Training Course on Data Visualization for Educational Reporting

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Educational Leadership and Management	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

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Training Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will:

1. Understand the fundamentals of data visualization and its role in educational reporting.
2. Identify the best practices in designing impactful dashboards for academic audiences.
3. Utilize Power BI and Google Data Studio for building interactive visual reports.
4. Apply data storytelling techniques to improve educational communication.
5. Integrate student performance data into readable visual formats.
6. Create custom metrics and KPIs for school or institutional progress.
7. Develop real-time interactive dashboards for classroom and district-level reporting.
8. Automate repetitive reporting tasks using data visualization tools.
9. Utilize geospatial visualizations to report enrollment and demographic trends.
10. Conduct effective data cleaning and preparation for visualization.
11. Leverage infographics and visual summaries to support grant proposals and funding reports.
12. Apply color theory and layout strategies for improved data comprehension.
13. Present visual data insights to stakeholders using storytelling and narrative framing.

Target Audiences

1. School administrators
2. Education data analysts
3. Curriculum coordinators
4. Educational researchers
5. Ministry/Department of Education officials
6. NGO education program officers
7. Teachers and instructional coaches
8. EdTech professionals

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Educational Data Visualization

- Defining data visualization in education
- Importance of visual data for reporting
- Types of visual formats for education
- Tools overview (Excel, Tableau, Power BI)
- Principles of effective visual communication
- **Case Study:** Visualizing district-wide attendance trends

Module 2: Storytelling with Data in Education

- Fundamentals of data storytelling
- Structuring data-driven narratives
- Choosing visuals that match the message

- Incorporating voice and context
- Interactive storytelling using dashboards
- **Case Study:** Improving parent engagement through narrative dashboards

Module 3: Power BI for Educational Dashboards

- Connecting education datasets in Power BI
- Building interactive dashboards for schools
- Creating slicers and filters for student data
- Embedding visual reports in school portals
- Publishing and sharing reports securely
- **Case Study:** Power BI use in tracking standardized test scores

Module 4: Google Data Studio for Real-Time Reporting

- Connecting Google Sheets to Data Studio
- Designing customizable school dashboards
- Filtering reports by grade, class, or subject
- Collaborating in real-time with teams
- Visualizing trends over academic years
- **Case Study:** Monitoring remote learning effectiveness

Module 5: Tableau for Visual Analysis

- Introduction to Tableau interface
- Creating multi-chart dashboards
- Formatting education datasets for Tableau
- Using filters and calculated fields
- Exporting and embedding reports
- **Case Study:** Analyzing teacher performance data

Module 6: Creating Effective Charts & Graphs

- Selecting chart types based on data goals
- Avoiding misleading visuals
- Designing accessible charts for all stakeholders
- Enhancing visuals with color and labels
- Making comparisons and showing change
- **Case Study:** Representing student behavior data trends

Module 7: Automating Educational Reports

- Setting up automated data pipelines
- Using Google Apps Script and Power Automate
- Scheduling monthly or weekly dashboards
- Connecting LMS data for automation
- Error tracking and revision history
- **Case Study:** Auto-generated reports for school board meetings

Module 8: Infographics for Education Stakeholders

- Principles of infographic design
- Tools: Canva, Piktochart, and Adobe Express
- Summarizing reports visually
- Exporting for print and digital sharing
- Using icons and illustrations for emphasis

- **Case Study:** Creating an infographic for annual school outcomes

Module 9: KPIs and Custom Metrics

- Defining key performance indicators
- Mapping KPIs to educational goals
- Creating custom metrics in BI tools
- Aligning metrics with state/national benchmarks
- Visual display of achievement gaps
- **Case Study:** KPI dashboards for underperforming schools

Module 10: Geospatial Data in Education

- Mapping school locations and catchment areas
- Visualizing regional enrollment statistics
- Creating heat maps for performance
- Tools: Google Maps API, Power BI maps
- Location-based insights for resource planning
- **Case Study:** Mapping dropout hotspots in rural areas

Module 11: Cleaning and Preparing Educational Data

- Data validation techniques
- Handling missing or inconsistent data
- Merging datasets from different sources
- Standardizing formats for visualization
- Data ethics and student privacy
- **Case Study:** Cleaning national assessment data for analysis

Module 12: Accessibility in Data Visualization

- Designing for color-blind and low-vision users
- Creating keyboard-navigable dashboards
- Using alt text and screen-reader compatibility
- Complying with accessibility standards (WCAG)
- Inclusive storytelling practices
- **Case Study:** Designing accessible dashboards for diverse school boards

Module 13: Evaluating Visualization Impact

- Surveying user experience and understanding
- Data comprehension testing
- A/B testing visualization designs
- Feedback loops with stakeholders
- Iterative design improvements
- **Case Study:** Measuring improvement in teacher understanding through data visualizations

Module 14: Using Dashboards for School Improvement Planning

- Integrating visual data in SIPs
- Highlighting success metrics and gaps
- Aligning data to school vision and goals
- Visual priority setting and tracking
- Collaborative use of dashboards in planning
- **Case Study:** Data-driven planning at an urban high school

Module 15: Final Project & Peer Review

- Building a comprehensive visualization report
- Peer review and critique session
- Presentation skills for stakeholders
- Incorporating feedback for improvement
- Final assessment and rubric evaluation
- **Case Study:** Participant-designed dashboard project

Training Methodology

- Instructor-led virtual or in-person workshops
- Live tool demonstrations (Power BI, Tableau, Google Data Studio)
- Hands-on labs with education datasets
- Real-world case studies and peer collaboration
- Access to downloadable templates and visual guides
- Formative assessments and final project

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training CenterANCY LD account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Online	$2,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$3,000

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$9,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000

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