The Mindful Eating Map

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## Step 1

1a. Stretch your *ability to engage in non judgmental observation* of the current situation
The current situation includes three areas of focus:
1b. Sensory experience:
taste, sight, sound, feel, hunger, fullness, satiety, wellness, illness, pain, discomfort, etc.
1c. Thought experience.
1d. Emotional experience.

Step 2.

**2a.** Try to *categorize your observations* Are they pleasant, neutral/unsure or unpleasant?

## Step 3.

3a. Identify your personal needs with self-compassion.
3b. Describe the steps available to reduce the negative experience associated with your unmet needs.
3c. Dig even deeper, and add a level of self-compassion to your evaluation. What opportunities exist for you to meet your physical, emotional and social in a way that does not cause harm to yourself or others.

## Step 4.

4a. Set your self-compassionate intention to reduce the negative experience associated with your unmet needs.
4b. Follow your intention to reduce the negative experience associated with your unmet needs with self-compassion.

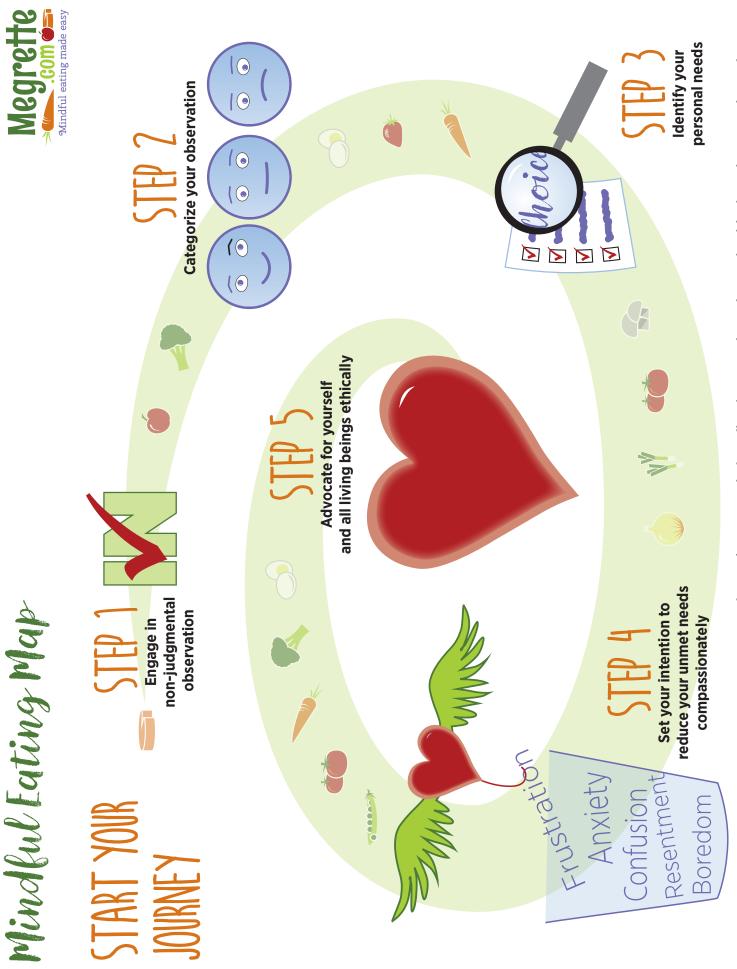
## Step 5.

5a. Advocate for yourself and all living beings ethically

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