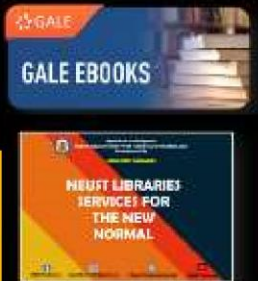




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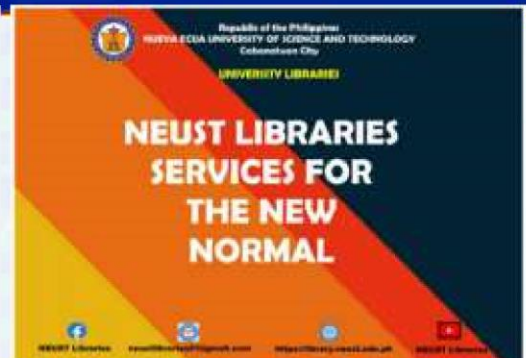
NEUST LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

Analisa Corpus Acosta

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Ever since the emergence of the COVID-19 pandemic, government authorities adopted public safety measures to lower the spread of the coronavirus in their respective countries. Universities responded quickly and hybrid provision became the new normal in Higher Education. In light of the university libraries that were closing their doors as a result, a renewed mission for digital literacy came into existence.

For universities and their academic libraries, the pandemic brought about several challenges. NEUST Librarian library staff did what they could to remotely meet any of the information requests of all NEUST course participants, academic staff and other parties. Research and information from multidisciplinary sources are important - even during a pandemic - since researcher access libraries for information at all times.



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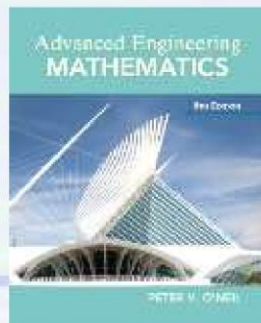
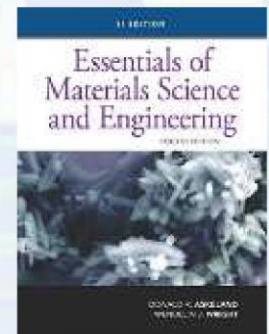
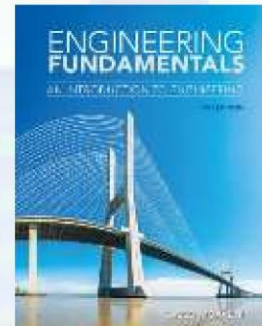
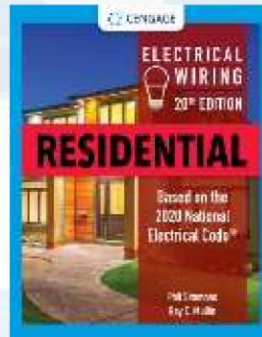
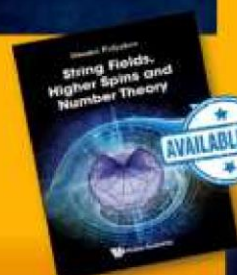
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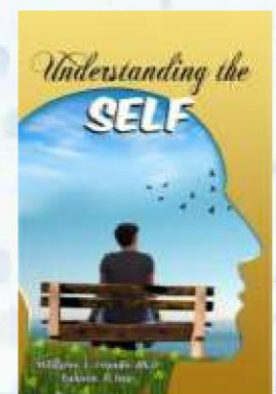
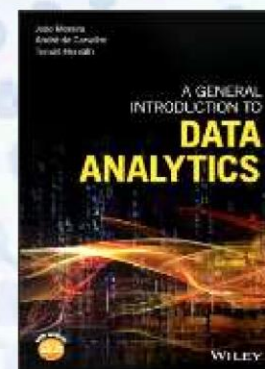
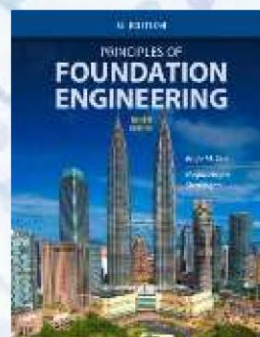
The book aims to analyse and explore deep and profound relations between string field theory, higher spin gauge theories and holography – the disciplines that have been on the cutting edge of theoretical high energy physics and other fields. These intriguing relations and connections involve some profound ideas in number theory, which appear to be part of a unifying language to describe these connections.



