# DECISION <br> MAKING TEMPLATE 



A Little Place Called home

## Decision Making Matrix

## Decision Context:

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- Decision Name: $\qquad$
- Date: $\qquad$

Step 1: List Your Options

List the different options or choices available for your decision:

Option 1: $\qquad$

Option 2: $\qquad$

Option 3: $\qquad$

Option 4: $\qquad$

Option 5: $\qquad$

Step 2: List the criteria or factors that are important for your decision:

Criteria 1: $\qquad$

Criteria 2: $\qquad$

Criteria 3: $\qquad$

Criteria 4: $\qquad$

Criteria 5: $\qquad$

Step 3: Rate Your Options

Rate each option on a scale from 1 to 5 ( $1=$ Poor, 5 = Excellent) for how well it meets each criterion:

|  | Criteria 1 | Criteria 2 | Criteria 3 | Criteria 4 | Criteria 5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Option 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Option 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Option 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Option 4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Option 5 |  |  |  |  |  |

Step 4: Calculate Scores

- Calculate the total score for each option by adding the scores for all criteria:

|  | Total Score |
| :---: | :---: |
| Option 1 |  |
| Option 2 |  |
| Option 3 |  |
| Option 4 |  |
| Option 5 |  |

Consider the total scores to determine which option best meets your needs and priorities.
The option with the highest score may be the best choice for your decision.

Step 6: Make Your Decision
Select the option that aligns best with your goals and priorities based on the analysis of scores.

This Decision-Making Matrix provides a structured format for individuals to evaluate and compare multiple options for a decision based on specific criteria.

It's a valuable tool for making informed and rational decisions.


