## **Creating Affirmations**

1. 	<ul> <li>Where do you want to flourish?</li> <li>a. Think of the areas of your life where you want growth</li> <li>b. What are triggers for stress and uncertainty?</li> <li>c. Where do you feel out of control?</li> <li>d. Where do you feel stagnant? What needs progression?</li> </ul>
2.	Set/recognize goals?  a. Write out goals specific to the growth in those areas. Make them measurable and attainable b. If you already have goals revisit them here. Revise if necessary
3.	Reverse the negative  a. Think of negative characteristics about yourself that you'd like to change  b. What stereotypes do other people have about you that you know to be untrue?
4.	Write positive affirmations  a. Write confident statement about the present and future  b. Include in your affirmation, statements about the goals you want to achieve  c. Write statements that change the negative stereotype and characteristics you have