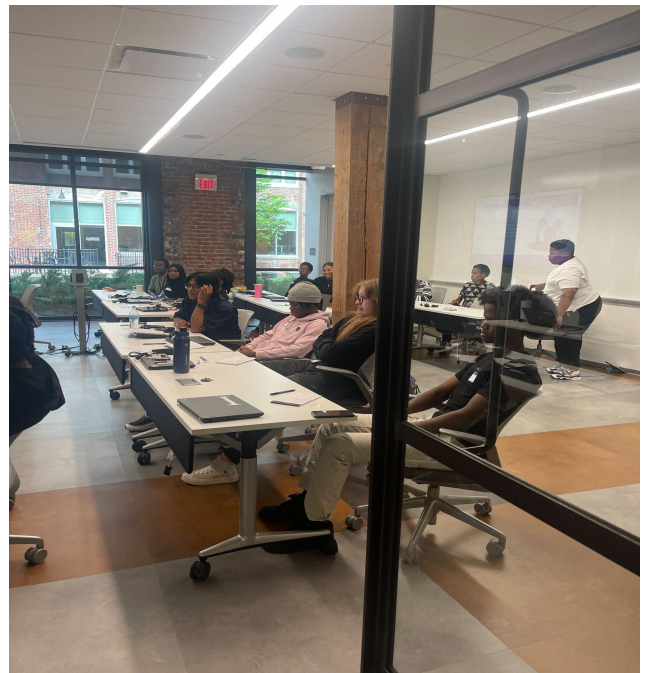


Week of 6/26/2023

Lead The Way Learning Academy

This week at Accenture, the Lead The Way Learning Academy youth learned about leadership through introducing themselves to Accenture staff, initiating conversations and introducing themselves and their future goals. The youth had a workshop with Instructors Irena and Amisha about professionalism and business. The youth learned: proper business etiquette when writing an email; speaking clearly and directly; networking; a proper handshake; and how to dress business casual/professional. The youth learned about imposter syndrome and the negative aspects, along with ways to mentally and physically care for oneself in regards to preparing to handle the world. The youth learned how large Accenture is and their vast connections with other companies, which could lead to many opportunities. Lastly, they reflected on their progress throughout the week and did their weekly OMJ reflection sheets.

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## Employee of the Week



### Leticia Oteng

Accenture's employee of the week is Leticia Oteng, who recently graduated from Horizon Science Academy High School. She will attend Ohio University in the fall for visual communications. She loves drawing, visual arts, video editing, and is skilled in punctuality, communication, and reliability. She was chosen this week for employee of the week because of her respectful nature and efforts in the program. Leticia is personable, empathetic, and works well with others.

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Lead The Way Learning Academy

## Weekly Events/Recap



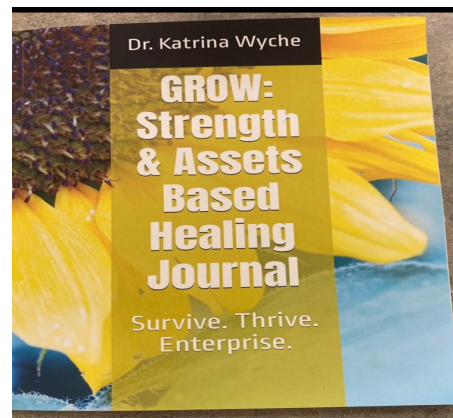
This week marked the second week of Lead The Way Learning Academy's summer Work-Based Learning experience. On Monday, students began the start of their behavioral health program, learning what behavioral / mental health is, along with the tools and resources youth can implement to have positive outcomes with, not only themselves, but others.

The youth received their GROW journals that help them as a guide to exercise healing and strength of their mind. Student write in their journals daily and debrief within the classroom. June 27, 2023 to June 28, 2023 guest speaker Mr. Jim White presented to the class and demonstrated activities that youth can use to learn more about the overview of working with people and how to overcome adversity.