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Modern Approach to Educational Technologies considers various aspects of Educational Technologies including an extensive overview of approaches to education and related technologies. It includes introduction to instructional technology, instructional design and its models, essentials of instructional technology. Provides the reader with insights into the development of its history, so as to understand the online learning, social media, webinars and multimedia, cloud computing, along with the broader applications they have in day-to-day lives.



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While many introductory public administration textbooks contain a dedicated chapter on ethics, The Public Administration Profession is the first to utilize ethics as a lens for understanding the discipline. Analysis of the ASPA Code of Ethics are better woven into each chapter alongside complete coverage of the institutions, processes, concepts, practices, history, and ideologies a student needs to gain a thorough grasp of public service as a field of study and practice.



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Congratulations to our beloved University!!!

AACCUP recognizes NEUST as one of the Top Performing SUCs in the Philippines

During the 34th Virtual AACCUP Annual National Conference on March 12, 2021, the Nueva Ecija University of Science and Technology was awarded as one of the Top Performing Universities in the Philippines in terms of the number of Level I and Level III accredited programs in 2020.

Below were the awards received:

TOP 1 PERFORMING SUC WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF LEVEL III ACCREDITED PROGRAMS IN 2020 (22 PROGRAMS)

TOP 3 PERFORMING SUC WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF LEVEL I ACCREDITED PROGRAMS IN 2020 (13 PROGRAMS)



NEUST Librarians and Library Staff Quarterly
Regular meeting via Google Meet

(March 04, 2021)





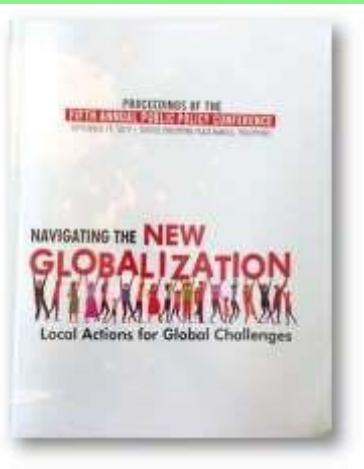
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Sir Thomas Pajarillaga of MIS department guided our University Librarian and staff to easily access the program.

Thank you sir!

Our colleagues from Papaya Campus!
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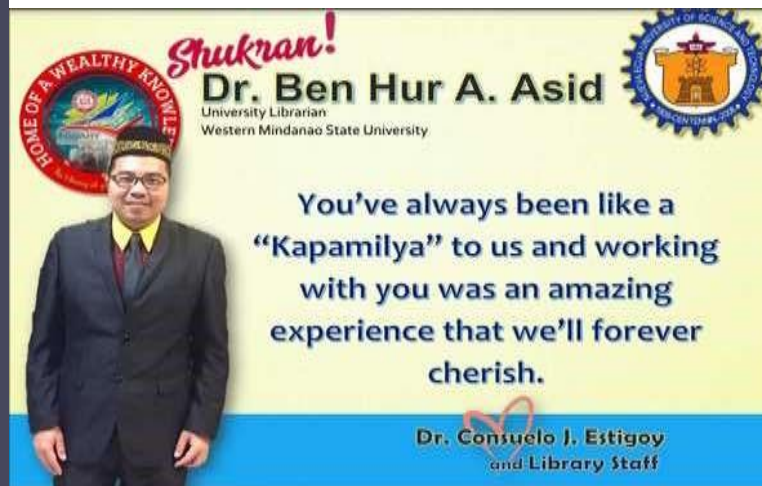
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AACCUP ONLINE ACCREDITATION:

