

### What is mindfulness?

At Tkiya, we believe it is important to remind ourselves to live and be present in the moment! This means practicing gratitude and taking care of our bodies and our minds. We can use tools like deep breaths, counting, and positive words to feel good about ourselves! We can also read, sing, dance, and connect with others. Sometimes, we all need to take a break and remind ourselves to breathe, so enjoy this collection of a deep breath in the form of music.

You can learn more about mindfulness on our website.

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## **Chesed/I Send Out Love** by Rachel Altounian

#### **Chorus:**

I send out love love love Even if we are apart I send out love love love

I send out chesed from my heart

Think of someone you know very well Somebody who makes you feel dandy See that someone in your mind

And send them thoughts as sweet as candy

And all the things that you've been through
See your own self in your mind

And there's just one more thing that you have

to do

Give yourself love love In the good times and the hard Give yourself love love love You can let down your guard

Now it's time to think of you

#### **Chorus**

Think about the whole wide world So many different people and things See the whole world in your mind Let's find out what sharing chesed brings

#### **Chorus**

### **Chorus**

Watch our Mindful Music episode about Chesed here!

## Give A Hug by Bari Koral

Give a hug, give give a hug Give a hug, give give a hug Give a hug give a hug give a hug right now

Shake a hand, shake shake a hand Shake a hand, shake shake a hand Shake a hand, shake a hand Shake a hand right now

<u>Listen to Give a Hug on Spotify by Bari Koral</u> Listen to Give A Hug on Youtube by Bari Koral Blow a kiss blow blow a kiss Blow a kiss, blow blow a kiss Blow a kiss blow a kiss Blow a kiss right now

Give a hug, give give a hug Give a hug, give give a hug Give a hug give a hug give a hug right now

## **I Can Do Things** by Stephanie Leavell

I'm taking a chance, trying something new Something I'm a little scared to do Dust off my cape, stand a little taller And already I'm feeling stronger

'Cause I am brave And I am strong And I can do things Even when they're hard

'Cause I am brave And I am strong And I can do things Even when they're hard

Out - 1 2 3

I have butterflies I don't wanna show Well sometimes, that's just how life goes So take a deep breath and keep moving ahead One foot in front of the other, my friend

#### **Chorus**

I believe in you, you believe in me Together we can do anything (6x)

'Cause I am brave And I am strong And I can do things Even when they're hard

'Cause I am brave And I am strong And I can do things Even when they're hard

Even when they're hard Even when they're hard

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# Neshama, I Breathe In by Rachel Altounian

Sometimes life is scary

Neshama, a breath of life

Sometimes it feels like a test

Can be helpful and fun

When I find my center

I can be my best

Neshama, a breath of life

This is how it's done

Chorus First you let out all your air Neshama, I breathe in \*exhale\*

Neshama, I breathe out
In - 1 2 3
Then you breathe three counts way down to
Out - 1 2 3
there!
In - 1 2 3
\*inhale\*

Let it out real slow and then Before the first day of school \*exhale\*

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Or after something sad I can find my center And I don't feel so bad

Breathe it in and start again! \*inhale\*

#### Chorus

#### **Chorus**

### Watch our Mindful Music episode about Neshama here!

### **Notice Me** by Rachel Altounian

My apple is red, It's sweet and it's mine It's my tasty treat And when I take My first juicy bite It feels so great to eat

An apple is meant to help us grow
And get us through the day
If I don't think twice before eating it up
Then the apple will say

"Notice me, notice me, Before and while you chew Can't you see I wanna be Yummy and good for you"

My celery is green, It's mild and it's mine It's my tasty treat And when I take My first crunchy bite It feels so great to eat

Celery is meant to help us grow And get us through the day If I don't think twice before eating it up Then the celery will say "Notice me, notice me, Before and while you chew Can't you see I wanna be Yummy and good for you"

My yogurt is white, It's cold and it's mine It's my tasty treat And when I take My first creamy bite It feels so great to eat

Yogurt is meant to help us grow
And get us through the day
If I don't think twice before eating it up
Then the yogurt will say

"Notice me, notice me, Before and while you chew Can't you see I wanna be Yummy and good for you"

Watch our Mindful Music episode about Chai (Life)!

## One Little Act of Kindness by Susan Salidor

One little act of kindness goes a long long way

One little loving word...
One little hug and kiss...

Two little acts of kindness can brighten anyone's day

Three little acts of kindness make a beautiful sound

Four little acts of kindness help the world go round

<u>Listen to this song by Susan Salidor on Spotify</u>
<u>Watch Susan Salidor read her book and sing</u>
One Little Act of Kindness!

## Peace Like A River - Traditional

I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul.

I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul.

I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.

<u>Listen to Elizabeth Mitchell's rendition on Spotify</u> <u>Listen to Elizabeth Mitchell's rendition on YouTube</u> I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.

I've got love like the ocean,
I've got love like the ocean,
I've got love like the ocean in my soul.

I've got love like the ocean, I've got love like the ocean, I've got love like the ocean in my soul.

### **Shalom Mind** by Rachel Altounian

Be still
Deep breaths
To yourself, be kind
Let's count
To five
And find our Shalom mind

One, here we go
Two, a little bit more
Three, on with the show
And you can't forget four
Five, and that's the end
Til we do it all again
To yourself, be kind
And find your Shalom mind

Toe-Dah by Eliana Light

Toe DAH! Toe DAH! Todah Rabah!

Toe DAH! Toe DAH! Todah Rabah!

Thank you for my (insert body part)
Thank you for my (insert body part)
Thank youl for my (insert body part)
And thank you for my toes!

Toe DAH! Toe DAH! Todah Rabah!

Toe DAH! Toe DAH! Todah Rabah!

Watch Eliana Light sing Toe-Dah here!

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To yourself, be kind
And find your Shalom mind.

Watch our Mindful Music episode about Shalom Mind!

# What Are You Thankful For Today by Elana Jagoda

What are we thankful for today?

Share with me the blessings that have come your way

What are we thankful for today?

Share with me the blessings that have come your way

I'm thankful that the sun is shining I'm thankful I've got food to eat I'm thankful for the songs I sing I'm thankful for my dancing feet

#### Chorus

What if you and a friend had a fight
Maybe you got hurt when you fell off your bike
Maybe mom and dad made a dinner you didn't like
But be grateful – you have a plateful

<u>Listen to Elana Jagoda on Spotify</u> <u>Listen to Elana Jagoda on Youtube</u> I'm thankful that I've got clothes to wear I'm thankful that I've got enough to share

I'm thankful for for what the earth brings me

I'm thankful for my friends and family

#### Chorus

I'm thankful that I've got clothes to wear I'm thankful that I've got enough to share

I'm thankful for for what the earth brings me

I'm thankful for my friends and family

#### Chorus

# **Mindfulness Songs Vocabulary**

**Chesed** - The Hebrew word for kindness

**Shalom** - The Hebrew word for hello, goodbye, and peace

**Todah Rabah** - The Hebrew phrase for thank you very much

Neshama - The Hebrew word for soul or spirit

**Chai** - The Hebrew word for life