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30 DAY SELF COACHING JOURNAL

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Welcome to your 30-day self-coaching journal for shadow work!

This journal is designed to help you explore the unconscious parts of yourself and to bring them into conscious awareness in a safe and supportive way.

The process of shadow work can be challenging, but it is also an important step in personal growth and self-awareness.

By taking the time to reflect on your thoughts, feelings, and behaviors, you can gain insight into your unconscious patterns and beliefs, and learn how to make positive changes in your life.

Shadow work can encompass a wide range of topics and themes, but there are generally three main areas that are explored:

- **Emotions:** The shadow often contains difficult or unresolved emotions, such as anger, fear, sadness, or shame. These emotions may have been suppressed, denied, or rejected at some point in the past, and they can have a powerful influence on our thoughts, behaviors, and relationships.
- **Beliefs and values:** The shadow can also contain beliefs and values that conflict with our conscious attitudes and worldview. For example, we may have a conscious belief that we are worthy and deserving of love but an unconscious belief that we are not good enough or unworthy of love.
- **Patterns and behaviors:** The shadow can also contain patterns of behavior or habits that are harmful or self-sabotaging. These patterns may be driven by unconscious beliefs or emotions, and they can be difficult to change without exploring the underlying issues in the shadow.

Each day of this journal will focus on one of these three areas of the shadow, with prompts and questions designed to help you reflect on your thoughts, feelings, and behaviors. By exploring these three areas of the shadow, you can gain insight into your unconscious patterns and beliefs and learn how to make positive changes in your life.



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Shadow work is a transformative practice that involves exploring and integrating the unconscious aspects of oneself, often referred to as the "shadow self." These hidden parts can include repressed emotions, desires, and aspects of our personality that we may find uncomfortable or unacceptable. By bringing these elements into conscious awareness, individuals can achieve greater self-understanding and personal growth.

Engaging in shadow work offers numerous benefits, such as enhanced self-awareness, emotional healing, and improved relationships. By acknowledging and accepting all facets of oneself, individuals can reduce internal conflicts and project fewer negative traits onto others, leading to more authentic connections. Additionally, this process can unearth hidden talents and foster a deeper sense of wholeness.

To begin shadow work, one can start with self-reflection techniques like journaling, where thoughts and emotions are freely expressed to uncover recurring themes or triggers. Seeking guidance from a therapist experienced in shadow work can provide professional support, especially when addressing deep-seated traumas. Practices such as meditation and mindfulness also aid in observing inner experiences without judgment, facilitating the integration of the shadow self.

It's important to approach shadow work with patience and self-compassion, as confronting hidden aspects of oneself can be challenging. Creating a safe and supportive environment, whether through personal practices or professional assistance, is crucial for effective shadow work.



DATE: _____

PROMPT:

PLEASE BRAIN-DUMP EVERYTHING THAT COMES UP FOR YOU.



REFLECTION

Reread your answer. What does your answer tell you about yourself and your past?

What is one thing that I can do right now to start making positive changes based on my insights?

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**EMOTIONAL
PROMPTS**

DAYS 1-10

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BELIEFS
PROMPTS

DAYS 11-20

DAY 11

"I am worthy of creating a life that aligns with my values and goals."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 12

"I am capable of achieving my dreams and reaching my full potential."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 13

"I deserve abundance and prosperity in all areas of my life."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 14

"I am worthy of love, happiness, and joy."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 15

"I am worthy of healthy and fulfilling relationships."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

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DAY 16

"I am worthy of self-care and self-compassion."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 17

"I am capable of creating positive change in the world."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 18

"I am worthy of forgiveness, both from myself and others."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 19

"I am enough, just as I am."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

DAY 20

"I deserve a life that brings me fulfillment and purpose."

What comes up for you when reading this statement?

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PATTERNS &
BEHAVIORS

DAY 21 - 30

DAY 21

PROCRASTINATION

Putting off tasks or responsibilities until the last minute or avoiding them altogether.

Example: Putting off studying for a test until the night before or avoiding starting a difficult task until it is absolutely necessary.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 22

PERFECTIONISM

Holding oneself to unrealistic or unattainable standards or being overly critical of oneself or others.

Example: Refusing to turn in a project until it is "perfect" or constantly criticizing oneself or others for not meeting unrealistic standards.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 23

DISORGANIZATION

Struggling to manage time, tasks, or resources effectively.

Example: Struggling to keep track of important documents or deadlines or frequently losing or misplacing items.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 24

LACK OF BOUNDARIES

Failing to set or enforce healthy boundaries with others or being a "people pleaser."

Example: Agreeing to take on additional tasks or responsibilities even when it is not feasible or failing to set limits with others to avoid confrontation or disappointment.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 25

NEGATIVE SELF-TALK

Engaging in critical or self-defeating thoughts about oneself or others.

Example: Belittling oneself or others or constantly doubting one's own abilities or worth.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 26

IMPULSIVITY

Acting without thinking through the consequences or taking unnecessary risks.

Example: Making impulsive or risky decisions without considering the consequences or acting on immediate desires without thinking about the long-term effects.

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DAY 27

LACK OF SELF-CARE

Neglecting one's own physical, emotional, or mental well-being.

Example: Neglecting one's own physical, emotional, or mental well-being, such as by skipping meals or not getting enough sleep.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 28

→ EXCESSIVE WORRY OR ANXIETY ←

Struggling to manage stress or anxiety in a healthy way.

Example: Constantly dwelling on negative thoughts or stressing about potential problems, or struggling to manage stress or anxiety in a healthy way.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

[illegible]

DAY 29

AVOIDANCE

Avoiding tasks, responsibilities, or situations that make one feel uncomfortable, anxious, or overwhelmed.

Example: Avoiding social situations or avoiding confrontation or difficult conversations.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

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DAY 30

DEPENDENCE

Relying on others for validation, support, or decision-making, rather than taking responsibility for oneself.

Example: Seeking approval or validation from others before making decisions or relying on others to solve problems or manage one's own responsibilities.

In which areas of my life do I express this behavior?

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