

RM 7–PA: Physical Activity Log*



Name _____ Class _____

Month _____ Week of _____

	Activity Description	Duration	Intensity (Light, Moderate, Vigorous)	Personal Reflection
<i>Example</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Walked to school ▪ Jogged after school ▪ Mowed the lawn 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 20 min. ▪ 30 min. ▪ 15 min. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Light ▪ Vigorous ▪ Moderate 	Felt great today. Had a good sleep. Ate too much at dinner. Feel a bit stressed about math test tomorrow.
Day 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Day 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Day 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Day 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Day 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Day 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Day 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ▪ ▪ 	
Totals				

Consider ways to increase your physical activity:

- **Add activity.** Find a new activity that you enjoy. Walk for 15 to 30 minutes before you sit down for your favourite TV show or as a break during your work day.
- **Trade active time for inactive time.** Take a walk after dinner, ride an exercise bike or do curl-ups while watching TV, walk to return video rentals or to pick up small grocery items.
- **Do more of what you are already doing.** Walk at a faster pace, walk for 30 minutes instead of 20, or walk five times a week instead of three times.
- **Work a little harder.** Turn your walks into power walks or jogs.

* Source: Dairy Council of California. "Physical Activity Journal." *Meals Matter: Eating for Health—Health Topics*. 2005. <www.mealsmatter.org>. Adapted with permission of Dairy Council of California.