ONLINE COURSE | 20 HOURS

SEL for Youth Waging Peace







Do you feel powerless when you hear about injustice in the world?



When times get tough, do you feel

overwhelmed,

confused and angry?



The SEL for Youth Waging Peace online course equips the youth with social emotional and critical thinking skills to tackle challenging situations, and guides the educators on how to help the youth become resilient future leaders.





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Course Detail

The UNESCO MGIEP SEL for Youth Waging Peace course is a powerful online course designed specifically for youth (18+) to learn how to use social and emotional learning for the prevention of violent extremism. Aimed at youth peacebuilders, this course will help in cultivating critical social-emotional competencies, develop systems-informed interventions to prevent violent extremism, and work towards building sustainable peace in their immediate communities.

The online, self-directed course uses narrative format for scenario-based learning (graphic novel look-and-feel) to engage learners with the course content and provides them the opportunity to arrive at their own insights by exploring the story and the topics along with a fictional character, **Kalamfariku**, and the experiences and viewpoints of 4 characters from the story, **Amum**, **Wondoo**, **Kimsha**, **and Magrub**.

The course takes approximately 16-20 hours to complete and learners receive a Certificate issued by UNESCO MGIEP.



Course Objectives

The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) defines Prevention of Violent Extremism (PVE) as addressing the root causes (of violent extremism) with the aim of finding peaceful, inclusive, sustainable solutions.

This course aims to address this with a special focus on the role of education in addressing two interlinked challenges:

- The rise of extremist ideologies that can lead to violent extremism using a

development and peacebuilding approach firmly grounded in social emotional learning and human rights principle.

 The need to build and sustain increasingly diverse and multi-cultural societies, which requires attention to institutions, communities and individual resilience and promotion of empathy, mindfulness, compassion, critical inquiry for a just and peaceful world.

This story is set in Ahayou, a land unconfined by time. Ahayou is fictional, or it may remind you of a place you know too well.

Designed like a graphic novel, the story is revealed by **Kalamfariku**, the narrator, who introduces us to



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his family.





Competencies Acquired

Empathy Mindfulness Compassion



Critical inquiry

Systems thinking

Media literacy



Let's build a peaceful world as we explore and learn from the journeys of Ahayou residents through this interactive online course.



Starting the course

Thank you for showing interest in SEL for Youth Waging Peace

As next steps, you will need to create an account on FramerSpace:

- 1. Visit <u>framerspace.com</u>
- 2. Sign up to the platform, using your age and a password (minimum 8 characters).
- 3. The system will generate a Unique ID for you. Note: The platform is General Data Protection Regulation Compliant (GDPR) and so does not store your personal information for security reasons.
- 4. Please save your Unique ID at a secure place as this is the ID you will need to use to navigate the Youth Waging Peace Course and platform.

5. Add an email address, if you wish to reset password in the future. We will never share your email with any other user on FramerSpace.

6. Next click "Take me to the courses".

- 7. Scroll down to find and click on the Youth Waging Peace.
- 8. Next, click on "Request Access to the Course" and select "enroll in the course" just beneath the descriptor on the top of the page and explore away.

Here's a video tutorial laying out the steps too. See you on <u>FramerSpace</u>.



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