



Student Playbook

The ultimate guide to rock your
student experience at GoMyCode

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Dear student,

Welcome to the most compelling and engaging learning experience that exists. We are very happy that you are joining us on this journey. We will help you learn new skills and enjoy every second you spend at GoMyCode.

The GoMyCode learning model is unique and different. The fundamental idea behind our learning model is to push students to develop their self learning skills, to work on projects and to learn how to build, design and ship a tech product. This change of model is very hard. You see, since growing up and going through traditional education; we were taught in a passive way where the teacher is the only source of knowledge.

Today we live in a very dynamic and changing world. The student's most valuable resource is not knowledge itself; it's rather the student's own capacity to learn a new thing, to think independently and be socially strong. Our model reflects the work that happens in the workplace and real life.

Be ready to live a rich and life changing experience. We hope you enjoy it as we do :)

The founders

**“Tell me and I forget, teach me and I may remember,
involve me and I learn.”**

Benjamin Franklin, Founding Father of the United States of America

**“You can't teach people everything they need to know.
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what they need to know when they need to know it.”**

Seymour Papert, Computer Scientist and Educator and MIT

“Change is the end result of all true learning.”

Leo Buscaglia, Motivational speaker and professor at USC

**Who are we?
Why are we
breaking
traditional
education?**



GoMyCode is an **educational platform** that trains top talents on the **newest skills** through a hybrid learning model combining physical presence and an online platform.

At GoMyCode we want to help people learn new skills for multiple reasons :

- 1.** To build a technology product and solve a real life problem
- 2.** To find a job that they love and gain social/economic independency
- 3.** To boost & progress in their careers, catch the technology skills gap
- 4.** To stay up to date with recent technology breakthroughs



Specialities

Learn

DIGITAL MARKETING

GOMYCODE®

GMC vs Traditional

We value active learning over passive learning

	Instructor	Hackerspace Atmosphere	Learning Approach
GMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Facilitator.● Verifier.● Motivator.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Student focused.● High student involvement time.● Student interaction.● Movement / fun / dynamic / empowering.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Focus on practice and building real life products.● Focus on self study as in real life.
Traditional	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Provider of knowledge.● Examiner.● Disciplinarian.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Teacher-focused.● High teacher talking time.● Limited student interaction.● Static.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● focus on theoretical knowledge.● No real life projects.

**TRUST THE
SYSTEM !!**





+5000

Students trained at gomycode on different technologies.

94,55%

Students successively finishing the program and shipping products.

+100

Recruiting companies.

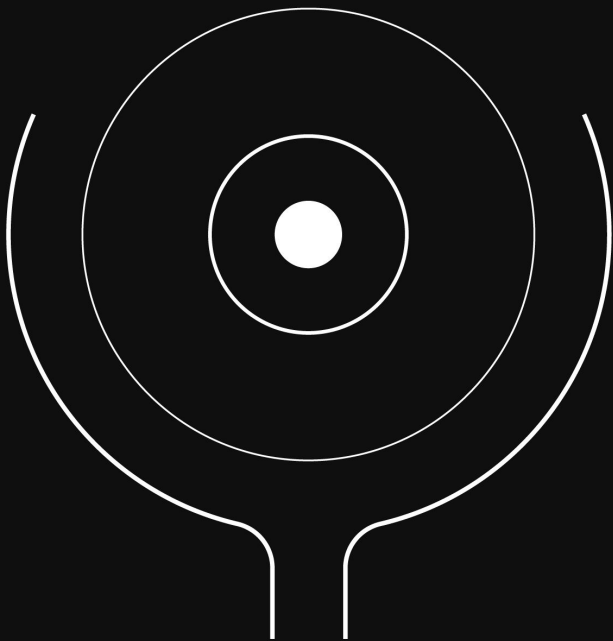
+200

Amazing Instructors mastering different technologies and expertises.

