Focus on . . . . staying sane!

I'm keeping it short this week as everyone is in the midst of (or has recently emerged from) finishing papers, taking exams, grading, launching a new clinical appointment, participating in 1,001 Zoom meetings, attending to an ever-growing To-Do list (ok, that's me), and juggling a year of the pandemic and all it brought to our daily lives and the learning environment!

So it's time to mellow out a bit

Take a deep breath . . .

Meditate a little...

NY state of mind on Headspace offers a handful of free short guided exercises to help you stress less.

Stretch....
Yoga with Adriene is a popular Youtube channel that offers an extensive library of videos appealing to a variety of levels of practice, moods, interests, and times.

Get out from behind the computer screen . . .

- There are lots of trails of all kinds to explore nearby and just a little further out of town in the Adirondacks. Search AllTrails or STLC Trails (St. Lawrence County).
- Check out a kayak or canoe from the Clarkson Outing Club and see what Potsdam looks like from the Raquette River!
- The Clarkson boathouse is on the nearby Munter trail.
- Find a guided adventure through Nature Up North or the Laurentian chapter of the Adirondack Mountain Club.

Get some sleep . . .
Spotify has some great sounds to help lull you into slumberland. You don't need a paid subscription to listen to these (but it might ask you to create an account).

![Images of Sleep, Ocean Waves, Savasana, White Noise]

Tip: use a sleep-timer app on your phone if you don't want these to play all night.

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