# **Procrastination** And Covid-19

Proscrastination is not laziness but an active process whereby one chooses to do something else instead of the task at hand.

### Deal with your fear

- What are you afraid of?
- Do the harder task first
- Recognize that you are proscrastinating



## Break projects into more manageable segments.

- Decide on a topic
- Complete research
- Write an introduction etc.

### **Reward yourself**

• Do something you enjoy after completing a task

# **Eliminate distractions**

- Turn off your TV
- Limit your news consumption on COVID-19
- Leave your phone in another room
- Schedule breaks
- Turn off social media

#### Set visible reminders

- Have sticky notes
- Mark deadlines on a calendar
- Create to do lists
- Ask for help

dialogue

• Use task and management

## Establish a routine

- Schedule work hours
  - one hr on and one off
  - take time to connect with loved ones



- If I do this then I have more time to do things I like and enjoy.
- This is temporary, it shall pass

