Training Course on Leadership in Student-Centered Learning Models

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Define student-centered learning and distinguish it from traditional models.
2. Explore leadership principles for managing transformative change in schools.
3. Integrate digital learning tools to personalize student experiences.
4. Develop strategies for learner autonomy and student voice initiatives.
5. Implement inclusive practices for equity-driven education.
6. Design adaptive curricula for diverse learning styles and needs.
7. Apply data analytics for evidence-based decision-making.
8. Build collaborative teacher teams through instructional leadership.
9. Promote project-based learning and real-world skill development.
10. Foster school culture that supports continuous innovation.
11. Align student-centered learning with competency-based education.
12. Engage families and communities in learner-focused ecosystems.
13. Evaluate the effectiveness of personalized learning strategies.

Target Audience

1. School Principals and Administrators
2. District Education Officers
3. Curriculum Designers
4. Instructional Coaches
5. Education Technology Leaders
6. Teacher Leaders and Department Heads
7. Higher Education Faculty
8. NGO or Non-Profit Education Program Leaders

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Course Modules

Module 1: Understanding Student-Centered Learning

- Key elements of student-centered education
- Shifting from teacher-led to learner-driven approaches
- Aligning SCL with national standards
- Empowering student voice and choice
- Overcoming resistance to change
- *Case Study: Finland’s National SCL Approach*

Module 2: Visionary Leadership for SCL

- Crafting a shared vision for SCL
- Building leadership capacity
- Role of school boards in vision alignment
- Cultivating trust and transparency
- Communication for change management
- *Case Study: Summit Public Schools Leadership Vision*

Module 3: Creating a Culture of Learning Autonomy

- Encouraging self-directed learning
- Building intrinsic motivation
- Designing for independent study periods
- Implementing learning contracts
- Tracking learner growth
- *Case Study: Montessori High School Model*

Module 4: Integrating Technology for Personalization

- Digital tools for formative assessment
- Learning Management Systems (LMS) in SCL
- Adaptive learning software
- Ensuring digital equity and access
- Managing screen time balance
- *Case Study: AltSchool Personalized Tech Use*

Module 5: Data-Driven Leadership

- Using student data to inform instruction
- Interpreting dashboards and performance metrics
- Designing learner profiles
- Identifying at-risk students early
- Creating interventions based on insights
- *Case Study: New Classrooms' Teach to One Analytics*

Module 6: Curriculum Reimagining

- Designing interdisciplinary units
- Incorporating 21st-century skills
- Flexible pacing and progression
- Cultural responsiveness in content
- Authentic, performance-based assessments
- *Case Study: High Tech High Integrated Curriculum*

Module 7: Equity and Inclusion Strategies

- Culturally sustaining pedagogy
- Addressing learning gaps
- Trauma-informed leadership practices
- Differentiated instruction frameworks
- Ensuring voice for marginalized learners
- *Case Study: EL Education Equity Programs*

Module 8: Project-Based and Experiential Learning

- Elements of high-quality PBL
- Scaffolding inquiry and collaboration
- Real-world problem-solving tasks
- Rubrics and reflection methods
- Community and industry partnerships
- *Case Study: Buck Institute PBL School District*

Module 9: Professional Learning Communities

- Building PLC structures in SCL environments
- Facilitating reflective practice

- Shared leadership in planning
- Peer coaching and mentorship
- Monitoring PLC effectiveness
- *Case Study: DuFour PLC Implementation*

Module 10: Competency-Based Learning Systems

- Shifting from grades to mastery
- Competency mapping and progression
- Flexible learning environments
- Personalized pathways
- Assessment for learning
- *Case Study: Lindsay Unified School District*

Module 11: Engaging Students and Families

- Co-creating learning goals
- Student-led conferences
- Parent education on SCL
- Multilingual communication tools
- Empowering family participation
- *Case Study: Springpoint Schools Family Engagement*

Module 12: Leadership Coaching and Feedback

- Leadership self-assessment tools
- Building a feedback culture
- Observing classrooms with a growth lens
- Action research for leaders
- Setting development goals
- *Case Study: Instructional Rounds at Harvard Graduate School of Education*

Module 13: Managing Change in Learning Environments

- Change management frameworks (Kotter, ADKAR)
- Identifying change champions
- Minimizing teacher burnout
- Aligning policy with practice
- Sustaining transformation
- *Case Study: NYC iZone Initiative*

Module 14: Authentic Assessment and Feedback

- Formative vs. summative assessment in SCL
- Peer and self-assessment methods
- Rubric development
- Continuous feedback tools
- Grading for mastery
- *Case Study: Mastery Collaborative in NYC*

Module 15: Scaling and Sustaining SCL Initiatives

- Building long-term strategic plans
- Leveraging funding and resources
- Scaling across schools or districts
- Evaluating success metrics

- Policy and advocacy considerations
- *Case Study: Kenya's Competency-Based Curriculum Reform*

Training Methodology

- Blended learning approach (online + face-to-face)
- Interactive group discussions and problem-solving
- Hands-on application of tools and models
- Real-world case study analysis
- Collaborative action planning
- Continuous coaching and peer feedback loops

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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 Center 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
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
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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