## move**mindfully** Inner Resources: Everyday Practices

Embody your Inner Resources by selecting a card (randomly or intentionally) — or two cards to explore how Inner Resources work together.

- At the beginning of the day to set an intention. Throughout the day, pause for a mindful moment where you take a slow breath in and out while you acknowledge this part of you with appreciation.
- Before a challenging task or conversation. Imagine your Inner Resource whispering its essential messages as you navigate the situation.



- When you're feeling stress, doubt, overwhelm, or other big emotions, acknowledge and welcome them in; then feel the support of your Inner Resources, starting with ACCEPTANCE ("I can be here now just as I am. I can be in this moment just as it is.").
- On a walk by yourself or with others. Invite two or more of your Inner Resources to "walk" with you. Hear the messages they have for you at this time.
- At the beginning of a staff or team meeting, invite everyone to draw an Inner Resource card to reinforce the best of who you are in your collaborative work.
- To connect with a friend, colleague, or family member. Share your Inner Resource card for the day. If you'd like, include a story about the positive impact it is making in your life.

## **ABOUT INNER RESOURCES**

Inner Resources are the parts of yourself that support your well-being, when experiencing any emotion — including fear, overwhelm, excitement, confusion, anger, or grief. Through compelling images and key messages, discover 26 Inner Resources you already have inside to navigate the opportunities and challenges of each day with more clarity, motivation, and ease.

With the movemindfully® Inner Resources Card Deck, cultivate and integrate: Acceptance, Balance, Courage, Dream, Empathy, Flexible, Gratitude, Hope, Imagination, Joy, Kindness, Love, Mindfulness, NO!, Persistence, Quiet, Resourceful, Self, Trust, Understanding, View, Wonder, eXperience, Yes!, and Zest.

## ABOUT MOVEMINDFULLY

movemindfully® is a training and consulting company that brings the science of mindfulness, movement, and social-emotional learning into simple trauma-responsive practices that are used in educational, therapeutic, corporate, and home environments.

