

TIME OF DAY

Exercise during the **Kapha Time** of the day, which is from **6am to 10am**.

This time provides a unique sense of **groundedness**, **stability**, and **strength**. Exercising at the Vata Time, from 2pm to 6pm, will provoke your delicate Vata dosha.

WORKOUT FREQUENCY

Avoid overexertion and excessive sweating. Workout 4-5 days a week from 20-45 minutes with a low intensity.

Drink some water, breathe. Recover. Do a **grounding session** at the end.

TYPES OF EXERCISE

Ideal types of exercise:

- Mindful strength training
- Qigong
- Swimming
- Yoga
- Cycling
- Tai chi

However, if you already have a workout activity that you love, just make sure you practice it the Ayurvedic way!

WAYS TO MOVE

Make sure you move

- Slowly
- Mindfully
- Fluidly
- · With an intention
- Breathing deeply
- Avoiding exhaustion
- Avoiding unnecessary tension
- Avoiding excessive sweating

REST & RECOVER

- Take at least 2 days off to fully recover.
- Support your joints and muscles by doing Abhyanga with sesame or almond oil.
- Activate your joints and muscles before exercise.
- Take stem or Epsom salt baths once a week to help your muscles heal.

MORE BALANCING TIPS FOR VATA

If possible, workout outdoors.

Incorporate Yoga in your **grounding session**, at the end of your workout, to help stretch and prevent tightening and contraction (Vata qualities).

Do **Savasana** (lying pose) for a few minutes after each workout.

Practice lunar alternate nostril breathing before and after each fitness routine.

Find your way. The idea is to make your exercise session fluid, grounding, calming, flexible, and strengthening.

Celebrate your success! **Progress pictures** are a great way to be proud of yourself.



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This time provides a unique sense of groundedness, stability, coolness, and strength.

Exercising at the Pitta Time from 10am—2pm might provoke your dosha.

WORKOUT FREQUENCY

Avoid overexertion.

Exercise **5-6 days** a week from **45-60 minutes** with a **moderate intensity.**Drink room temperature water, breathe deeply. Recover.

Do a grounding session at the end.

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WAYS TO MOVE

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- Slowly
- Mindfully
- Fluidly
- Breathing deeply
- In a relaxed manner
- Enjoying the workout
- Maintaining your mind and emotions soft and spacious.

REST & RECOVER

- Take at least 1 day off to fully recover.
- Support your joints and muscles by doing
 Abhyanga with coconut oil.
- Activate your joints and muscles before exercise.
- Practice green therapy by spending time in nature.

MORE TIPS FOR PITTA

Incorporate Yoga in your **grounding session**, at the end of your workout, to help you relax, cool down, and prevent tightening and contractions.

Do Savasana (lying pose) for a few minutes after each workout.

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This is when the Kapha's slow, cool, oily, smooth, dense, soft, stable, gross, and cloudy attributes are mostly aggravated. However, due to Kapha sturdiness, you might work out at any other time.

WORKOUT FREQUENCY

Push your limits.

Exercise 5-6 days a week for over 60 minutes with intensity.

Take short rests between movements.

Breathe deeply. Recover.

Do a **grounding session** at the end.

TYPES OF EXERCISE

Ideal types of exercise:

- Mindful strength training
- Plyometrics
- Running
- Martial arts
- Hiking
- Any form of aerobic exercise

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WAYS TO MOVE

Make sure you move...

- Vigorously
- Quickly
- Motivated
- Engaged
- With endurance
- In a challenging way
- Breathing deeply
- Having fun
- Being accountable

REST & RECOVER

- Take at least 1 day off to fully recover.
- Massage your body with dry powders (chickpea rice flour) to stimulate the lymphatic system and help liquify fat.
- Do abhyanga with mustard or safflower oil.
- Avoid oversleeping.
- Wake up before the sun rises.

MORE TIPS FOR KAPHA

Incorporate Yoga in your **grounding session**, at the end of your workout, to help you gain flexibility and prevent tightening.

Have a variety of workouts. Break the routine.

Consider an accountability partner to keep consistent.

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Practice solar alternate nostril breathing each day.

Drink room temperature water infused with pomegranate seeds.

Find your way. The idea is to make your fitness routine vigorous and challenging.