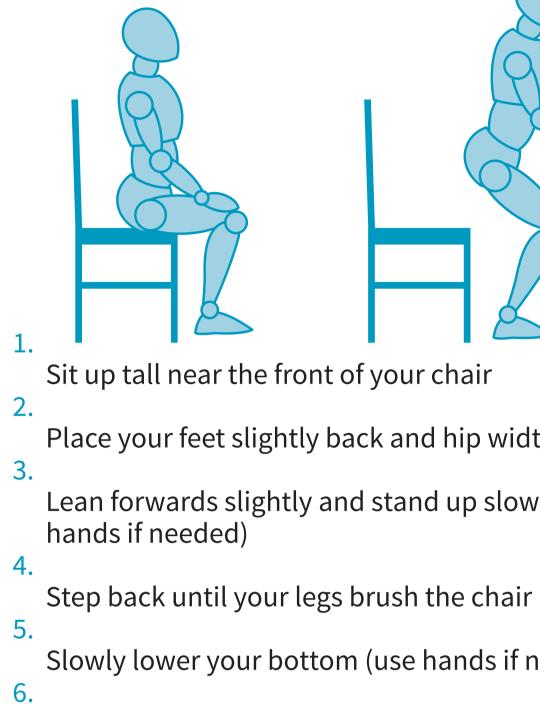
## Improve your strength and balance



6 simple exercises, 3 times a-week as well as a daily walk can help improve strength and balance.



## Sit To Stand



Repeat up to 10 times

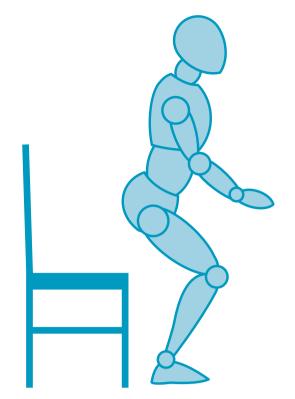
**Heel Toe Stand** your support if needed) a straight line

3. Look ahead and balance for 10 seconds

Take foot back to start position

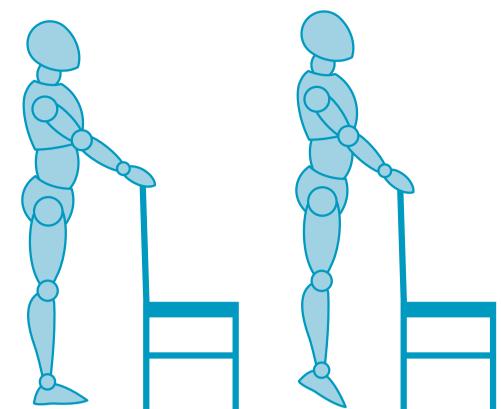
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Repeat with other foot forwards

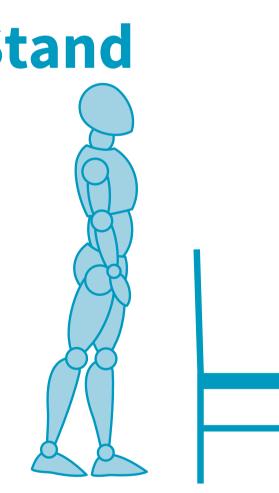


- Place your feet slightly back and hip width apart
- Lean forwards slightly and stand up slowly (use
- Slowly lower your bottom (use hands if needed)

## **Heel Raises**



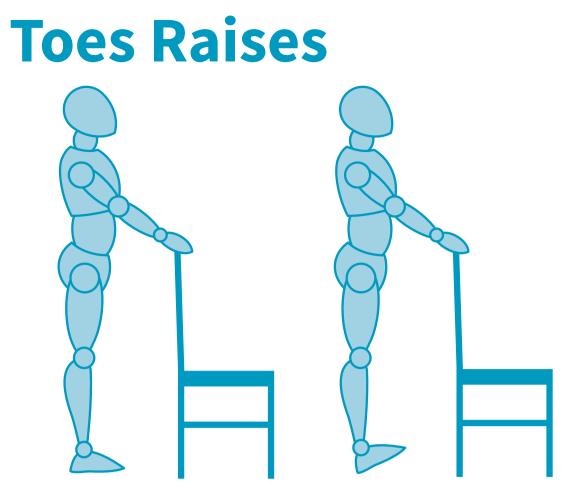
- Stand tall with your feet hip width apart
- 2. Slowly lift your heels (light touch on support if needed)
- 3. Place your weight over your big toes
- 4. Try not to lock your knees
- 5. Aim to lift for a count of 3 and lower for a count of 5
- 6. Repeat up to 10 times



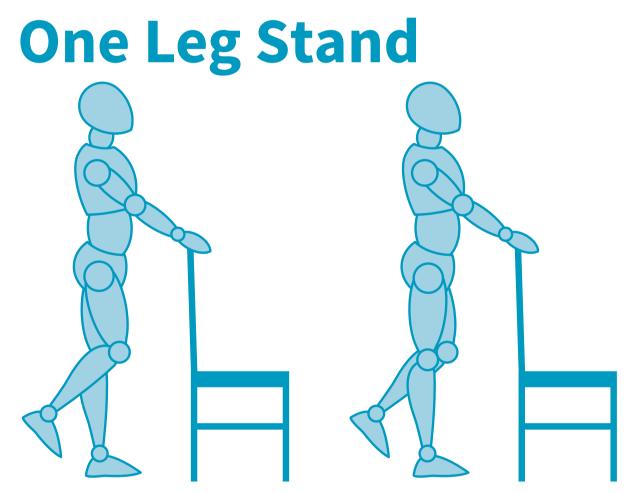
- Stand tall side on to your support (light touch on
- Place one foot in front of the other so your feet form



- 1. Stand tall, side on to your support
- 2. Hold on to the support (if you need to) and look straight ahead
- 3. Place one foot directly in front of the other so that they form a straight line, bring the other foot in front and repeat for 10 steps (imagine you're walking along a line!)
- 4. Turn around and repeat the exercise until you're back to your start position



- Stand tall with your feet hip width apart
- 2. Hold onto your support (if needed) and slowly lift the front of your foot
- 3. Keep your knees soft and try not to stick your bottom out
- 4. Lower your toes slowly
- 5. Aim to lift for a count of 3 and lower for a count of 5
- 6. Repeat up to 10 times



- . Stand close to your support and place hands on support (if you need to)
- 2. Balance on one leg, keeping your supporting leg straight but knee soft
- 3. Stand tall and hold for 10 seconds
- 4. Repeat on the other leg