GoMyCode

7 rules of success



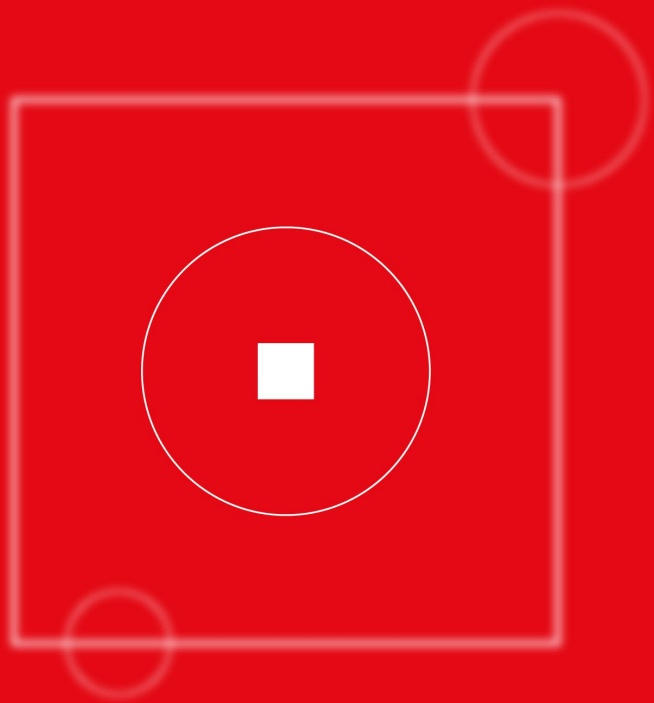


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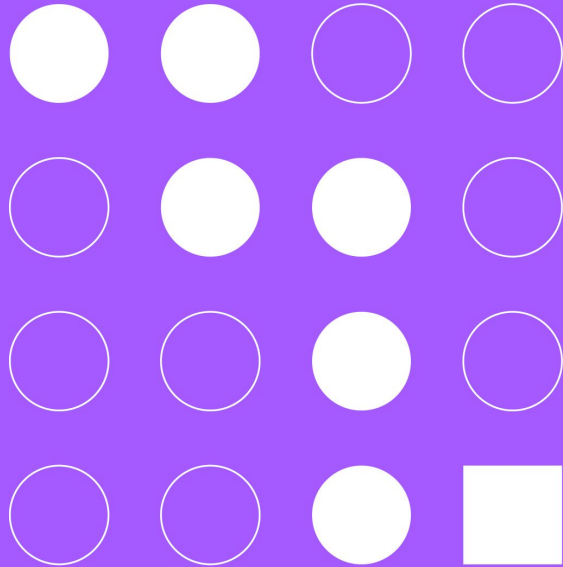
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03. Take risks

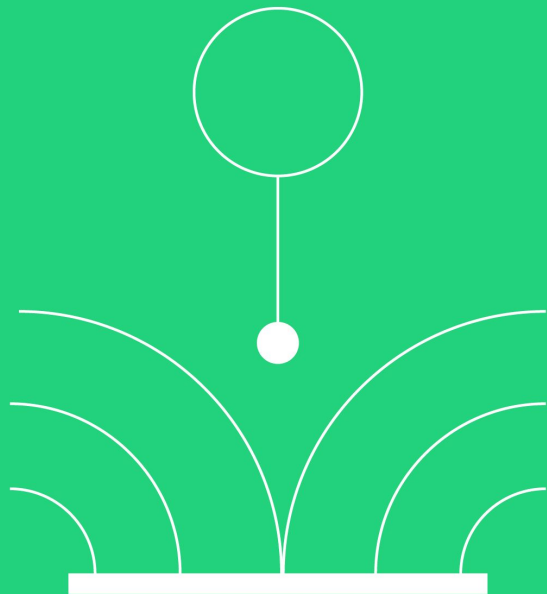
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04. Manage time

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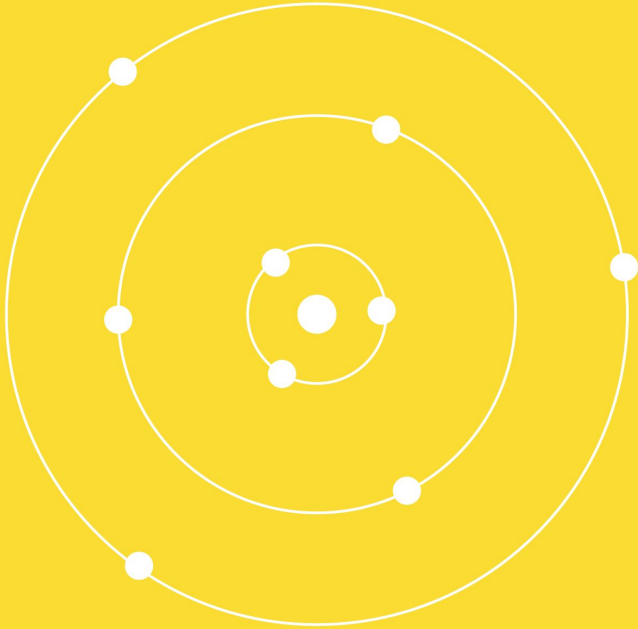
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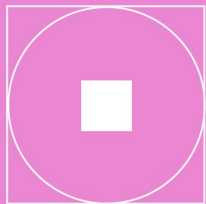
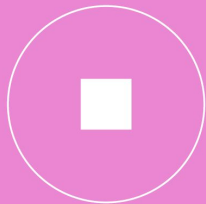
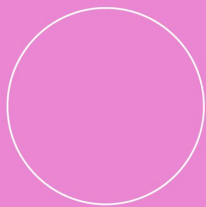
06. Collaboration

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ask questions. We are a
community.

