EQ Leadership



Enhanced leadership through emotional intelligence (EQ)

Building EQ

Self-awareness

Being able to recognize your own emotions, triggers to emotions, and how your emotions can impact others

Self-regulation

Being able to control your emotions and moods so they don't lead to negative consequences

Motivation

Intrinsic motivation, or a natural optimism and desire to achieve not related to external rewards

EQ defined

Recognize your emotions, control them, and express them appropriately. Manage interpersonal relationships and empathize with others.

—Daniel Goldman

Empathy

Seeing the world through others' eyes, it is also the ability to recognize, understand, and experience others' feelings

Social skills

Being able to find common ground and build rapport with others through positive interactions and building networks

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Reflect on how you feel and why, while considering your triggers

Seek out another perspective

Practice humility by supporting others to succeed

Apologize when you make a mistake, and take responsibility

Maintain a positive attitude

Stay cool and manage stress

Be assertive and able to express difficult emotions when necessary

Stay proactive, not reactive, in the face of a difficult situation

Developing resiliency in the face of adversity



UC Berkeley researchers found that **EQ** is four times more powerful than IQ in predicting who would achieve success in their field.

Fifty-nine percent of hiring managers said they would not hire someone with a high IQ and low EQ. (CareerBuilder)



Research by the numbers



Seventy-one percent said they **value emotional intelligence** in an employee **over 1Q**, according to a CareerBuilder hiring manager survey.

One in three hiring managers reported placing **increased emphasis on EQ** in their hiring and promoting decisions. (CareerBuilder)

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9 ways to spot EQ leadership

A leader with a high EQ can:



