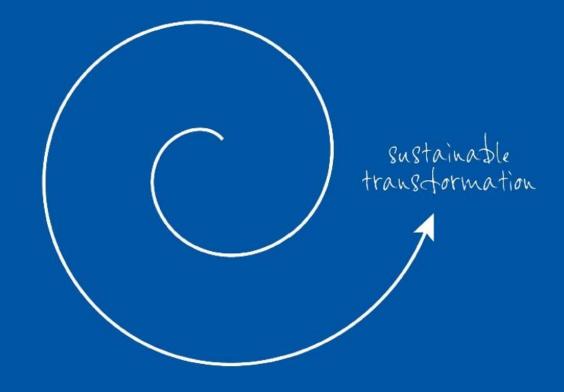


BUILDING A GROWTH MINDSET





Why are we doing this?





A growth mindset can help us adapt and deal with continuously changing situations and better manage ourselves and others



Objectives for today



1

Explore and understand what a 'growth mindset' is

2

Connect and reflect together on a 'fixed' vs 'growth' mindset

3

Consider how to strengthen our growth mindset

What is a growth mindset?



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A growth mindset is the belief that an individual can grow and develop through dedication, hard work and purposeful practice – not just relying on given talent.

(Matthew Syed, 2015)

Which mindset do you have?



Consider the two lists of statements below. Select those that reflect how you think/act.

List 1:

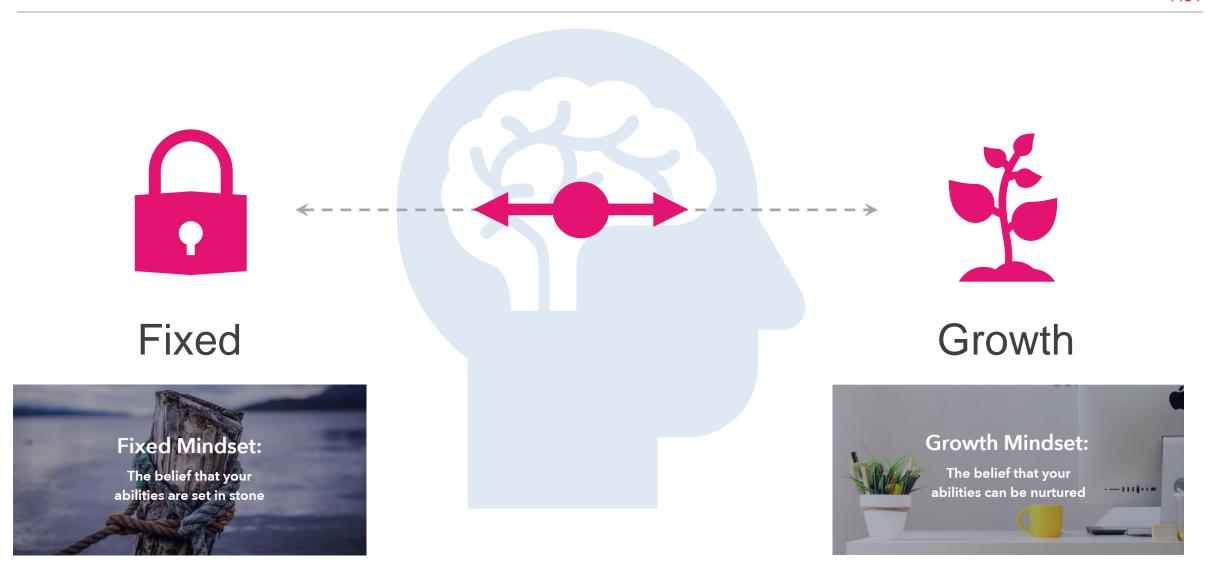
- 1. You shy away from challenging or new situations as you are worried you might not be successful straight away.
- 2. Your experience to date means you are more likely to have the answers than newer people.
- 3. You believe ability is something you are born with.
- 4. You think it is important to identify who is to blame for an undesired outcome.
- 5. You are proud of your strengths and play to them.
- 6. You are defensive when faced with criticism/feedback.
- 7. You prefer approaches that are tried and tested.
- 8. You are not comfortable taking calculated risks.

List 2:

- 1. People can improve significantly and achieve high performance with practice.
- 2. Practice is more important than natural talent.
- 3. You are able to bounce back from a setback, seeing failure as an opportunity to learn.
- 4. You like to be challenged and are willing to step out of your comfort zone.
- 5. You are comfortable making a decision on your own.
- 6. You praise effort rather than skill.
- You see the benefits of collaboration and sharing information.
- 8. You think accountability is important, rather than blame.

Fixed vs. Growth Mindset





How a growth mindset benefits companies



Employees in a "growth mindset" company are...









that their colleagues are trustworthy

Likelier to feel a strong sense of ownership and commitment to the company

the company
supports risk
taking

the company
fosters
innovation

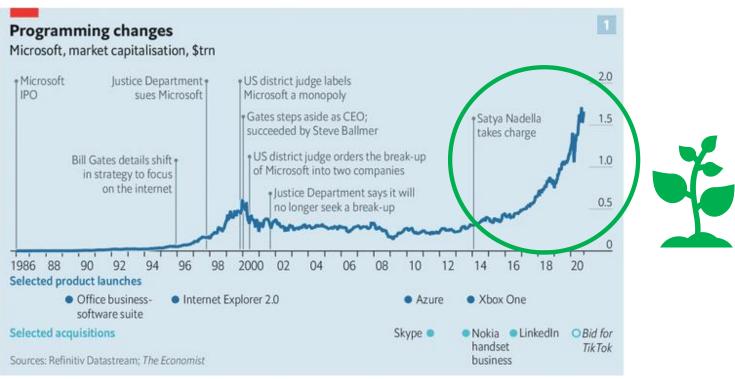
Case study: Microsoft





Be a "learn-it-all". You will always do better than the "know-it-all" even if they start with much more innate capability.

- Satya Nadella, CEO Microsoft



Source: The Economist

Thank you



We will send some tips to strengthen your Growth Mindset, the slides from today's session and a case study on the impact of Growth Mindset in organisations.

If you have any questions, comments or would benefit from a 1:1 conversation on how to strengthen yours and your company's Growth Mindset...

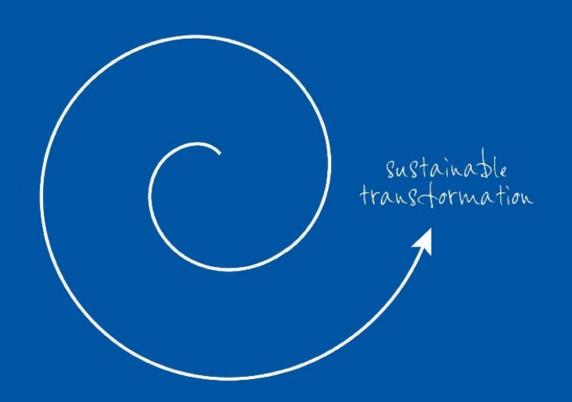
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