4th Survey Revisit Area VII

- Master of Arts in Teaching
- Master in Educational Management
- Master in Business Administration
- Master in Public Administration



After 4 days of comprehensive and thorough scrutiny of all the documents, a closing ceremony was held where the University President, Dr. Feliciana P. Jacoba, took the opportunity to convey a message of gratitude to all the accreditors, thru the Executive Vice President, Dr. Honorato P. Panahon. Messages of gratitude were also delivered by the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dr. Rhodora R. Jugo and by the Vice President for Research, Extension, and Training, Dr. Rachael Moralde. Over and above, the Dean of the Graduate School, Dr. Jocelyn B. Cruz, elatedly expressed her appreciation and recognition to the chairs of the four programs evaluated and to all the faculty who extended help and support in the preparation of the documents and videos.

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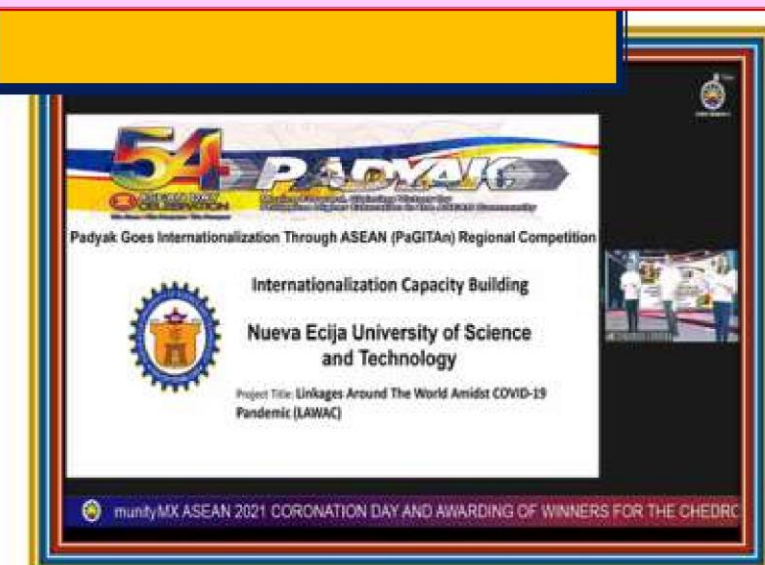
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2021 CHED National ASEAN Celebration

In support of the 2021 CHED National ASEAN celebration with its theme “PADYAK Moving Forward, Claiming Victory for Philippine Higher Education in ASEAN Community”, the Commission on Higher Education launched virtual regional competitions for higher education institutions in Region III.

One of the competitions was the “PAGITAn Regional Competition where the HEIs actively participated by submitting entries under the following categories:

- Niche Building
- Internationalization Capacity Building
- Institutionalization of the Internationalization Program (Wider Community Engagement)



Among the three categories, the Nueva Ecija University of Science and Technology was proclaimed as the winner on “Internationalization Capacity Building” with its entry title “Linkages Around the World Amidst Covid-19 Pandemic (LAWAC).

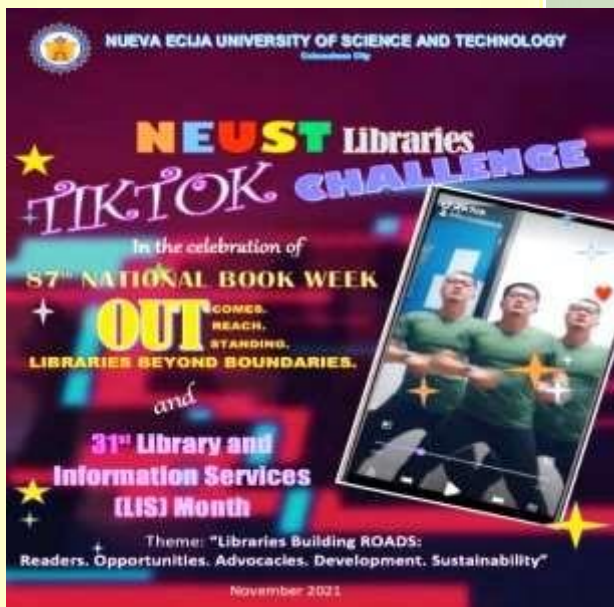
This pursuit was well facilitated thru the collaborative efforts of the Office of International and Domestic Institutional Linkages headed by Atty. Eric G. Claudio with the College of Education under the deanship of Dr. Angelica Cortez; the College of Information and Communication Technology supervised by Dr. Arnold Dela Cruz; and the College of Management, Business, and Technology under the leadership of Dr. Marilou Puno.

