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Definitions: Plan / Manage / Grow



Plan

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- 1. detailed proposal for doing or achieving something.
- 2. an intention or decision about what one is going to do.

verb

- 1. decide on and arrange in advance.
- 2. design or make a plan of (something to be made or built).



Manage

verb

- 1. Be in charge of (a company, establishment, or undertaking); administer; run.
- 2. Succeed in surviving or in attaining one's aims, especially against heavy odds; cope.



Grow

verb

- 1.(of a living thing) undergo natural development by increasing in size and changing physically; progress to maturity.
- 2. become larger or greater over a period of time; increase.

Plan, Manage and Grow Your Financial Assets



Professionals Who Can Help Drive Your Small Biz Success

- Accountant
- A Trusted Banker
- Attorney
- Mentor
- Fellow Entrepreneurs
- Website Designer
- SBDC's Small Business Development Centers

Gain Access to Needed Capital



Working Capital

- •The goal of working capital management is to maximize operational efficiency.
- •Efficient working capital management helps maintain smooth operations and can also help to improve the company's earnings and profitability.
- •Management of working capital includes inventory management and management of accounts receivables and accounts payables.

Gain Access to Needed Capital - Pg2



Various channels for achieving access to capital.

- Small Business Administration SBA
- Conventional Loans
- Crowd Funding
- Venture Capital
- Angel Investors
- Personal Saving

THE 5 C'S OF CREDIT



CHARACTER

Determined by your credit score and credit history.



CAPACITY

Based on your income and other financial obligations, will you be able to pay back the loan?



COLLATERAL

What property and/or large assets do you have that can be used to repay the loan?



CAPITAL

Do you have savings or assets that can be claimed if you don't make your payments?



CONDITIONS

How do you intend to use the money?

Have a sound business plan and forecast

To be creditworthy to potential lenders, you have to show that your business is competitive for its industry and target market. Providing a detailed picture of your business financials as well as a pragmatic assessment of its growth prospects does just that

- BALANCE SHEETS
- PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENTS
- TAX RECORDS
- CASH FLOW PROJECTIONS
- ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE
- ACCOUNTS PAYABLE



S.W.O.T Analysis Matrix

STRENGTHS:

What do you do well?
What unique resources can you draw on?
What do others see as your strengths?

Strengths Weaknesses

WEAKNESSES:

What could you improve?
Where do you have fewer resources than others?
What are others likely to see as weakness?

OPPORTUNITIES:

What opportunities are open to you? What trends could you take advantage of? How can you turn your strengths into opportunities?

Opportunities

Threats

THREATS:

What threats could harm you?
What is your competition doing?
What threats do your weaknesses expose you to?







WELCOME!

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NATIONAL PROGRAM-CITY SUPPORTED INITIATIVE









- A national program with 19 education sites + National Cohort
- Brought to Chicago in 2011
- Scholarship Program- no cost to accepted business owner!
- 790 Alumni across Chicagoland
- Currently taking applications for Cohort 29











What Is Required To Be Considered For The Program?

- Business in operation for 2 years or more
- Employ 4 full time equivalent staff (including owner)
- Revenues of \$150K to \$8M+
- Majority owner of the business





PROGRAM OVERVIEW









PRACTICAL BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT EDUCATION

Developed in partnership with world-class academic institutions. Focuses on skills that can be applied immediately.