## Leader of the Week

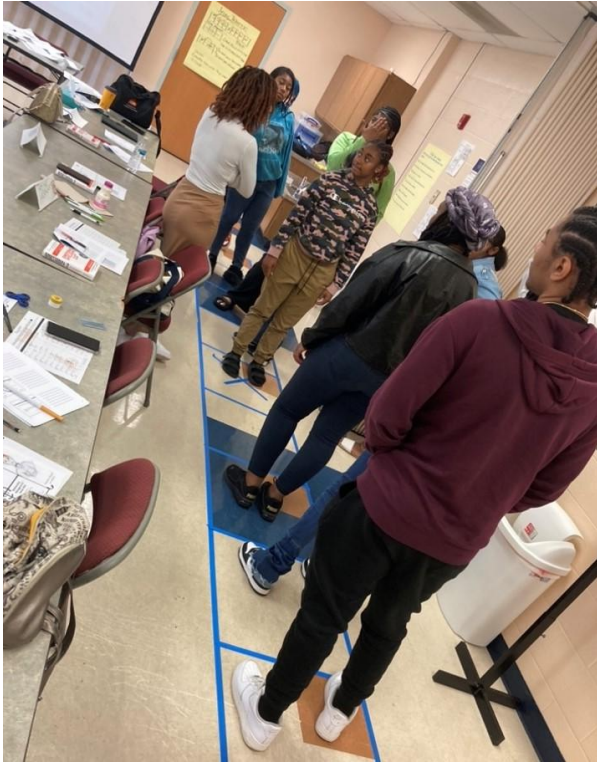
### Christopher Todd

Our leader of the week is Christopher Todd . Christopher is a recent graduate of The Charles School at Ohio Dominican. Christopher is constantly engaged and provides leadership skills with his peers.



The GROW journals help students reflect on what they are grateful for and dive into what they want to accomplish for the day and week. These journals help with healing and learning more about behavioral and mental health.





At the end of the week, the youth participated in the trivia game Kahoot, demonstrating their knowledge of the lessons presented throughout the week.



Our youth actively participated in an exercise, demonstrating their ability to work together. Additionally, they experienced what it was like being part of an organization and working with a manager. Mr. Jim White put them through the exercise, while allowing them to collaborate and learn next to their peers.



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June 26: Work-Based Learning officially started with Adam and Ty from Yamo Media speaking to the youth about what they want to get out of the experience. The topics they'd like to touch on during the experience include pop culture, relationships, music, social media, politics and religion.

Adam handed out the agenda for the upcoming weeks and this week the youth focused on: The Fundamentals of Podcast Preparation. Specifically, they will learn about podcast formats, genres and planning their first episode. They will also touch on:

- Rundowns, cover art and hosting
- Developing a rundown for their first episode
- Officially recording the first episode.

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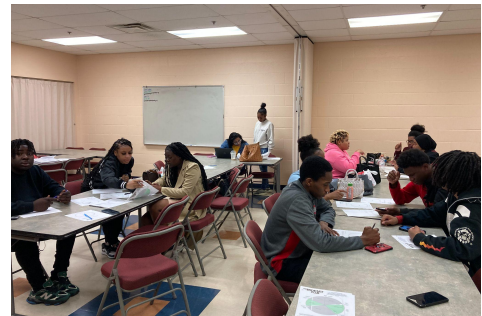
Rhy'Aire Hines



Our leader of the week is Rhy'aire Hines.

Rhy'aire attends Fort Hayes and she loves to dance. She was chosen this week due to her enthusiasm about the program and how she

takes initiative to speak up while in the classroom. She also does well in collaborative efforts and is very responsive to feedback.



June 27: The youth started working on fully developing their podcast. They were in charge of building their script and a format clock. This tool is used to help them block time within their podcast in order to help it flow and keep it consistent. They also finalized their podcast names and began choosing introduction music



June 28: The youth setup equipment and started recording their trailers for the upcoming podcast episode that will be released on July 12, 2023. Each group will make a trailer, including condensed versions and previews of their episodes on pop culture.



Each group also worked on a 30 second elevator pitch that will be integrated into their trailer. Adam spent time critiquing each group's pitch to make sure they're utilizing constructive criticism to help their podcast excel.

The youth learned about different types of equipment like PTZ cameras, cables, microphones and soundboards. They discussed rolling cameras and panning styles.

They were also able to see where their podcast will be taking place. They are developing names for their podcast and determining formatting for the first episode.

**DO YOUR RESEARCH!!**

Research is very important, especially when having a conversation during a podcast. Adam, Kayla and Ty made sure our youth understood the power of research.

