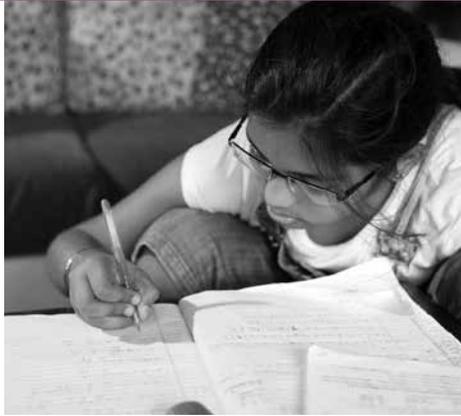


# Develop Growth Mindset in Mathematics to Increase Students' Perseverance, Engagement and Success (Grades K-6)



A Unique One-Day Seminar Presented by

**Sherri Adler**

Outstanding Math Educator, Author and International Trainer

**Specifically Designed for Grades K-6: Classroom Teachers,  
Math Specialists, Interventionists, Special Education Staff, Title I Staff,  
Instructional Assistants, and Administrators**

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**Transformational, classroom-proven strategies** to engage your entire class and positively alter their confidence, experience and success with math through a Growth Mindset

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Extraordinary, practical strategies to **increase student interest, participation, perseverance, and academic achievement**—even with students who currently struggle with or don't like math

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**Empower grades K-6 students** to adopt a positive Growth Mindset with practical ideas you can use the very next day in your program, with any math curriculum

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**Receive an extensive Growth Mindset resource handbook** filled with dozens of engaging activities, research-based strategies, examples, detailed techniques, and practical instructional resources

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CEUs and Graduate Credits Available  
See page 6 for details

# Ten Key Benefits of Attending

*'Sherri is all about student engagement and success! You'll walk away with activities you'll want to use the next day.'*

– KRIS SCHULTZ, TEACHER



## Who Should Attend

Grades K-6: Classroom Teachers, Math Specialists, Interventionists, Special Education Staff, Title I Staff, Instructional Assistants, and Administrators

### 1. **What Every Grades K-6 Educator Should Know About Increasing Students' Perseverance, Engagement and Success in Math**

Why is it that of all the STEM subjects, students struggle and dislike math the most? Unlock the power of Growth Mindset in your classroom and school community ... Learn proven ways to increase students' motivation, effort and self-efficacy

### 2. **Rewire Students' Brains Into a Growth Mindset Versus a Fixed Mindset**

Neuroplasticity is our brain's ability to rewire and restructure itself due to learning new things and experiencing new skills ... Leave with numerous, classroom-proven activities to help rewire your students' brains to a Growth Mindset in math

### 3. **Increase Student Success with Research-Based Best Practices**

Learn highly effective, research-based instructional techniques that accelerate math learning ... Help promote positive experiences in math and a positive Growth Mindset in your grades K-6 students

### 4. **Establish and Sustain an Optimal Growth Mindset Learning Environment**

The words that we and our students use each day can make a huge difference ... Discover subtle and powerful ways to reshape the language in use in our classrooms to develop an optimal Growth Mindset learning environment

### 5. **Reach All Students, Build Perseverance and Motivate Unmotivated Students**

Numerous ways to use Growth Mindset strategies to strengthen students' academic achievement, skill development and engagement ... Empower students to approach difficult problems with increased confidence, flexibility and greater perseverance

### 6. **Strengthen Growth Mindset with Differentiated Fact Fluency Activities**

Fluency skills are one of the super-powers of math and without them students struggle to find success in higher level math skills ... Explore fluency activities that strengthen Growth Mindset and are easily differentiated to meet the unique levels of all students

### 7. **Enhance Your Current Math Program and Lessons**

Discover dozens of dynamic, highly effective and developmentally appropriate learning materials proven to enhance your current math instruction ... Receive easy-to-implement Growth Mindset ideas that work with any existing math curriculum or program

### 8. **Turn Failures into Terrific Opportunities for Learning and Growth**

Discover proven ways to transform students' mistakes and struggles into valuable learning experiences and successes ... Learn how to help all your students truly internalize the belief that when they FAIL it is their First Attempt In Learning, not the last

### 9. **Overcome "I Can't" Feelings and Strengthen Confidence in Students Who Struggle With and Dislike Math**

Learn practical ways to increase grit, perseverance, engagement, and ultimately success in math – especially for students who struggle ... Use Growth Mindset principles to help every student build competence through confidence