Other competition joined by the University was the “Search for Ms. MX ASEAN 2021” represented by Ms. Christian Florence Dumlao from the College of Engineering.

Congratulations to our dearly loved University! Great job!



This year's celebration focuses on our libraries' vision of working beyond boundaries with our stakeholders to encourage and develop more interest for the love of reading and excitement for books, as a fun and enjoyable way to spend quality time with our family members and achieve lifelong learning skills.



For Year 2021, the theme for the 31th commemoration is "Libraries Building ROADS: Readers. Opportunities. Advocacies. Development. Sustainability." The theme emphasizes the following points:

Readers Libraries foster lifelong readers and learners. The foundation of who we are now and where we came from professionally. It does, however, have a different meaning than it did in the 1900s, 1950s, and early 2000s.

Opportunities Libraries is the place for opportunities by providing access to information and skills. It also contributes to the creation of opportunities for people to improve their own lives, as well as the informed decision-making of governments, communities, and others in order to provide services and support that reduce poverty and increase the prosperity of people everywhere.

Advocacies Libraries are at the heart of schools, universities, and communities in every country around the world. It also promotes literacy programs, provides a safe learning environment, and encourages reusing research and data to generate new knowledge.

Development Libraries are important development partners because of their unique role in providing access to information in all formats as well as delivering services and programs that meet the information needs of a changing and increasingly complex society.

Sustainability Libraries are sustainable institutions that share resources in the community and internationally and ensure everyone has access to information. All libraries play a significant role in providing access to data, research and knowledge that supports informed research and decision-making about climate change, and a key role in the preservation of indigenous knowledge which includes local decision-making about fundamental aspects of life including hunting, fishing, land use, and waste management.



🏆 CONGRATULATIONS to the winners of the
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Zharina Joy R. Torres

🥈 Second Place 🥈

Keith Weinsleth L. Dimaano

🥉 Third Place 🥉

Kristine S. Lazaro

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CONGRATULATIONS to the winners of the
TIKTOK CHALLENGE CONTEST 🏆

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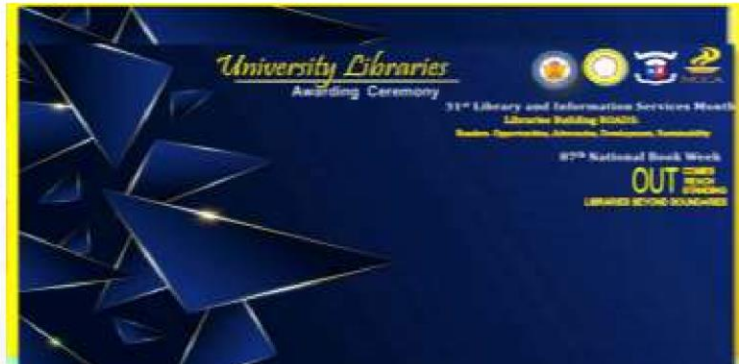
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THANK YOU to all who participated in our 87th National Book Week and 31st Library and Information Science Month (LISM) activities, from the credible judges to the talented participants. Your participation ensured the success of our activities.





Best practices were applied to library space utilization, service philosophy and service visibility.



