

Maximize potential & transform for a balanced, happier & impactful life.

Transformation for K-12 Schools

Schools face **growing challenges** with learning deficits, tight budgets, and the need for social-emotional learning. Adapting teaching methods can feel overwhelming, but innovation and collaboration drive **deeper learning**.

We help educators **redesign education** through **Project-Based Learning** (PBL), providing tools and strategies to create engaging, real-world learning environments. In partnership with Advanced Reasoning in Education (ARIE), we strengthen deeper learning practices worldwide.

Led by **Steven Zipkes**, former founding principal of Manor New Tech High, our PBL training empowers educators through online, in-person, and hybrid formats, including Think Global PBL Academies and coaching programs.

OUR 3 DAY TRAINING COVERS:

Day 1: Project Launch, Project Ideation, Entry Events
Day 2: Rubrics, Scaffolding, Assessments, Project Calendars
Day 3: Project Management, Breakout Workshops, Presentations, Critical Friends

PBL PRECEPTOR COACHING AFTER TRAINING

After a Think Global PBL Academy many participants and schools look to us for PBL Preceptor Coaching to continue the support in their **transformational PBL journey**. MaximizeU is able to offer our PBL Preceptor Coaching in an immersive opportunity, involving our expert PBL trainers through onsite visits or virtually to campuses of teachers that have been through our 3-day Think Global PBL Academy.

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT

Transform your schools through systems, pedagogy, and implementation.

MaximizeU with Think Global PBL's experiences of designing, creating and implementing highly successful 21st Century schools can provide a personalized partnership to help transform schools to 21st Century Schools.

TRANSFORMATION WITH A PURPOSE

Why Think Global PBL Authentic Design Academy?

Our training stands out with years of experience in designing and implementing highquality Project-Based Learning (PBL). We focus on creating engaging, standards-aligned projects that ensure students master and apply their learning.

Hands-on, Experiential, Collaborative Experience

This is not passive learning—our immersive, three-day training equips teachers with a fully developed PBL project. Modeled on real classroom experience, we guide educators through essential PBL elements while fostering collaboration.

Proven Success

Since 2008, Think Global PBL Authentic Design Academies have trained 10,000+ educators worldwide, transforming schools through hands-on PBL training. We've worked with thousands of teachers in Australia, China, Mongolia, Kazakhstan, and beyond, helping them implement authentic PBL practices.

Our flexible coaching, courses, and digital resources support educators globally. Choose from pre-defined plans or customize a Growth Fund to meet the needs of teachers, administrators, and students.

Some of our courses:

- Special Education Strategies for Teachers & Support Staff
- Parent & Caregiver Strategies for students of determination
- Autism Awareness & Inclusion in K-12 Schools
- Effective Mentoring, Coaching & Crisis Management