### 10. **Receive an Extensive Growth Mindset Resource Handbook**

Each participant will receive a comprehensive Growth Mindset resource handbook filled with engaging activities, research-based strategies, examples, and detailed techniques to increase students' perseverance, engagement and success in math ... Ready-to-use additional resources, black-line masters, manipulatives, and reproducibles

# Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately

## What You Will Learn ...

- **Increase student motivation, effort and self-efficacy through a Growth Mindset** to enhance academic achievement
- **Highly effective Growth Mindset strategies** to encourage students to engage, persevere, embrace challenges, think mathematically, and strive to achieve math goals
- **Discover research-based practices to help struggling math students** reach higher levels of achievement, engagement and persistence
- Hands-on ways to **engage student interest, increase student participation and strengthen academic achievement** in mathematics
- Growth Mindset messages, activities, and strategies that **encourage students to celebrate and learn from their mistakes**
- **Practical ways to encourage perseverance**, that are not only effective in your math class, but in all that your students take on
- Outstanding instructional strategies you can use daily to **increase your students' motivation and success in math**
- Research-based strategies to **help students overcome math anxiety** hurdles
- **Help your students who struggle and dislike math** become more productive and successful mathematicians
- Highly effective Growth Mindset teaching strategies to **enable students' to persevere when the going gets tough**
- **Dozens of math resources, lessons and activities** that support busy educators and can be used with any curriculum to support, motivate and engage students
- Effective, exciting strategies to **boost your struggling students' confidence and motivation to learn mathematics**
- Research-based interventions and ways to transform student mindset to **greatly enhance students' experiences in math**



*"One of the best seminars I have ever attended. Sherri gave me activities and resources that I can use right away in my classroom. Thank you!"*

— ELIZABETH LUNDEEN, TEACHER

## Practical Ideas and Strategies

How many times have you asked your class to share their answers and only a few students raise their hands? We are teaching a generation of students who are often afraid of making mistakes.

In this energizing and dynamic **NEW** seminar, international presenter, author and educator, **SHERRI ADLER** will share the most effective and engaging strategies for building a Growth Mindset in your mathematics students. You will learn in very practical terms how to transform mindsets in mathematics so students are excited to learn and willing to risk making mistakes.

Walk away with proven, research-based practices that will transform the way your students think about and perform in math. Learn how to help students embrace the mistakes they make and turn them into powerful learning. **Don't miss this unique opportunity to participate in this transformational seminar that will leave you with dozens of strategies to help all your students—even your struggling ones—achieve at higher levels, engage, persist, and succeed in math through a Growth Mindset.**



# A Message From Your Seminar Leader, Sherri Adler



## Uniquely Qualified Instructor

**SHERRI ADLER** is a dynamic and energetic math educator, a co-author of several mathematics books and an international presenter who is known for her innovation, enthusiasm and practical ideas for teaching math in grades K-6. Coupled with her passion for helping students develop a Growth Mindset, Sherri's expertise and humor keep the day fast-paced and full of practical, easy-to-implement strategies – perfect for any math classroom, no matter what curriculum is taught.

The ideas that Sherri presents stem from those she has found to be most successful in her extensive experience as a classroom teacher, math resource teacher, and math coach in training and supporting teachers and instructional coaches. Sherri has taught in public, private and charter school settings. She is a popular speaker at national math conferences and has trained educators throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, Central and South America. In addition, Sherri is the author of *Develop Growth Mindset in Mathematics to Increase Students' Perseverance, Engagement and Success*, the extensive resource handbook that each participant will receive at the seminar.

**Join Sherri for an engaging, fun and enlightening day full of terrific ideas for helping implement Growth Mindset principles to increase your students' success in math.**

Dear Colleague:

Our students today are faced with many challenges, and we know their outlook on how they approach these challenges will make all the difference in whether they succeed in overcoming them. Having a Growth Mindset, as opposed to a fixed mindset, enables students to learn from their mistakes and strengthen their brains versus shutting down and stagnating. Too many of our students today associate mistakes with failure, which can negatively impact their learning journey as mathematicians.

I want to share with you proven ways you can encourage your grades K-6 mathematics students to take greater risks in their learning, even if it means their answer may not be correct on their first go around. I want to arm you with practical, highly effective ways to assist your students in becoming more successful in math by developing a Growth Mindset.

Some of the ideas I will share include:

- How to create lesson plans that help students discover the relationship between grit and success
- Numerous practical, easy-to-implement activities that develop Growth Mindset and strengthen problem solving skills
- Techniques to help students overcome their fear of failure
- Fact fluency strategies that alleviate math anxiety and develop Growth Mindset
- Proven ways to encourage parents to help develop students' Growth Mindset at home

Please join me for a day full of learning outstanding ways to implement Growth Mindset principles to greatly increase your students' perseverance, engagement and success in mathematics.