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STAY HOME IF SICK
HAVE FAITH
COVER YOUR MOUTH
STAY POSITIVE
BE KIND



GUIDELINES ON THE USE OF LEAVE CREDITS FOR ABSENCES DUE TO QUARANTINE/OR TREATMENT RELATIVE TO THE COVID-19 BASED ON CSC MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 08, 5. 2020

Nature of absence: Absence from work during the fourteen (14) calendar days required quarantine period and treatment for COVID-19, shall be considered as **EXCUSED ABSENCE**

DURING QUARANTINE

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2. If exposed to housemate with positive or identified case of covid, do home quarantine and isolate from the identified covid positive case. Observe for onset of signs & symptoms. If positive, do rapid antigen on day 5 -6 post exposure. If negative, complete quarantine for a total of 14 days.
3. Both cases should be reported to the Health Services Office and & Human Resource Office, providing the complete address and cellphone number for the purpose of reporting to the City Health Office surveillance or monitoring.
4. As a form of monitoring, a group chat will be created by the University's Health Services Office for daily monitoring.
5. Report to your barangay on the 1st day of quarantine.

AFTER QUARANTINE

PROCEDURE UPON RETURN TO WORK

1. Application for Leave of Absence;
2. Certificate issued by government/private physician that he/she has submitted himself/herself for monitoring/investigation, as applicable, (for PUM and PUI);
3. Completion of Quarantine Certificate issued by the local quarantine/health official; and
4. Medical Certificate that he/she is cleared to report back to work; or
5. Medical Records showing that he/she was treated of the COVID-19 signed by the attending physician (for those under treatment of COVID-19).

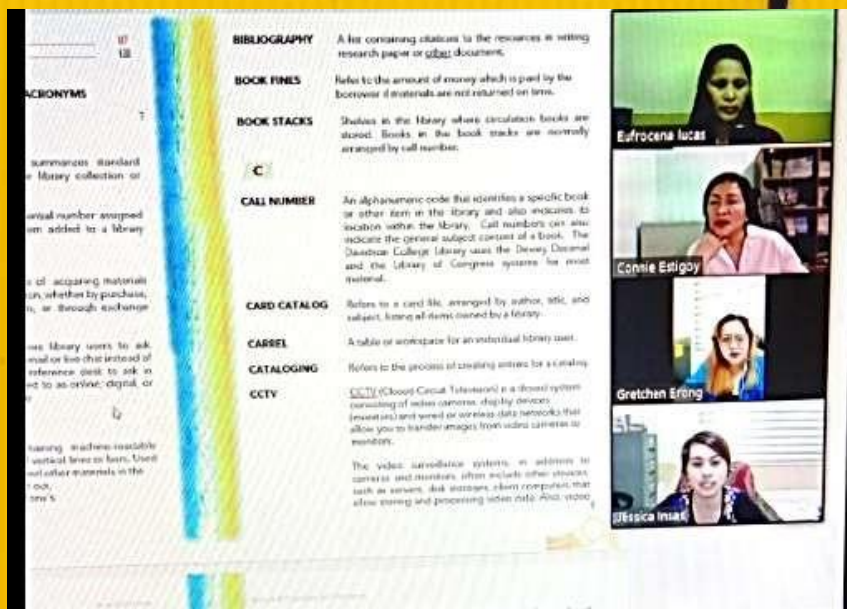


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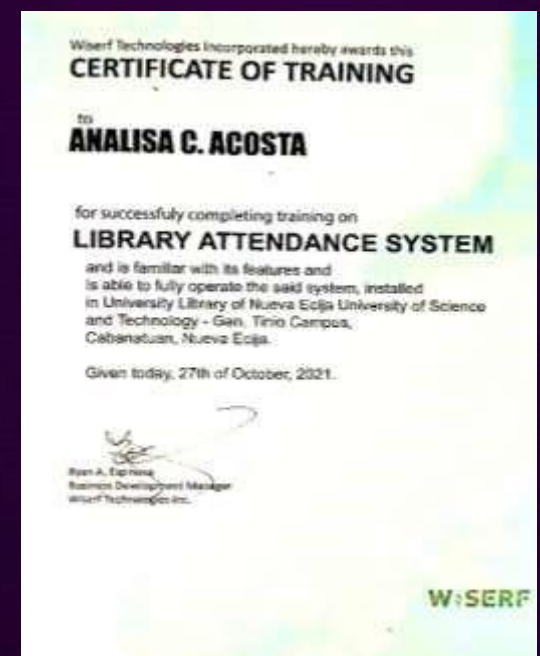


