



**LEAD Institute
Class of 2025**

Class Schedule and Topics (subject to change)

Class meets each month from 8:30am-5pm unless noted otherwise

August 20, 21, 22 Class headshots

September 5: Setting Up Your LinkedIn Profile

September 12: Orientation & opening retreat (business attire), class photo

October 17: Critical Thinking, Systems Thinking, and Problem-Solving Skills
YLE: Diagnose Situation: Make Multiple Tough Interpretations
Multi-Generational Leadership

November 21: Clifton Strengths: Understanding your strengths to be a more effective leader.
Finding Your Voice
YLE: Manage Self: Know Your Strengths, Vulnerabilities, and Triggers

December 4: Leading with Emotional Intelligence
Leading with Empathy and Perspective & Workplace Bullying
YLE: Manage Self: Experiment Beyond Your Comfort Zone: Leadership Starts with You

January 7: Communication Skills-Promoting Leadership through Communication Clarity
Self-Promotion
YLE: Energize Others: Work Across Factions

February 20: DISC
Radical Candor
YLE: Energize Others: Create a Trustworthy Process

March 20: Five Behaviors of a Team
YLE: Intervene Skillfully: Act Experimentally

April 17: Handling Conflict Resolution & Negotiation
YLE: Intervene Skillfully: Raise the Heat
Presentation Skills

May 1: Closing Retreat
 15 Three Word Thoughts on Leadership
 Group Presentations
 Class Project Presentation Preparation
 Class Year Reflections

May 14: Graduation Dinner & Celebration (Wednesday)

There will also be additional bonus events and learning opportunities that class members can attend throughout the class year.

*(Alternate class days in case of having to reschedule ***March 27 and *April 24, 2025)***