Making Change when Change is Hard

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Learning Objectives

Describe primary drivers of resistance to change

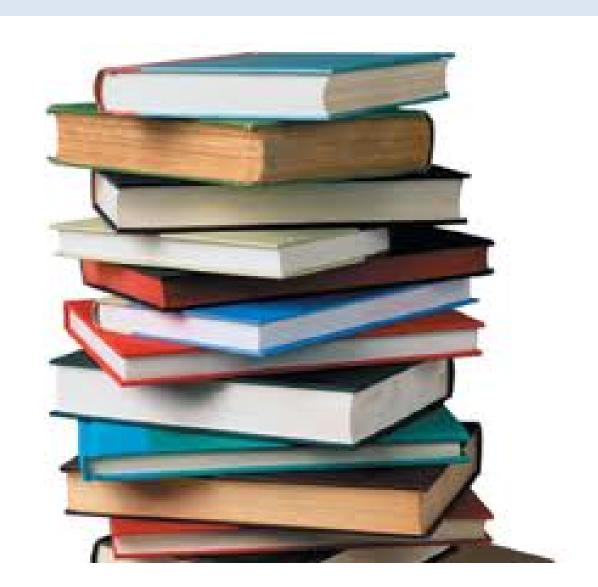
Identify key strategies to overcome such resistance

Discuss key approaches to achieving change that results in improved outcomes

Words of Wisdom



Change Resources



What does change feel/look like?







