Time Management Techniques*

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Eat the frog

A time management technique

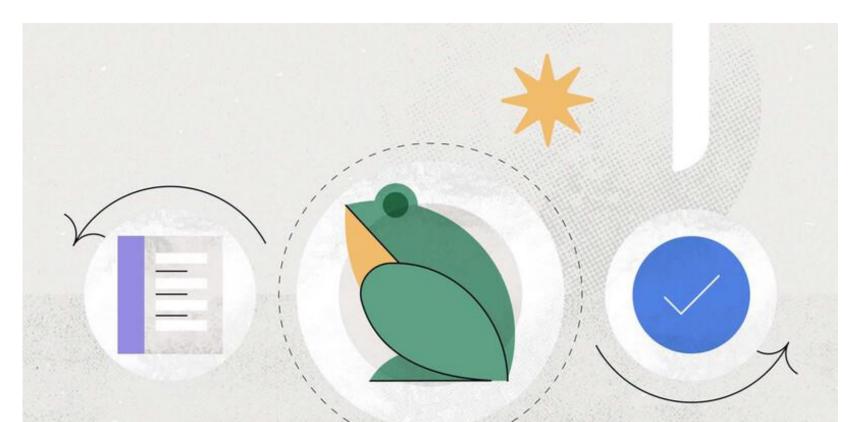


"If it's your job to eat a frog, it's best to do it first thing in the morning" - Mark Twain





Do things that you don't like first. Or things that are the most difficult



Steps of eating the frog

- 1. Choose your frog.
- 2. Choose not-so-big frogs.
- 3. Turn big frogs into many small frogs.
- 4. No overfrogging
- 5. Prepare your next frog





The Pomodoro technique

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Idea:

Having 25-minute periods of focused work followed by short breaks increases quality and effectiveness.



- 1. Pick a task
- 2. Set a 25-minute timer
- 3. Work on your task until the time is up
- 4. Take a 5 minute break
- Every 4 pomodoros, take a longer 15-30 minute break



The 10-Minute Rule

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Idea:

It is about talking yourself into getting started. It puts you in motion focusing on the output not on outcome. Just tell yourself: "I'll try it for 10 minutes." and start.



- 1. Select a task
- 2. Start working on it immediately
- 3. After ten minutes have passed, reflect on your focus and patience: do you want to stop working on the task, or do you wish to continue for 10 minutes more?
- 4. Work for 10-minute time periods until you want to stop working on this task for the day

Idea: complete a random piece of your project at a random time

Swiss cheese technique



Swiss cheese technique

Idea:

Complete a random piece of your project at a random time.

Steps

- Start by taking a little piece from your overwhelming project
- Poke holes in the cheese chunk by continuously doing small tasks one at a time throughout your work day
- 3. Create so many holes in the cheese block to finish it easily

Thank you for the attention

