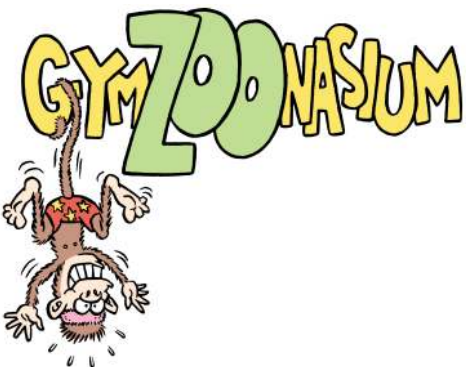




THREE SISTERS STRETCH

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Today we're visiting the Three Sisters rock formation in the Blue Mountains of New South Wales.
Let's use three stationary 'stone-like' poses to stretch our muscles and calm our minds.

Movement	Seated modifications	Other modifications	Progressions	Watch points
Panda Sit	Use your hands to push your knees apart. Lean forward with your back straight.	Do the Panda Sit with one leg bent and that knee pointed out to the side. Lean forwards with a straight back to feel a stretch on the inside of the straight leg.	Do the Panda Sit with: - Your feet wider apart - Your chest lowered closer to the floor	* Legs straight * Bending forward from your pelvis, so your back stays straight and chest stays proud



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Toad Sit	Lift your left foot onto your chair. Use your left elbow to push your left knee outwards until you feel a stretch. Bend forwards from your hips, keeping your back straight and strong. Place your elbows on the insides of your knees and push your knees outwards. Hold for 5 deep breaths		Do the Toad Sit with your arms... - Straight out in front of you - Pointing up to the sky in front of you	* Feet wider than hips * Chest upright and back straight * Shoulders down and neck relaxed
Snail Curl	Curl your upper body forwards like a snail hiding in its shell	Do the Snail Curl with... - Your arms by your side - Your head resting on your fists or a firm pillow, or - A folded towel or blanket on top of your feet	Move your knees wider apart to feel a deeper stretch in your hips	* Head down. If your head can't reach the floor, rest it on your fists or a firm pillow.