



## THE GPS 212° PREVENTION PROJECTS TO INTERVENE



### THE GPS

For the seaman out on the ocean, a compass is pretty much fundamental to life. A compass serves one specific function: It tells you which direction you are heading. It will not choose your course for you (although it can help). It will not keep you from making bad choices in life (although it can inform you when you do). , And though the compass grandchild (the GPS) will outline a course for us we are still required to choose a destination. So in reality, both tools do not seem to do much of anything at all except sit there and... point.

### COMMITMENT. LEADERSHIP. COURAGE.



But as life unfolds before us, isn't that pretty much the thing we need the most whether we are a student, parent, educator or principal of a school? Isn't it wise to have that "tool" which lets us know when the path we are on is taking us away from the intended destinations when life winds blow us off course? Highly effective persons and organizations reflect and quietly use this wisdom, not to avoid "storms", but to accept transition as a requisite to the destination. When we are recovering from the consequences of a bad choice, there is no greater comfort than to know with help... we are back on the right course to the right destination.



### 212°

At 211° degrees water is hot. At 212° degrees it boils. And with boiling water comes steam. And steam powered the locomotive to become a force. If a principle as simple as increasing heat in increments and team innovation could transform transportation for an era, can that principle as a part of a movement inspire a difference maker, an education process or “high risk” students to transform broken life pieces into one heroic "masterpiece"?

212° S.T.A.R.  
Strategic Success Training  
Aimed At Respect & Results



212° S.T.A.R. is a community oriented teaching response initiative designed to sharpen character and influence success habits in aspiring youth/adult champions as they put forth the extra degree efforts to be peak performers within each leadership role.

**212° S.T.A.R.** is the leadership "compass" module to work in unison with the GPS (Great Possibility Strategy), which is a "great idea think tank" strategically designed for quality project creation in the L.I.T.E. movement. S.T.A.R. sets leadership goals for GPS "huddles" which are winning combinations of adult and youth leader teams. Thru sponsors and partnerships, project necessities are funded and prepared

for “huddles”. S.T.A.R. Leadership interns receive specific redeemable reward credits for their measurable progress and their influence on those they help in the process. The teams are trained in project design creation, time management, and successful completion.