

## AT FELLOWES, WE BELIEVE IN WELLNESS.

We believe in products that improve life at work. That's why we create them. With the launch of our Sit-Stand Workstations, we wanted to provide you with a 30-day Quick Start Guide to lead a more productive, active life. Try adding these tips to your day and see how you feel at the end of the month. Hopefully, you'll be moving effortlessly just like our Sit-Stands.





Track the Time You Spend on Tasks & Limit it



Start keeping track of how long it takes to do certain tasks throughout your day. You may be surprised to find that simpler tasks are take longer than they should. Time tracking tools like Toggl can help.



Take Breaks



Taking breaks can help improve concentration. Research shows that taking short breaks during long tasks helps you maintain a consistent level of performance. With your Fellowes Sit-Stand, it's easy to take short breaks shifting from sitting to standing positions.



Set Your Own Deadlines



If a task doesn't come with a deadline, give yourself one. You may be surprised just how focused and productive you can be.



Follow the "Two-Minute Rule"



Implement the "two-minute rule" to make the most of small windows of time that you have at work. If you have a task or action that you know can be done in two minutes or less, do it right away.



Have You Stretched Today?



Did you know: Doing a quick 5-minute stretch improves circulation, helps maintain better posture and relieves stress.





Turn Off Notifications 13

It's easy to be distracted when a text pops up while you're working, but answering it has the potential to disrupt your entire "flow." During work hours, turn off your notifications, and instead build time in your schedule to check messages.



Try Working in 90-Minute Intervals

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Research shows that people, who work in intervals of no more than 90 minutes are more productive than those who work 90 minutes-plus. After spending 90 minutes on a task, get up and move around. And don't forget to alternate between sitting and standing during your working intervals!



Deskercise Round 3 15

"Track" Laps - walk the outer perimeter of your entire office 3-5 times during your lunch break. It will even help aid digestion!



Get Some Decorations. Add Color. Add Plants.

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Aesthetically pleasing elements like plants can increase productivity by up to 15 percent. Decorate your office space with pictures, candles, flowers, or anything else that puts a smile on your face.



What's Your
Favorite Song
at the Moment?

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Did you know: Listening to music helps cognitive performance, elevates mood and increases motivation.



Set Your Schedule for the Next Day Before You Leave the Office

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Prioritize the most urgent tasks. Don't forget to leave your list in plain view. The built-in device channel on the Lotus™ Sit-Stand Workstation is a great place to set your list where you're sure not to miss it!



Avoid Heavy Lunches 19

Snack on foods high in protein, fiber and antioxidants throughout the day, like granola and berries. Stick to whole foods. If you do feel a little heavy after lunch, don't forget to be mindful to switch up your working position, alternate between sitting and standing, and walk around.



Deskercise Round 4 **20** 

Ab Squeeze - simply take a deep breath and tighten the abdominal muscles, bringing them in towards the spine as you exhale. Stay squeezed for 5-10 seconds and release. Repeat for 12-15 reps.



Keep Your Workspace Clean 21

Keep your desk organized and free from clutter. The time you spend looking for something on a crowded desk adds up to additional minutes to get work done. Lucky for you, all Fellowes Sit-Stands have built-in cord management to keep your desk free of cords!



How Many Glasses of Water Have You Drank Today? 22

Did you know: You should drink eight, 8-ounce glasses of water a day.



Get Your Most Dreaded Task Out of the Way



We all have that one thing on our to-do list that we keep avoiding. You should start and get it off your plate immediately. Everything else you have on your list won't look as bad by comparison!





Recognize when your plate is full and learn to say "no." Often we feel that when we take on more tasks, we become more valuable. But we can't handle everything and must learn to recognize our limits. It's better to do a few things really well than to do several things in a mediocre fashion.



30 Days Later, What Do You Notice Most?