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Online meeting on revision of Manual of Operation
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Learned About



COVID-19 in 2021

In a year that began with the Alpha and Beta variants (then known as B.1.1.7 and B.1.351, or the “UK variant” and “South African variant”) dominating headlines, and ends with skyrocketing Omicron case numbers in multiple countries, researchers have learned much about the mutations the variants are accumulating, as well as the changes they wreak in the virus’s epidemiology. Some variants, such as Alpha and later Delta, became dominant, while others, including Mu, looked worrying but never spread widely. For those tracking SARS-CoV-2’s evolution, Omicron threw a curveball, its dozens of mutations indicating it split off from other known variants around the middle of last year. How it managed to evolve so long without detection—for example, in an immunocompromised person with a long-term infection, or in an animal population that caught the virus from people— remains a matter of speculation.

Vaccines helped, but weren’t a knockout punch

The picture looked rosy for vaccines at the beginning of the year, with reported efficacy rates above 90 percent for Pfizer/BioNTech’s and Moderna’s mRNA jabs, and multiple other versions rolling out around the world. Indeed, while breakthrough infections did occur, COVID-19 hospitalizations tanked among the vaccinated. But many unknowns remained, such as what the vaccines’ effectiveness would be against current and future variants, and whether protection would wane over time, requiring booster shots. While vaccine effectiveness against symptomatic disease turned out to dip only modestly against Delta, preliminary data indicate the story could be bleaker for Omicron—although protection against severe disease appears to remain high.

As for boosters, the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has now authorized them for everyone 16 years or older—a controversial move given that many countries still have a dearth of vaccines, leaving the door open not only to preventable suffering and death, but also to the rise of further variants

One of the most striking insights into SARS-CoV-2 in The Scientist’s coverage this year came, of all places, from a story on how mountain lion behavior changed during a lockdown in California. “We’re generally used to thinking of humans as the top dog in ecosystems, and the kinds of impacts humans have influence other species and then might ripple beyond to influence the species those species influence,” wildlife ecologist Chris Wilmers told editor Jef Akst. “Now instead of humans being on top, we’ve got the virus that’s on top, changing human behavior, which then influences mountain lions and has the potential to continue to cascade through the food web.”



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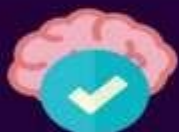
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HOW TO LOOK AFTER YOUR MENTAL HEALTH AT CHRISTMAS

Below are 12 practical tips that you can try out over Christmas



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If you experience unhelpful thoughts, take time to challenge them with thought restructuring

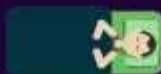
HELP

Don't be afraid to ask for help if you are struggling over Christmas



SELF CARE

Practice self care. Have a bath, go for a walk or try some meditation



SLEEP

Don't stay up too late and manage your sleep. Make sure to get between 7-9hrs a night



TALK

Talk to a friend or family member about how you are feeling



ALCOHOL

Be aware of how much you are drinking and stay within the recommended limit



SOCIAL

Interact and engage with people. Why not try some volunteering over Christmas?



CONNECT

Connect with some family or friends. Stay in touch with them throughout Christmas



EXERCISE

Exercise is a great tool for reducing stress and anxiety and boosting mood



FOOD

Eat a well balanced diet. Try not to over indulge



BREATHE

Christmas can be a stressful period. Take some time to relax



ACTIVE

Stay active. Get outside and go for a walk or engage in some fun family activities