HOW TO CHANGE THINGS

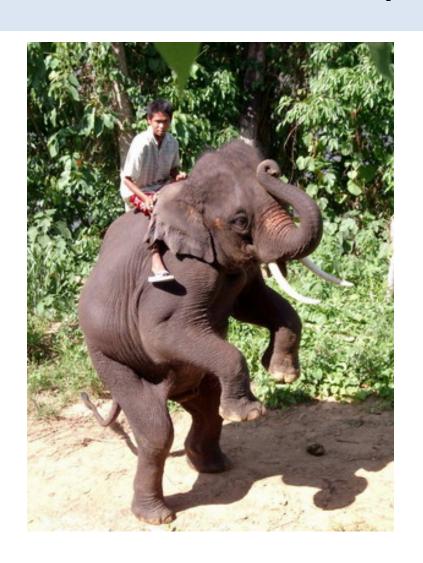
WHEN CHANGE IS HARD



CHIP HEATH & DAN HEATH

THE BESTSELLING AUTHORS OF MADE TO STICK

The Rider, Elephant and Path



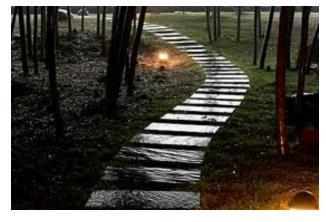




Direct the Rider



Motivate the Elephant



Shape the Path

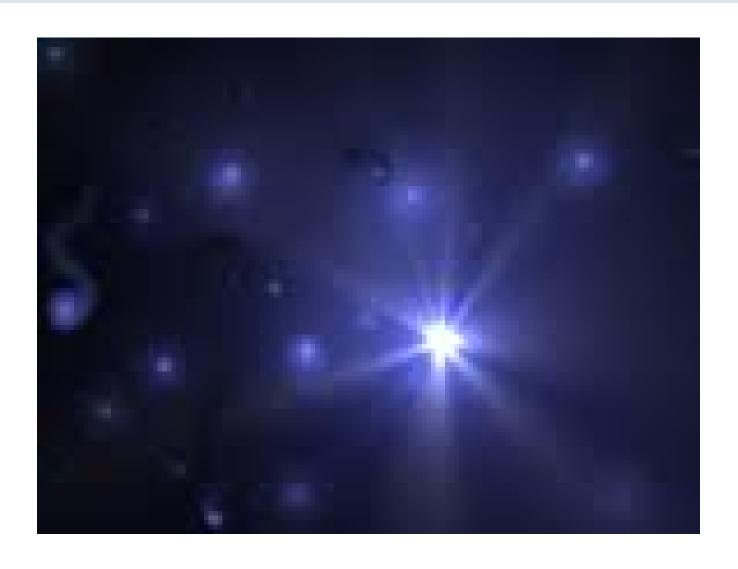
Direct the Rider

Follow the bright spots

Script the critical moves

Point to the destination

Follow the Bright Spots



Script the Critical Moves



Point to the Destination



Motivate the Elephant

Find the feeling

Shrink the change

Grow your people

Find the Feeling



Shrink the Change



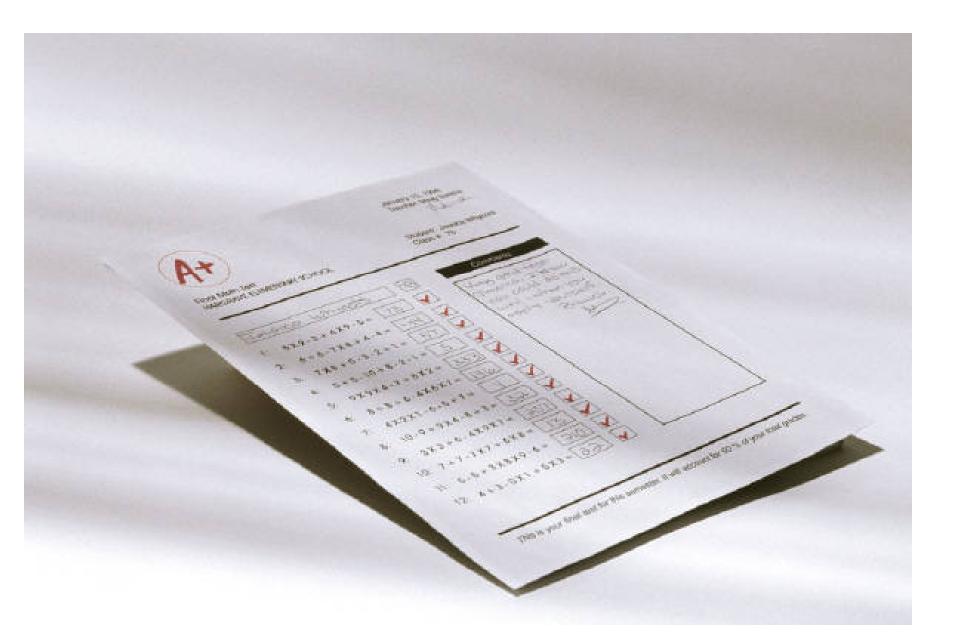
Shrink the Change





Grow Your People





Shape the Path

Tweak the environment

Build habits

Rally the herd

Tweak the Environment