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07. Product

Design, build ship your products.

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Internet is your friend

- Google
- Blogs
- Youtube
- Online courses
(MOOCs)
- stackoverflow.com

Learn from others. Ask questions.

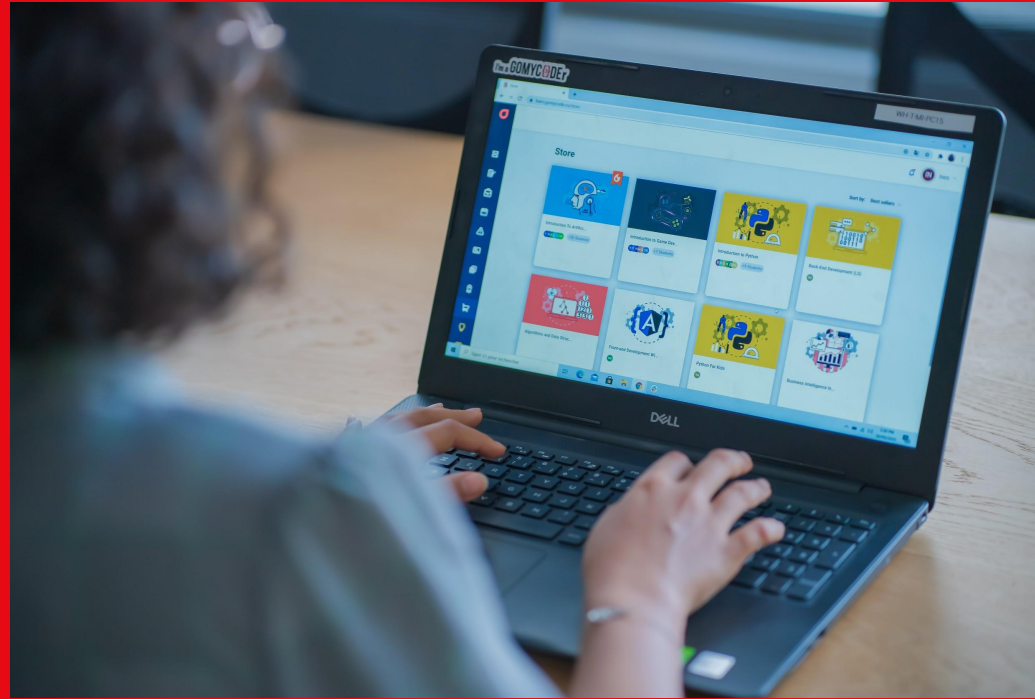
- Ask other students how did they do things ?
- Ask instructors about how they look for information ?
- Ask experts on linkedin. You will be surprised about how people are willing to answer and help.

Practice.
Try many things.
Build.
Make errors.

**Follow Tech
Influencers.**

Twitter - Youtube

Platform and learning cycle ?



Educational instances (2/2)



Skill

It's the **Core component of content**. A set of skills is a super skill. A set a super skills is a track.



Checkpoint

The **project that concludes a super skill**.

1. The student submits her/his work
2. The instructor will check the checkpoints, give feedback and rate the student's work.
3. The instructor close the checkpoint on learn.



One to One meeting

It's a **Job Interview Simulation** between the student and the instructor. The questions synthesise the Passive Learning part of the Super Skill.

The instructor will not explain or correct the student while doing it.

1. The student should book a 1-to-1 meeting.
2. The student and the instructor will have a 15-min max meeting
3. The instructor will detect the theoretical weakness of each student and take actions during the normal session.

