

5 ways to wellbeing

Connect

With someone you trust or the people around you • With family, friends, pets, colleagues and neighbours • At home, work, school or in your local community

Think of these as the cornerstones of your life and invest time in developing them. Building these connections will support and enrich you every day.

Be active

Go for a walk • Get outside • Cycle • Play a game • Garden • Dance • Take a break from screens

Exercising makes you feel good. Most importantly, discover a physical activity you enjoy and that suits your level of mobility and fitness.

Take notice

Be curious • Catch sight of the beautiful • Remark on the unusual • Notice the changing seasons • Savour the moment, whether you are walking to work, eating lunch or talking to friends

Be aware of the world around you and what you are feeling. Reflecting on your experiences will help you appreciate what matters to you.

Keep learning

Try something new • Discover an interest • Sign up for that course • Go to school • Take on a different responsibility at work • Learn to play an instrument or how to cook your favourite food

Set a challenge you enjoy achieving. Learning new things will make you more confident as well as being fun.

Give

Be kind • Do something nice for a friend or a stranger • Thank someone • Smile • Volunteer your time • Join a community group

Look out, as well as in. Seeing yourself, and your happiness, as linked to the wider community can be incredibly rewarding and creates connections with the people around you.