Build Habits



Rally the Herd



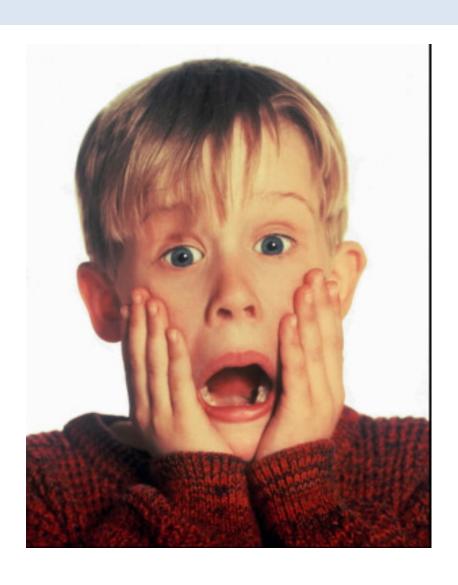








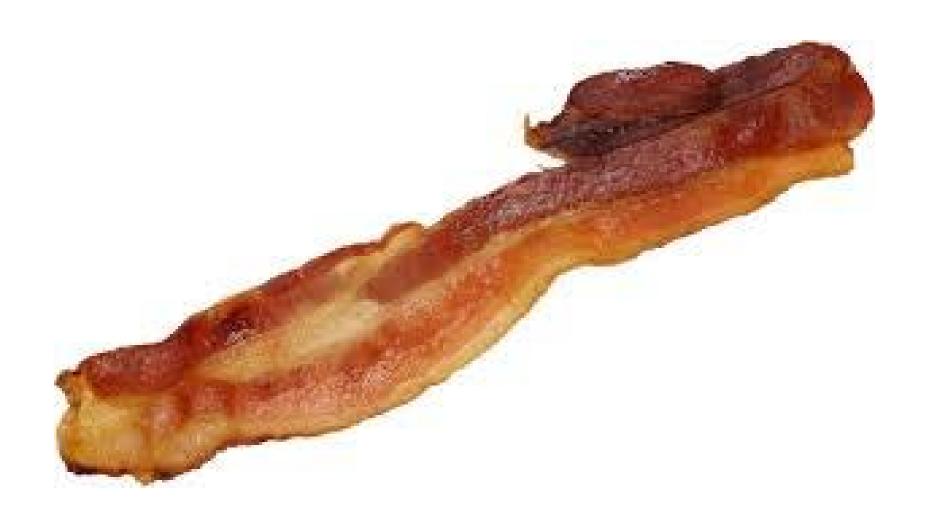
3 Surprises About Change



What looks like resistance is often lack of clarity







What looks like laziness is often exhaustion





What looks like a people problem is often a situation problem





Common Excuses

- "We've never done it like that before"
- "It will never work"
- "I'll change tomorrow"
- "My people hate change"
- "We were excited at first, but then it got hard and we lost momentum"
- "It's just too hard"

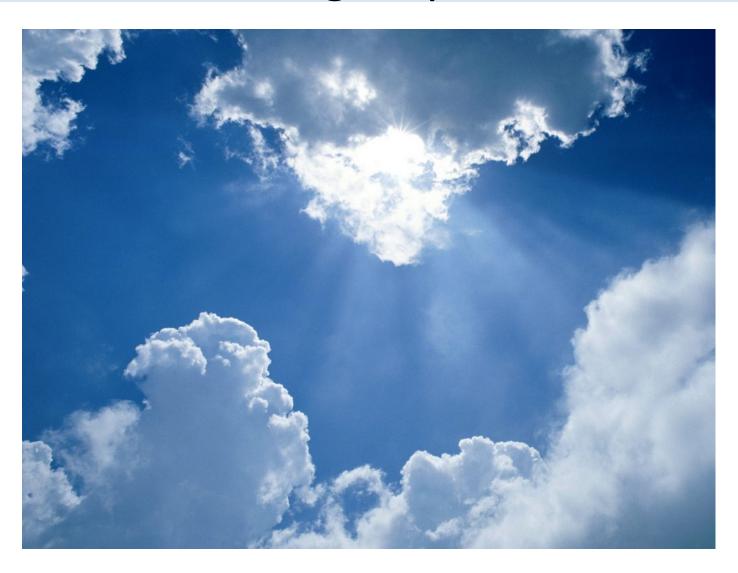
If people don't see the need to change...show them the problem with not changing



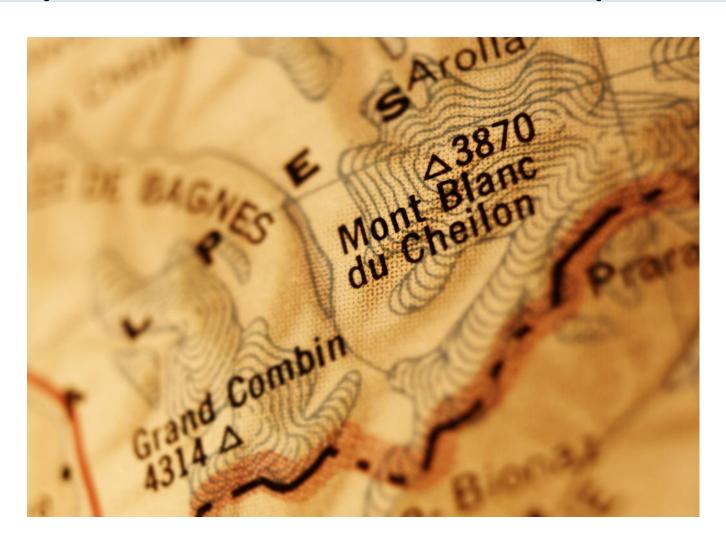
If people don't see the need to change...tweak the environment



