THE CONFIDENCE KICKSTART WORKBOOK

Quick Exercises to Boost Your Confidence in Any Situation



Confidence isn't something you're born with—it's something you build. Whether you're about to give a presentation, step into a new role, or just want to stop second-guessing yourself, this workbook is designed to get you feeling bold, self-assured, and ready for anything.

CHAPTER 1: THE 2-MINUTE POWER BOOST

(For when you need confidence ASAP—before a meeting, a tough conversation, or a social event.)

1. Power Pose (Yes, Really)

- 🚀 Stand up, feet shoulder-width apart.
- 🚀 Hands on your hips or raised like a champion.
- 🚀 Hold for 2 minutes, breathe deeply, and feel the shift.

(Science-backed! Amy Cuddy's research shows this can actually boost confidence and lower stress.)

2. The "Hype Song" Trick

Put on a song that makes you feel unstoppable. Think Beyoncé's Run the World, Eye of the Tiger, or anything that makes you want to strut into a room like you own it.

TRY IT: What's your hype song? Write it down here:

3. The "I've Got This" List

Before a nerve-wracking moment, write down three things you've done well recently. Remind yourself that you're capable and have tackled challenges before.

Example:

- "I nailed that client call last week."
- ✓ "I figured out a difficult task on my own."
- "I helped a friend through a tough situation."

YOUR TURN : List three of your wins:			
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CHAPTER 2: TALK THE TALK CONFIDENCE IN CONVERSATIONS

(For when you want to sound more self-assured in meetings, networking events, or casual chats.)

1	The	"Pause	&	Power"	Trick
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- ♦ Avoid the "ummm, like, I think..." filler words.
- ☑ Instead, pause before speaking. It makes you sound more confident and in control.

2. The "Confident Voice" Challenge

Read this out loud, standing tall:

"I have valuable ideas to share. My voice matters. I bring something unique to the table."

Now, rewrite your own power statement:

"I am ______, and I am great at _____."

3. The "Exit Strategy" for Awkward Situations

If a conversation is dying and you don't know how to leave, try:

✓ "I'd love to keep chatting, but I need to [grab a drink/take a call/find my friend]."

✓ "I really enjoyed this conversation! Let's connect again soon."

(Smooth, professional, and no awkward hovering.)

CHAPTER 3: THE CONFIDENCE MINDSET SHIFT

(For long-term confidence growth-because self-belief is a habit.)

1. Flip the Script on Negative Thoughts

- O Before: "I'm not qualified for this."
- After: "I'm still learning, and I bring fresh ideas to the table."
- Sefore: "What if I mess up?"
- After: "What if I do great?"
- 💡 Your Turn: Write down one negative thought, then rewrite it as a positive belief:

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2. The "What's the Worst That Can Happen?" Game

When fear kicks in, ask yourself:

- What's the absolute worst that can happen?
- And if that happens, what will I do?

Most of the time, you'll realize the worst isn't that bad—and you can handle it.



CHAPTER 4: THE 7-DAY CONFIDENCE CHALLENGE

Want to boost your confidence in just a week? Try these daily challenges:

- ☑ Day 1: Say something positive about yourself out loud. (Yes, to yourself. No, it's not weird.)
- Day 2: Make eye contact and hold it for an extra second in conversations.
- ☑ Day 3: Walk into a room like you own it—shoulders back, head high.
- ☑ Day 4: Speak up at least once in a meeting or group chat.
- ☑ Day 5: Try something new that you'd usually hesitate on.
- ☑ Day 6: Compliment someone—it boosts their confidence and yours.
- ☑ Day 7: Reflect on what you learned and celebrate your wins.

TINAL BOOST: YOUR CONFIDENCE CHEAT SHEET

- **Remember**: Confidence isn't about knowing everything. It's about trusting yourself to figure things out.
- One thing I'll do today to be more confident:
- One thing I love about myself:
- 🚀 Let's go! Confidence is a skill—you're already building it. 💪

