SEL Academy: Empowering Schools through Social-Emotional Learning

SEL Academy is dedicated to providing innovative, culturally relevant social emotional learning (SEL) <u>value frameworks</u> and solutions that equip students, educators, and communities with the skills they need to thrive. From customized curricula to certification programs and dynamic workshops, each of our offerings fosters emotional resilience, empathy, and inclusive values that strengthen school culture and student success.

1. Customized SEL Curriculum Packages

- Basic Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Packages
 - Our Basic SEL Packages provide schools with a comprehensive, foundational SEL curriculum that promotes self-awareness, emotional regulation, and relationship-building. These packages can be customized to meet the specific needs of your school community, ensuring relevant and culturally sensitive content that supports every student.
 - Impact: Creates an emotionally supportive school culture that boosts students' social and academic success.
- Beyond Boundaries: SEL in Action through Digital Storytelling
 - This unique high school course integrates SEL with digital media, allowing students to create and share SEL-focused content on platforms like TikTok and YouTube. Aligned with SEL Academy's Global Values and Resilience Certification (GVRC), *Beyond Boundaries* combines real-world skills with emotional resilience, making SEL highly relevant for today's students.
 - Impact: Students gain critical skills in teamwork, empathy, and digital media through authentic, engaging storytelling projects.
- <u>Voices in Motion</u> Communication Camp for Children and Teens with Autism

2. Certification Programs for Students and Educators

Global Values and Resilience Certification (GVRC)

GVRC empowers individuals with essential life skills like adaptability, ethical decision-making, and empathy. Offered through the *Beyond Boundaries* course, GVRC provides students with a valuable credential that reinforces SEL competencies and boosts both personal and professional confidence.

- Impact: Equips students for life beyond high school with resilience and a strong sense of community responsibility.
- School-Based Resilience and Cultural Competency Certification
 Designed for educators, this certification program builds resilience and cultural
 competency, helping school teams create inclusive, positive environments. With a focus
 on cultural awareness, empathy, and effective communication, this certification prepares
 educators to support diverse student populations more effectively.
 - Impact: Builds a unified approach to SEL, fostering a school-wide culture of leadership and understanding.
- Waya Wisdom Signature Course
 Rooted in Indigenous wisdom and cultural traditions, Waya Wisdom is a journey through
 resilience, empowerment, and community-building. Ideal for both individuals and
 organizations, this course emphasizes wisdom-based leadership, emotional healing, and
 the power of connection.
 - Impact: Fosters deep personal growth and strengthens cultural empathy among participants, creating leaders grounded in wisdom and resilience.

3. Professional Development Workshops

 Blending Ancient Wisdom and Science - Shame, Resilience, and Neurochemical Responses

This workshop is tailored for educators and mental health professionals interested in exploring how shame and resilience affect students' well-being. Participants gain practical strategies to address these issues with cultural sensitivity, fostering supportive and empathetic learning environments.

 Impact: Equips educators and staff with tools to recognize and respond to social-emotional needs in a culturally responsive way.

Custom Workshops for Schools and Leaders

SEL Academy offers tailored workshops on a variety of topics, including neurodiversity, team-building, resilience, communication skills, and special education topics. These workshops are ideal for professional development, enhancing team dynamics and supporting a cohesive, SEL-driven school culture.

 Impact: Promotes empathy, teamwork, and emotional intelligence, leading to improved school climate and collaboration.

4. Engaging Speaking Engagements

- Conference Presentations and Keynotes
 SEL Academy's director is an engaging speaker on SEL, neurodiversity, and resilience.
 Through dynamic storytelling and practical insights, conference attendees gain fresh perspectives on the power of SEL in creating inclusive, supportive environments.
 - Impact: Inspires educators and administrators to embrace SEL's transformative potential and implement meaningful SEL practices.
- Motivational Speaking on Neurodiversity and Resilience
 Tailored for school communities and educational organizations, these talks promote respect for neurodiversity and resilience. Attendees gain a deeper understanding of neurodiversity and its value, with practical strategies for creating inclusive learning spaces.
 - Impact: Enhances understanding of neurodiversity and resilience, fostering an inclusive school environment.

5. Partnerships and Sponsorships

Corporate and Educational Sponsorships

Through sponsorship, companies and educational institutions can support SEL Academy's mission, promoting mental health and educational equity. Sponsors benefit from brand visibility and public recognition for supporting SEL initiatives that make a difference in communities.

- Impact: Expands SEL Academy's reach, making SEL programming accessible to underserved schools and communities.
- Mental Health Collaborations
 - By collaborating with mental health experts and freelance educators, SEL Academy broadens its offerings to include interdisciplinary programs and resources, expanding both expertise and outreach.
 - Impact: Enriches SEL Academy's services with diverse insights, ensuring comprehensive, high-quality programming for varied audiences.

6. Fundraising Events

Raffles and Donor Campaigns
 Engaging donor campaigns and raffles allow supporters to contribute to SEL Academy's mission while participating in unique experiences. These campaigns raise funds for

scholarships, curriculum expansion, and other SEL Academy initiatives, building a strong community around SEL.

 Impact: Provides financial support for scholarships, curriculum growth, and expanded access to SEL programs.