How Educators Can Assist Learners in Developing a Growth Mindset by Jackie Gerstein, Ed.D. User-Generated Education

I believe that all students can learn and be successful.

I believe that all learners are smart in their own unique ways.

I believe all students should be challenged and be rewarded for taking risks and rising to challenges.

Growth Mindset Reflection Questions for the Educator

Were my expectations clearly presented to learners?

Did I provide the resources and scaffolding if and when needed?

Did I praise effort, resourcefulness, and resilience? Did I set and maintain a climate to learn from mistakes and failure?

Did I provide the time and resources to address learner questions and confusions?

Did I ensure that learners were engaged in and motivated by the work? Did I set a forum for learners to receive authentic feedback from me, peers, and experts?

> Did my learners and I consider and use best practices for similar work?