If we've never done it like that before...find a bright spot and clone it



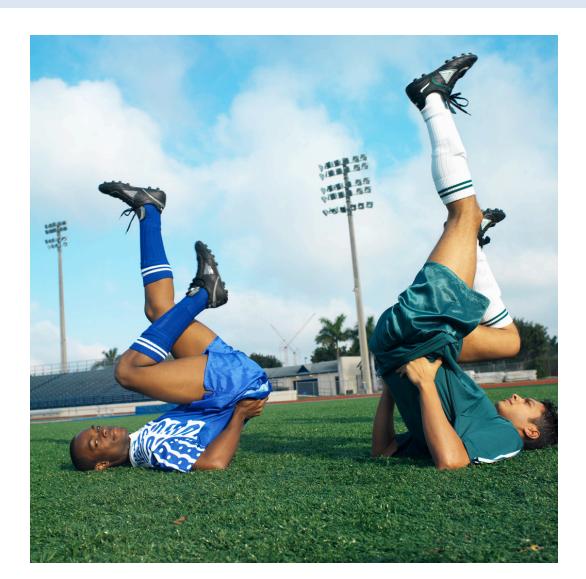
If getting bogged down with analysis...create a destination postcard



If getting bogged down with analysis...script the critical moves



To overcome old, bad behavior...create a new routine



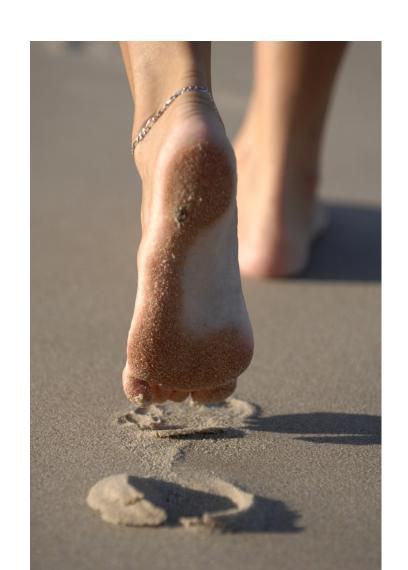
If old pattern is powerful, script the critical moves



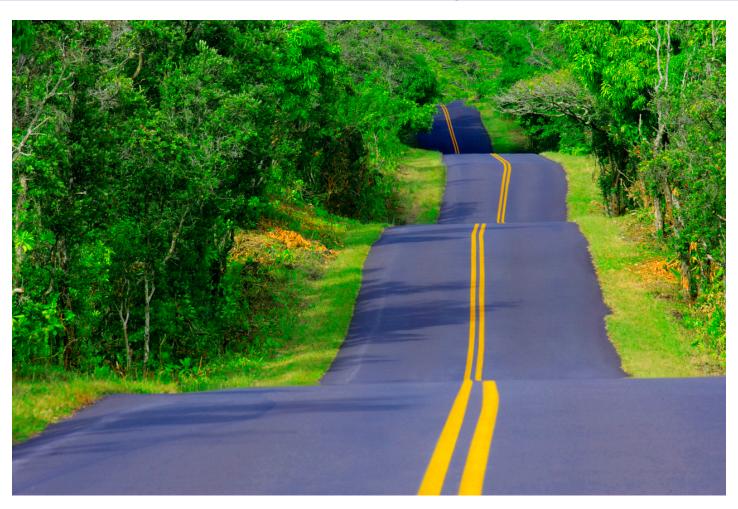
To overcome old patterns, imagine the time and place where you'll do something



If people aren't motivated to change, encourage small steps



If people are not motivated to change, smooth the path



If people are putting off changing, shrink the change



If you can't start today, set an action trigger for tomorrow



Starting small can overcome dread...take baby steps



Behavior is contagious....get involved with others to reinforce each other



If someone says "I can't change', ask "have you ever"...



Every success will come with bumps along the way....



Success requires some failures along the way.....



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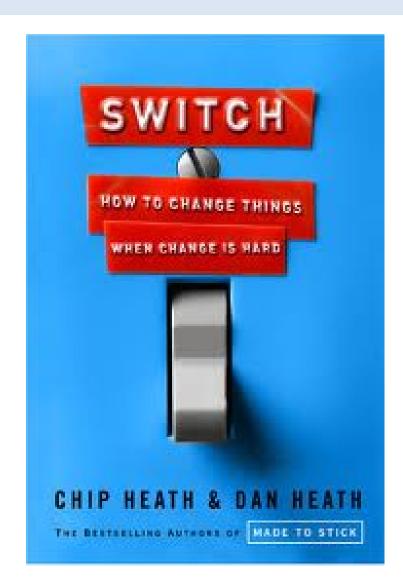
Can you find a bright spot that models good behavior?



If you think it will never work, look for flashes of success



Summary





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