Sincerely,

Sherri Adler

**P.S. My goal is to provide you with practical ideas you can immediately implement in your classroom that will help your students develop more positive attitudes and experience greater success in mathematics!**

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# What Your Colleagues Say About Sherri Adler

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*"Sherri did a fantastic job giving us **many great resources for Growth Mindset** and mathematical mindset! I am ready to try so many fun strategies tomorrow! Thank you!"*

Nicole Cortez, 5th Grade Teacher

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*"I really enjoyed the day. **Sherri was engaging and kept us moving!**"*

Ann Sisson, 3rd Grade Teacher

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*"**Sherri was amazing!** This seminar was a big help. Thank you!"*

Tania Huerta, Teacher

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*"Sherri – Thank you for your knowledge! Thank you for your expertise and enthusiasm! You have **helped to remind me why I love teaching!** Thank you!"*

Kimberly Thorn, 1st Grade Teacher

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*"Engaging, great content, and **many ideas to bring back to the classroom.** Sherri was friendly, bubbly and informative."*

Nicole Evje, 2nd Grade Teacher

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*"Such a great experience. Lots of great ideas to take back to the classroom. **Wonderful hands-on ideas** to make math engaging."*

Kimberly Collins, 5th Grade Math/Science Teacher

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*"Very helpful and **great, ready-to-use ideas.**"*

Lisa Graheil, 1st Grade Teacher

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*"I really enjoyed the PD. **Well worth the time** out of the classroom! I also liked getting so many practical strategies and activities."*

Brianna Bird, 5th Grade Teacher

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*"Sherri provided **wonderful energy and insight** into increasing students' motivation and engagement."*

Ryan Smith, 6th Grade Teacher

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*"Sherri was warm, welcoming and knowledgeable. **I love that all her ideas and resources do not take a lot of prep work or money!**"*

Emily Anderson, 2nd Grade Teacher

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# Special Benefits of Attending



## Online Learning

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## Can't Attend?

### Other Professional Development Options:



### Related Online Courses

Related On Demand Video-Based Online Learning course, *Develop Growth Mindset in Mathematics to Increase Students' Perseverance, Engagement and Success*, for Grades K-6, and other math-related courses, are available for immediate registration.

To enroll, visit [www.ber.org/online](http://www.ber.org/online)

## Extensive Math Growth Mindset Resource Handbook

Each participant will receive an extensive resource handbook specifically designed for this seminar. The handbook includes:

- Dozens of Growth Mindset messages, activities and strategies that can change how students view mistakes and enable students to persist and succeed
- Proven ways to increase students' perseverance, engagement and success in math
- Numerous motivational ideas and tasks to increase students' grit, resilience and confidence
- Ready-to-use, highly effective math resources, ideas, lessons, and activities that work with any curriculum or program
- Easy to implement activities that create out of the box problem solvers and creative thinkers

## Meet and Share

This seminar provides a wonderful opportunity for participants to meet and share ideas with other educators interested in developing a positive Growth Mindset in their math students.

## Meet Inservice Requirements / Earn State CEUs

Participants will receive a certificate of participation that may be used to verify continuing education hours.

### CEUs Available:

#### New Jersey

NJ Professional Development Hours Available with Prior District Approval

#### New York

5 NY CTLE Hours Available

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#### Pennsylvania

PA CPE Hours Verification Available with Prior District Approval

DE Clock Hours Available with Prior District Approval in Philadelphia

NJ Professional Development Hours Available with Prior District Approval in Philadelphia

#### Virginia

VA Renewal Points Available

## Earn One to Four Graduate Semester Credits



Up to four graduate level professional development credits are available with an additional fee and completion of follow-up practicum activities. Details for direct enrollment with Brandman University, part of the Chapman University system, will be available at this program.



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## Registration (MMA0F1)

- 1. **Harrisburg** (Camp Hill), **PA** – December 12, 2019
- 2. **Long Island** (Plainview), **NY** – December 9, 2019
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## METHOD OF PAYMENT – Team Discount Available

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## Meeting Sites and Hotel Accommodations

Seminars will be held at the following sites:

- Harrisburg: Radisson – Camp Hill, (717) 763-7117
- Long Island: Holiday Inn – Plainview, (516) 349-7400
- Newark: The Wilshire Grand Hotel – West Orange, (973) 731-7007
- Northern Virginia: Holiday Inn – Arlington, (703) 243-9800
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