

## Sayings

"None of us is as smart as all of us." Japanese proverb

"If you're not prepared to be wrong, you'll never come up with anything original." —Ken Robinson

"The eye perceives only what the mind is prepared to comprehend." —Henri Bergson

"If you want to go quickly, go alone. If you want to go far, go together." African proverb

"The only thing standing between greatness and me is me." —Woody Allen

"I find that the harder I work, the more luck I seem to have." —Thomas Jefferson

"We don't see things as they are, we see them as we are." —Anais Nin

"Memorizing facts has only slight value. Learning how to learn is always of value." —Carl Rogers

"Things should be made as simple as possible, but not simpler." —Albert Einstein

"In order to know what I think, I have to write and see what I say." —Roland Barth

"I hear and I forget. I see and I remember. I do and I understand." —Chinese proverb

"To read without reflecting is like eating without digesting." Edmund Burke

"What it is is up to us." Howard Rheingold

"Try not. Do, or do not. There is no try." —Yoda

"Failure is an opportunity." —Lao-Tzu

"Presence of mind is the key to all endeavors." —Larry Geni

"I have never been contained except that I made the prison." —Mari Evans

"If you plant turnips you will not harvest grapes." Akan proverb

"You cannot fix what you will not face." —James Baldwin

"You must act as if it is impossible to fail." —Ashanti proverb

"If you are on a road to nowhere, find another road." —Ashanti proverb

"No investigation. No right to speak." —Confucius

"When one door closes, another one opens." —Yoruba proverb

"We must put our convictions into action." —Margaret Sanger

"If I am not for myself, who will be for me? If I am only for myself, what am I? If not now, when?" —Hillel

"Knowledge can be communicated, but not wisdom." —Hermann Hesse

"If you don't know which way you want to go, any old road will get you there." —Lewis Carroll

"It is better to know some of the questions than all of the answers." —James Thurber

"You might as well fall flat on your face as lean too far backwards." —James Thurber

"It is not the same to talk of bulls as to be in the bullring." —Spanish proverb

"One finger cannot lift a pebble." —Hopi saying

"You must be the change you wish to see in the world." —Mohandas Ghandi

"Determine that the thing can and shall be done, and then find the way." — Abraham Lincoln

"Thoughts are energy and you can make your world or break your world by your thinking." —Susan L. Taylor

"Imagination is more important than knowledge." —Albert Einstein

"All birth is unwilling." —Pearl S. Buck

"Kites fly highest against the wind, not with it." —Winston Churchill

"Things which matter most must never be at the mercy of things which matter least." —Goethe

"The trouble is, if you don't risk anything you risk everything." —Carl Jung

"The real art of discovery consists not in finding new lands, but in seeing with new eyes." Marcel Proust

"A goal without a plan is just a wish." —Antoine de Saint-Exupery

"Logic will take you from A to B. Imagination will take you everywhere." —Albert Einstein

"All children are born artists. The problem is to remain one as we grow up." —Pablo Picasso

"It is better to light a candle than to curse the darkness." —Chinese proverb

"Not everything that can be counted counts, and not everything that counts can be counted." —Albert Einstein

"Failure can be a beginning." —Rocco

"Control of your own attention is the ultimate individual power." —David Brooks

"Fall down seven times, stand up eight." —Japanese proverb

"To travel hopefully is a better thing than to arrive." —Robert Louis Stevenson

"The belief in a thing makes it happen." —Frank Lloyd Wright

"We are trying to prove ourselves wrong as fast as possible, because only in that way can we find progress." —Richard P. Feynman

"I was taught that the way of progress is neither swift nor easy." Marie Curie

"We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, therefore, is not an act, but a habit." —Aristotle

"The secret to success is constancy of purpose." —Benjamin Disraeli

"An error doesn't become a mistake until you refuse to correct it." —Orlando Battista

"Sometimes you can observe a whole lot just by watching." Yogi Berra

"The road to perfection is always under construction." —Anonymous

"The only way to find the limits of the possible is by going past them into the impossible." —Arthur C. Clarke

"Fail often, succeed sooner." —Charles Schwab

We can't solve problems by using the same kind of thinking we used when we created them.  
—Albert Einstein

"What you measure affects what you do." —Joseph Stiglitz

Happiness is equilibrium. Shift your weight. — Tom Stoppard.

"Humans do not learn by being told." Steven Pinker

Knowledge which is acquired under compulsion obtains no hold on the mind. — Plato

"We have met the enemy, and he is us." Pogo

"Our own life is the instrument with which we experiment with the truth." —Thich Nhat Hanh

"Where there is no vision, people perish." James Baldwin

"Democracy is never a final achievement. It is a call to an untiring effort." —Eleanor Roosevelt

Democracy is a verb. Anonymous

There is always an easy solution to every human problem - neat, plausible and wrong. —H. L. Menken

"To a man with a hammer, everything looks like a nail. To a man with a computer, everything looks like data." —Neil Postman

"With every new law, you create new criminals." —Taoist saying

"Success in any endeavor is directly proportional to how well the people who are involved in it get along with each other." —William Glasser

"Isolate the difficulty." —Montessori saying

When a "we" is formed, we have a common agenda. —Winton Marsallis

"Power concedes nothing without a demand." —Frederick Douglass

"The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing." —Edmund Burke

"Democracy takes time. Dictatorship is quicker, but too many people get shot." —Jeffery Archer

Running faster with improved style will not help us if we are going in the wrong direction. — Kieren Egan

Where is the knowledge we have lost in information? —T.S. Eliot

Master your instrument. Master your music. Then forget all that stuff and just play. —Charlie Parker

"All paths lead to the same goal...the awareness of being human." —Paulo Neruda

Rationality doesn't give us everything we need. — Robert Mankoff.

What rules the world is ideas, because ideas define the way reality is perceived. -- Irving Kristol