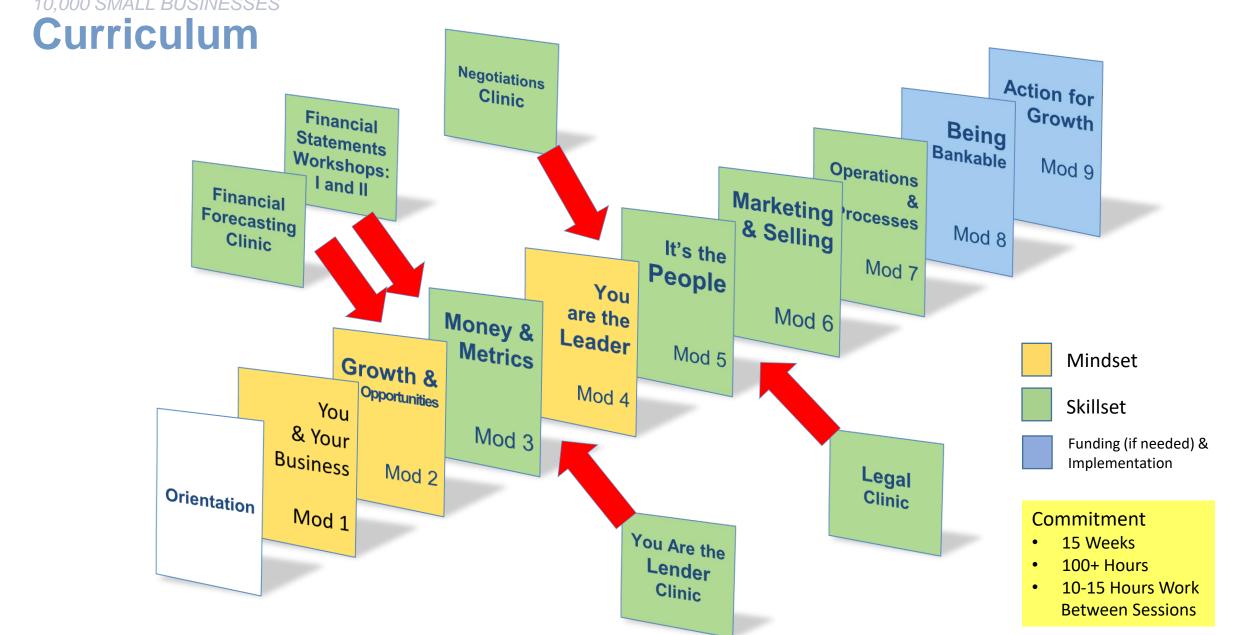
A NETWORK OF SUPPORT

Participants and alumni connect to collaborate on ideas with peers, subject matter experts and business advisors.

CAPITAL TO EXPAND

Opportunity provided through Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) and local community-based lenders.

REVENUE GROWTH AND JOB CREATION



10,000 SMALL BUSINESSES

RESULTS



72%

Chicago 10KSB businesses increased their revenue within 6 months VS.

45%
Non 10KSB Small Businesses
In 2014



50%

Chicago 10KSB businesses created new jobs within 6 months VS

22%

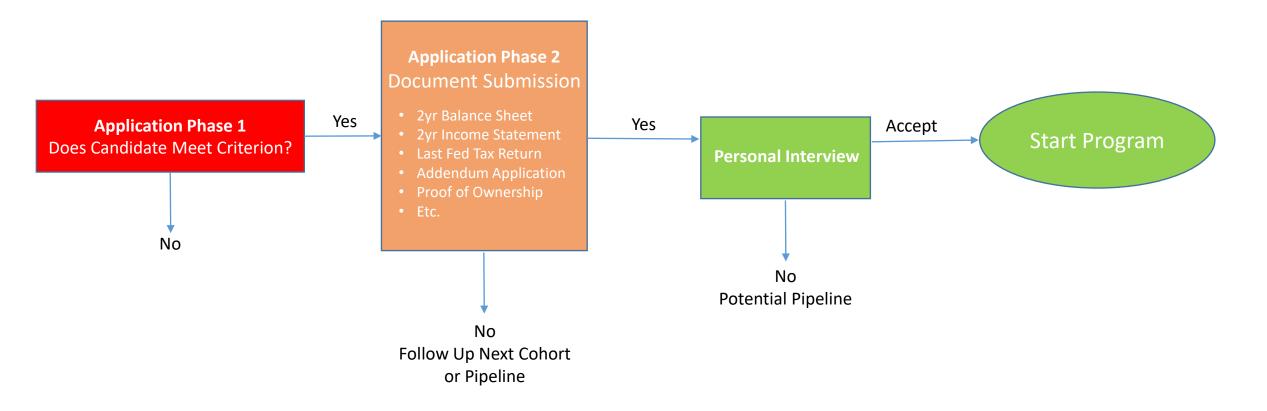
Non 10KSB Small Businesses In 2014



99%

graduation rate

APPLICATION PROCESS







SUMMARY



Cohort 29: Summer 2021

Dates: May 2021 – August 2021

Location: Harold Washington College 30 E Lake Street Chicago, IL 60601

Application Deadline: February 5, 2021

Apply At: www.10ksbchicago.com

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