

## Growth Mindset at Idle CE Primary School



Idle Primary School learners have a  
Growth Mindset. We all...



**Believe** – we have a ‘can do’ attitude

**Love challenge** – we push ourselves to achieve our very best  
and want to improve

**Persevere** – we keep trying and never give up

**Reflect** – we ask ourselves ‘how can this be even better?’

**Are Resilient** – we bounce back stronger from difficulties and mistakes

**Determined** – We are intent on being the best that we can be

**Resourceful** – We have strategies and know what to do when we find something hard.

**10 Growth Mindset Statements**

What can I say to myself?

**FIXED MINDSET** (represented by a brick wall head)      **TRY THINKING:**      **GROWTH MINDSET** (represented by a tree head)

**INSTEAD OF:**

- I'm not good at this.
- I'm awesome at this.
- I give up.
- This is too hard.
- I can't make this any better.
- I just can't do Math.
- I made a mistake.
- She's so smart. I will never be that smart.
- It's good enough.
- Plan "A" didn't work.

- 1 What am I missing?
- 2 I'm on the right track.
- 3 I'll use some of the strategies we've learned.
- 4 This may take some time and effort.
- 5 I can always improve so I'll keep trying.
- 6 I'm going to train my brain in Math.
- 7 Mistakes help me to learn better.
- 8 I'm going to figure out how she does it.
- 9 Is it really my best work?
- 10 Good thing the alphabet has 25 more letters!

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