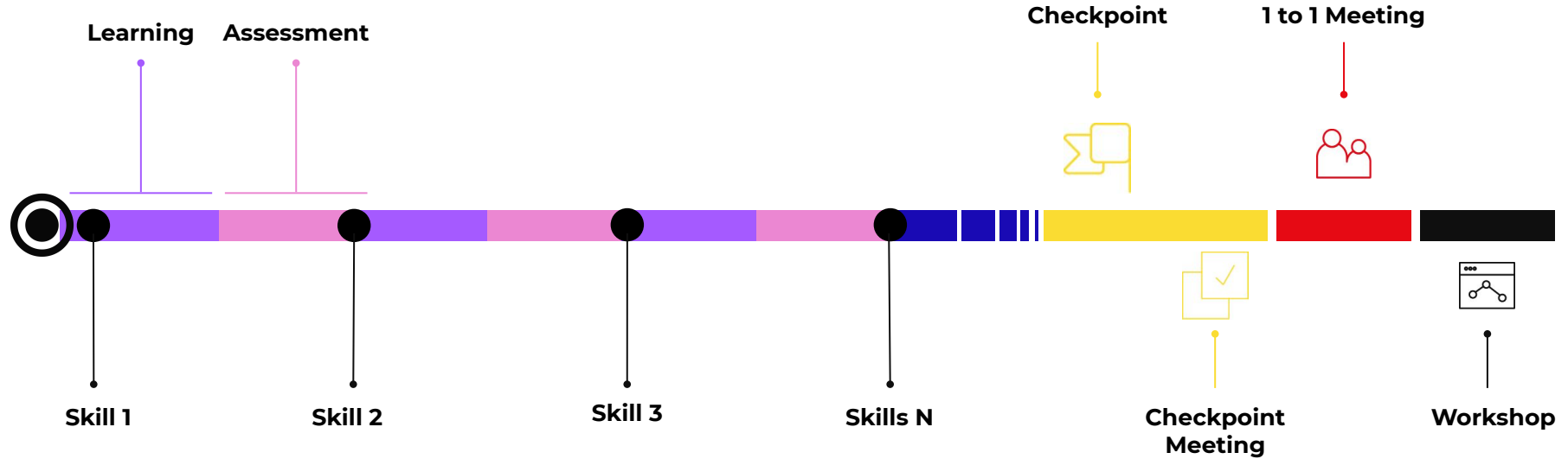


Workshop

It's a presentation or a live coding to explain a concept or a technique.

The students and instructors engage **discussion and activity on a particular subject or project**.

Learning Cycle (2/2)



To pass a skill, an assessment must be taken by the learners in order to test and evaluate their knowledge for that specific skill (lesson).



A checkpoint is a task oriented assignment, it's mainly a mini project for students to validate the previous Super Skill.



A One To One Meeting is an oral exam that takes place face-to-face between the student and the instructor. The instructor asks theoretical questions about the super skill (chapter) in question.



The workshop is a working session in which the instructor presents a problem (or a use case) and presents the flow of ideas to solve it by involving students or employees.

Session timeline

01

We always start with a **standup meeting**: Every student tells orally (and not by sending a message on Slack) what she/he had done since last session and what is she/he planning to do during current session.

At the end of the standup meeting, we fix the objectives and planning of the session.

02

Break the ice activity (social or learning activity)







03

We execute the planning discussed during the standup meeting. Without this level of organization, we cannot help students achieve their objectives.


04

Last 15 minutes: we assess objectives and planning achievement and we set objectives of self learning.

Meet our learning platform; *learn*



Dashboard



Yassine Boudhina

Rank

Titan

2492pt

Top 5 Skills

HTML

95%

Body Tag

85%

Web Dev Intro

100%


Audio/Video Tag

100%

CodeEditors

70%


Top performant students



AbdErazzak Ben Brahim

Rank: Titan


2779 pt



Amani Ayari

Rank: Knight


1179 pt



Hichem Hamrouni

Rank: Master

579 pt



Yassine Boudhina

Rank: Master


579 pt

Welcome back Yassine!

You've learned **70%** of your course this week! "Intro to Data Science and Machine learn with Python"

You have a **60%** run ans you need to move faster if you want to finish your course on time.

Finish your course



Last Skills Achievement

HTML	90%
Heading Tag	50%
Image Tag	95%
Links Tag	30%
Lists Tag	80%
Div Tag	70%
Table Tag	100%

Time

Calendar

Last week

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Notifications

Upcoming events

More

Artificial Intelligence Workshop animated by Atef Ben Abderrazak

14 January 2009 | 2009PM

Artificial Intelligence Workshop animated by Alia Ben Salah

14 January 2009 | 2009PM

Todo list

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Workshop


My Courses




Introduction to Web Development

Learn the basics of HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript (ES6), Bootstrap & Git and be able to build responsive web pages and get a grasp on Front-end Web Development.

94 out of 145 Skills


 250 Students & 10 Instructors




Full stack JS

Game Track 1 is an introduction to Game Development. You will learn how to create your own game from scratch using the Unity3D Game Engine and C# Programming language.

245 Skills


 250 Students & 10 Instructors




React

Move to the next level of Front-end Web Development by Learning to build web apps using the most popular Javascript Framework "React" and handling your app' state with "Redux".

14 out of 145 Skills

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Discover more tracks

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REMINDER OF GOMYCODE 7 RULES OF SUCCESS

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**Let's keep
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together - Let's
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