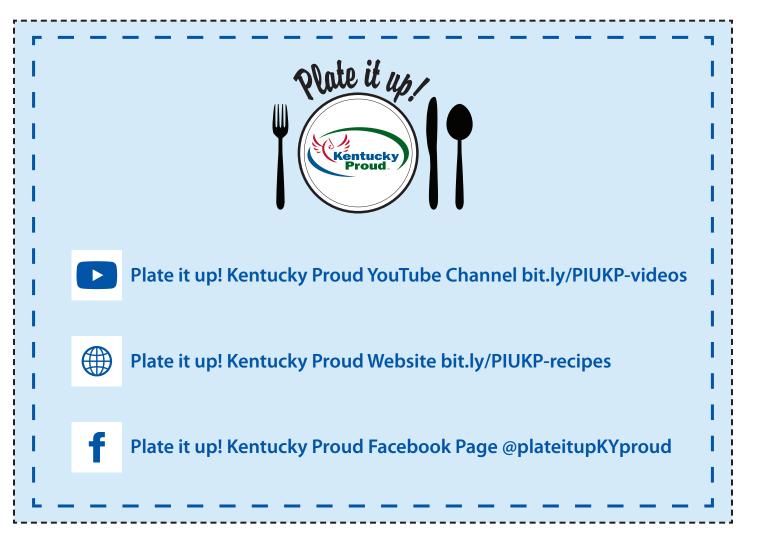
SEPTEMBER 2020

HEALTHY AT HOME

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Plate it up	🏋 Strength 	Send a note for World Letter Writing Day.	2 If something is bothering you, talk about it with someone (examples: a family member, friend, health-care provider, or clergyperson).	3 Identify your happy place, and go there physically or mentally to recharge, even if it is just for a few minutes.	4 Challenge yourself to healthy eating for the weekend. Think fruits, veggies, whole grains, and lean protein. Don't forget to drink water!	Surround yourself with positive people, and practice social distancing while watching the Kentucky Derby!
	😩 Flexibility/Self care	Commercial Stroll - During a commercial break, take a walk around your entire house. Still a commercial? Go again this time speed walking so you don't miss a thing!	Step Ups - Do step ups on the nearest set of stairs. Up, up, down, down counts as one. Do 10, take a break, and do 10 more.	U.S. Bowling League Day - Set up your own bowling alley in a hallway or outside.	Celebrate National College Colors Day and National Wildlife Day – Wear UK Blue, and hike your favorite trail.	Wake up, and go for a jog before it gets too hot today! Warm up with a 5-minute walk then ease into a jogging pace you ca maintain. Finish with a nice stretch.
Take time to read at least one chapter for National Read A Book Day.	7 Promote a positive lifestyle and concentrate on getting ample sleep this week. Ages 18-60: 7+ hours Ages 61-64: 7-9 hours Ages 65+: 7-8 hours	Accept Change: You may not be able to change a situation, but you are in control of how you interpret and respond to it.	9 Avoid negativity and unhealthy outlets. Poor choices – substance use, unhealthy eating, inactivity, etc., only mask a problem. Practice self-care to help eliminate or reduce stress.	10 "Connect to Protect" Honor National Suicide Prevention Month by learning about resources, treatments, and support for suicide prevention.	Bond with empathetic and understanding people.	Reflect on the positive aspects of the week and recall the things for which you are grateful.
into the air. See how many times you can clap before you catch it.	Make Movement Fun - While walking, alternate between skipping, speed walking, and jogging.	Dance, Dance - Put on your favorite song or turn on the radio. Dance however you like during the entire song!	Try Something New - Practice your hand- eye coordination by juggling.	Wake and Shake - As soon as you get out of bed, shake your body any way you like for 10 seconds.	Yoga - Savasana Yoga is a great way to relieve stress. Try Savasana, considered the "hardest" yoga pose! Fully relax and clear your mind.	Parachute with a friend or family member - use a bed sheet like a parachute in PE class Lift up and down to move air underneath th sheet.
Practice positive self-talk for Positive Thinking Day.	Reduce anxiety and create focus by coloring on National Coloring Day.	15 Do one thing today that helps you work toward achieving a bigger goal.	Clean a room, straighten a drawer, or say "no" to a new request to feel more internal peace. Clutter – both inside and out – can leave you overwhelmed, distracted, or anxious.	Maintain Hope. Instead of concentrating on worry or fear, focus on what you want. An optimistic outlook allows you to expect good	18 Aging Awareness Day. Interview an older family member or friend about a signifi- cant life event. Document their story and post a photo on social media.	Rise Up. Volunteer in your community or help a neighbor or friend.
Bleachers - Go to your local high school's bleachers and jog up and down them. How many times can you go without stopping? No bleachers? Use stairs or jog up a hill.	Go Outside - Spend time outside with family or friends today. Leave the cell phones at home, and go for a walk.	Get Ready for Flu Day - Be sure to get your flu shot!	I Spy Walk - Go for a walk with your family while playing a game of I, Spy.	Sidewalk Chalk Balance - Draw different kinds of lines on the ground with chalk. Walk along them with one foot in front of the other, balancing.	Hit the Track – Sprint the straights on the track, and walk the curves. Do this for 10 laps. Bring some music to motivate you!	National Dance Day - Try this mini dance workout to your favorite song: 8 Jumping fist pumps 8 Grapevines to the right and left
20 Make time for your favorite hobby, or do something that makes you feel good.	Break down big jobs into smaller ones so that you do not feel so overwhelmed.	22 Falls Prevention Awareness Day: Make a family member or neighbor's home safer by checking for hazards that can increase fall risk (remove clutter, fix loose flooring, light dark spaces, store necessities within easy reach, add grab bars to bathrooms, etc.).	23 Embrace healthy thoughts.	24. Refuel. Take 10 minutes alone to read, walk, garden, journal, meditate, or whatever it is that helps you build inner peace.	25 Pop popcorn and watch a throwback, feel- good movie. Cardio & Yoga – Do a cardiovascular	Find humor. Laughter relieves stress and tension.
Set up a game of family musical chairs.	Miniature Golf Day - Create your own miniature golf course at your home.	First Day of Fall - Walk through a corn maze.	Exercise DVD – Get an exercise DVD or find one on the internet and do it with the whole family.	Falls Prevention Awareness - Practice your balance by standing on one foot while brushing your teeth.	exercise(s) of your choice for 5 to 10 minutes then try 3 yoga poses holding each pose for 30 to 60 seconds before switching.	Family Health and Fitness Day - Create an obstacle course with household items
27 World Tourism Day - Be a tourist in your own town and explore new places. Or take a virtual tour of a museum.	Breathe deep to help your body deal with stress. Sit or lie in a comfortable position,	Pet your pet – or someone else's. Holding,	30 Play music and just listen.			
Relax your muscles . Stretch and then take a hot shower or bath.	Family Day - Play charades for family game night.	World Heart Day - Stay active to keep your heart healthy. Take a walk on a nature trail.	National Women's Health and Fitness Day - Take time today to work out with a woman in your life. Virtually or in-person.			



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