### Conflict and Arguing Fairly



Arguing is not communicating. Most conflicts start by lack of communication and planning.

Taking time to prepare and plan will help eliminate problems and confusion. Which will eliminate arguing.

Ensure to listen and understand each role and responsibilities.

Remember your a TEAM.

Module

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Personality traits. Answer the Following questions that represent your personal behavior. Then Identify which of the following you need to work on to become the best version of yourself.

Description	Yes	No
When it comes to discussing a conflict do I argue fairly?		
Do I have show anger with my body language?		
Do I always blame my partner for unsolved issues?		
Do I ignore the problems than trying to fix them?		
Do I manipulate or make my partner feel guilty?		
Do I send threats when we are arguing?		
Do I let my ego get in the way of making a decision?		

This exercise is to understand your behavior and to start making changes. Remember it is important to be honest and say your truth.



## Find Common Ground

It is important to discuss your issues in a mature manner to avoid issues.

#### Example:

- All issues that you both have identified
- Issues you feel would be difficult to compromise on
- Issues you can compromise on
- Write down your issue
- Write down your options
- Write down your action plan

Couples need to work as a team to ensure all issues are resolved.

This is an important skill to practice at home, work and as a family.

#### TEAM WORK

#### Find Common Ground

Issue we have Identified. One (1) issue at a time

An issue I feel are to difficult to compromise on and action plan

Issue I can compromise on and create an action plan

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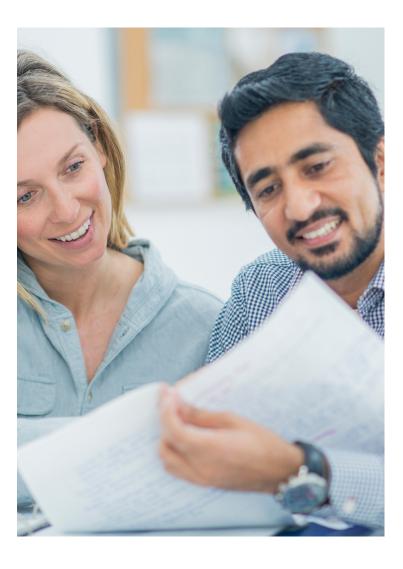
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#### Solving Problems as a Couple

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Solving day to day problems are helpful for when you have bigger problems to solve. It helps to eliminate stress and helps the family dynamics.

A relationship is like running a ship. To ensure everything runs smoothly it is important to have all the componants of a home in order.

Running an effective household is part of everyone's responsibilites.

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#### Problem Solving

**Step One:** With your partner, create a shared list of issues.

**Step Two:** Individually make a list of any issues that you feel would be difficult for you to compromise on. Try to make this list as small as possible.

**Step Three:** Make a list of any issues you feel you would be able to compromise on. Try to make this list as large as possible.

**Step Four:** Share your lists with each other. Take a gentle, loving approach to sharing, each taking turns with the Speaker and Listener roles, as you share your lists.

#### Ask yourselves the following questions:

- What do we agree on?
- What are our common feelings, or the most important feelings?
- What common goals do we have?
- How can we better understand this situation, or this issue?
- How do we think these goals should be accomplished?

Step Five: Identify the common ground and list them.

**Step Six:** Identify the differences – areas that need further discussion or work.

**Step Seven:** With acceptance and respect for your differences, discuss how to create a win/win solution that is acceptable to both of you.

#### Problem Solving

01 Understand and define the problem	02 Create a plan
03 Take action	04 Review
Additio	nal Notes



#### Time Management

Time management is about more than just managing our time; it is about managing ourselves in relation to time.

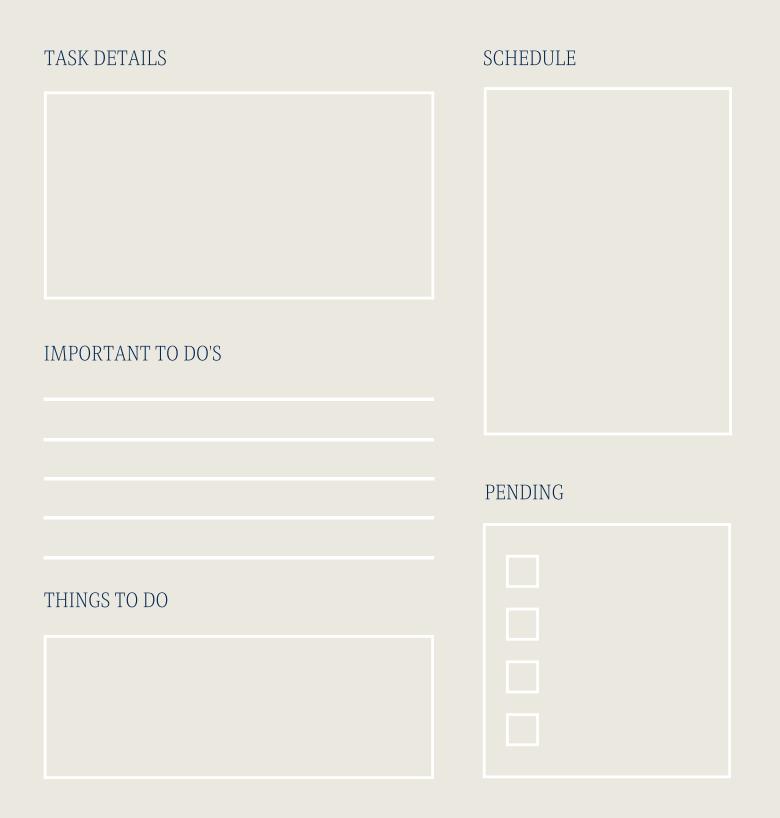
It is about setting priorities and taking charge. It means changing habits or activities that cause us to waste time.

It means being willing to experiment with different methods and ideas to enable you to find the best way to make maximum use of time.

Being organize helps eliminate stress in your personal life, work and relationship.

#### Your Daily Planner

Keeping track of your schedule, events, etc. is very helpful to eliminate stress.



### Daily Planner

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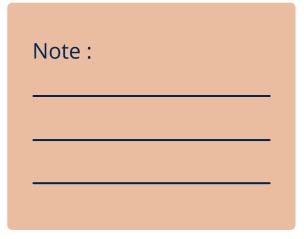
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## Year At Glance



# Monthly Planner

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	2	2		E.	C	7
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	1	2	3	4	5





## Weekly Schedule

Create a weekly schedule

MON	Date :
TUE	WEEKS GOAL
WED	
THU	
FRI	PRIORITIES
SAT	
	REVIEW
SUN	

NOTES

Additional Notes