Powerful Techniques to Overcome Procrastination

- 1. Think on paper and prepare thoroughly.
- 2. Gather all materials or work tools to do the task.
- 3. Do something to get started.
- 4. Set and focus on worthwhile goals that you intensely want to achieve.
- 5. Continually visualize goals as completed.
- 6. Use the power of positive affirmations.
- 7. Set a deadline for all important tasks.
- 8. Refuse to rationalize or make excuses for procrastination.
- 9. Create a reward system for yourself.
- 10. Program yourself to take 100% responsibility for getting results on time.
- 11. Salami-slice the task.
- 12. Start from the outside and tackle smaller things first.
- 13. Start from the inside and do larger tasks first
- 14. Do task that causes you the most anxiety.
- 15. Start your day with the most unpleasant task first.
- 16. Think of the negative consequences of not completing tasks.
- 17. Set aside 15 minutes a day to work on project.
- 18. Don't worry about perfection, just get started.
- 19. Pick one area where procrastinating is hurting you and focus on that area.
- 20. Develop a compulsion to closure.
- 21. Maintain a fast tempo.

