



## CHILD'S POSE

**BALASANA** 

your daily practice: Hold for three breaths, repeat

two more times

## **HOW TO:**

- Toes slightly touching/knees wider than hip distance (if accessible), fold forward, resting either your forehead or chin lightly on the mat.
- Arms extend towards the front of the mat.
- 3 Shoulders are relaxed, begin to take long deep inhales and exhales.
- 4 Lightly pressing palms into the mat encouraging your bum to lower closer to your heels.



Posture helps you to draw inwards and connect to your breath.

## **BENEFIT:**

Restorative posture that stretches the hips and lower back. Having your head below the heart helps calm the nervous system.

## **GIVE THIS A TRY:**

Make this more active by pushing the palms into the mat, elbows lift up half an inch.

Other options (for support):

- 1. block under the bum
- 2. block under the forehead

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