

## RESOURCES

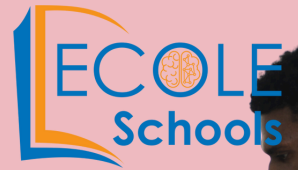
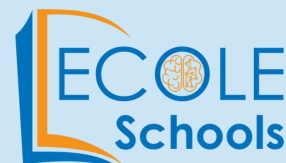
- Erdoan Shipoli and Denitsa Sokolova “Personal Leadership” book
- Washington Institute for Leadership’s “Leadership Cards” for discussions Project
- Wayfinder’s materials

## PURPOSE-DRIVEN LEARNING

At the end of the program, students will participate in a purpose-driven project guided by their coach. Working in small groups (3-5 members), they will:

1. Identify a shared purpose that matters to them
2. Design a project that reflects their chosen purpose
3. Develop an action plan to bring their project to life
4. Implement their project in a real-world setting
5. Reflect on their experiences and extract key lessons for future personal and professional growth

This hands-on experience will reinforce the importance of purposeful learning, helping students connect their mindsets to meaningful action in their lives.



## MINDSETS MODULE

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# WHY MINDSETS MATTER?

In life, we frequently encounter challenges that cannot be solved with the same way of thinking we have always used. Sometimes, overthinking can even make situations seem worse than they are. This happens because we tend to approach every problem with a single mindset rather than adapting to the specific circumstances.

By developing **different mindsets** and using them based on the situation at hand, we can become more effective problem solvers, more productive individuals, and better leaders. Sometimes, solving a problem requires changing our perspective—seeing the situation from a different angle or considering an alternative viewpoint.

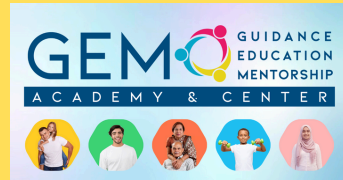
Our thoughts influence our emotions, which in turn shape our behaviors. How we act impacts our productivity and how others perceive us. This is why cultivating various mindsets is so important—not only for handling everyday challenges but also for enhancing leadership skills.

The following 12 mindsets serve as tools to help navigate different situations—at home, in school, at work, in friendships, and within the broader community. These mindsets are not only useful for overcoming problems but also for fostering adaptability, creativity, and strategic thinking. Most importantly, **mindsets require action**:

1. First, learning to adopt these mindsets
2. Second, actively applying them in real-life situations

The good news? These mindsets are not exclusive—you can develop and use multiple mindsets simultaneously. Whether you're solving a problem, analyzing a situation, or creating something new, applying different mindsets will make you more effective in both personal and professional life.

Since problem-solving is a fundamental part of daily life, this program places a **strong focus on problem-solving skills**. Challenges are not always negative—they are simply obstacles we face and need to overcome.



## THE 12 ESSENTIAL MINDSETS FOR GROWTH AND ADAPTABILITY

- ◆ **Systems Mindset**  
Understanding how different elements interact within a system
- ◆ **Analytical Mindset**  
Breaking down complex problems logically
- ◆ **Growth Mindset**  
Believing in continuous learning and improvement
- ◆ **Resilient Mindset**  
Bouncing back from challenges and failures
- ◆ **Creative Mindset**  
Thinking outside the box and generating innovative solutions
- ◆ **Strategic Mindset**  
Planning and executing ideas effectively
- ◆ **Positive Mindset**  
Maintaining an optimistic and solution-focused attitude
- ◆ **Global Mindset**  
Thinking beyond personal and cultural boundaries
- ◆ **Collaborative Mindset**  
Working effectively with others to achieve shared goals
- ◆ **Reflective Mindset**  
Continuously evaluating and learning from experiences
- ◆ **Adaptive Mindset**  
Adjusting to new situations with flexibility
- ◆ **Problem-Solving Mindset**  
Tackling challenges with a proactive approach

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