

## 7 Secrets of Effective Teaching of Millennials Via Technology

We live in a different world. Technology is transforming the way we live and teach every day. The laptop is dead, the desktop is gone. App by app, mobile devices are allowing users to create their own Internet. Just about every adult has some sort of smartphone, phablet, Ipad or laptop. Never underestimate the power of Millennials in technology. Those little devices in our pockets are so psychologically powerful that they don't only change what we do, they change who we are. There seems to be a mobile app for just about everything. "Business as usual" is dead. "Colleges or University as usual" is the past. Most professors teach today exactly the same way they taught a hundred years ago.

New models of education are bringing unprecedented competition to the traditional models. We are shifting from "teacher-centered" to "student -centered education" and engaging them by connecting the curriculum with real life issues. We have sold ourselves into a fast food (industrial) model of education, and it's impoverishing our spirit and our energies as much as fast food is depleting our physical bodies. We have to move to a model that is based more on principles of agriculture. The idea of the content-only curriculum in any classroom will not be effective. Engagement rules the day. We are at the bleeding edge of education innovations.

Are we taking advantage of it? **What are the 7 SECRETS of Effective Teaching of millennials via technology?**

- Secret 1 - Stay Connected
- Secret 2 - Make it Meaningful and Relevant
- Secret 3 - Create Goals Together
- Secret 4 - Provide Flexibility
- Secret 5 - Challenge Them to Learn New Skills: Rigor
- Secret 6 - Encourage Teamwork
- Secret 7 - Recognize Success
- Secret 8 – Bonus Secret: Stay fit.

In this highly interactive PowerPoint presentation, participants will learn that effective teaching is all about seeing the classroom and workplace through Millennial's eye sockets. Participants will learn how to reach, teach and work effectively with the millennials.

These tools can be used as part of your 'teacher toolkit' or 'arsenal' depending on how aggressive you view your teaching style.

This presentation will benefit administrators, HR employers, educators, as well as college employees.

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