MindGenius Online for Microsoft Teams Guide

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Getting Started & Usage

Introduction

This document provides guidance for Microsoft Teams end users to get started and use MindGenius Online in Microsoft Teams.

Overview of MindGenius Online in Teams

Microsoft Teams together with MindGenius provide the ideal platform to let interested parties identify, collaborate and prioritise where effort is best rewarded. Helps ensure we continually do the right things and do them right.

Create a unique workspace for you and your team to collate and develop ideas
Capture ideas and information
Quickly group and order information using drag and drop
Effortlessly add new information

Organize, evaluate, and prioritize according to your criteria, using a variety of powerful visual tools
Assign categories to quickly sort and sequence the information and ideas –based on impact and difficulty (in this example)
Use the Tag Centric View to see where impact and difficulty can help you define the sequence of tasks
Focus on the best ideas
Turn ideas into actions — highlighting what's most important, what's needed when, and everyone's workload
Define your key process stages to ensure tasks are managed to completion
Arrange tasks by your criteria
Drag and drop tasks to track progress
Getting started & usage guidance for Teams users

Prerequisites

- Active Teams account
- Active MindGenius Online account

Add MindGenius Online to Teams

1. Open Teams and sign in.

2. Select the **Apps** icon on the left rail of the Teams window.

3. Search for MindGenius Online
4. Click on the application and press the **Add** button.

Sign into MindGenius Online

5. Choose which of your teams you would like to add MindGenius too. Type a new team name or add to one of you current Team or Channel name.
MindGenius will be available for the entire team, but start by setting it up in a channel. Type the team or channel name and select set up a tab.

When you set up a tab there are a number of options available:

1. Use Full App enables all the feature views to be available within the tab
2. Select a project/quick map allows the option of a specific project or map to be viewable for the team as a separate tab.
If you select this option then open up the dropdown to decide which project/quickmap to be added to the tab.

Once the required project or quick map has been selected from the drop down then choose if you require the map view or the taskboard view be added to the tab. Select Save.

If you select map a tab will be visible to all members of the team.
If you select taskboard a tab will be visible to all members of the team

Start using MindGenius Online

- Drive meaningful meetings with clarity on current status, priority and next steps
- Use collaborative brainstorming to capture ideas and information
- Assign categories to quickly sort and sequence the information and ideas
- Arrange tasks by your criteria and drag and drop tasks to track progress

Additional resources

- Short video demonstrating how MindGenius within teams can be used to brainstorm and agree the priorities for the product roadmap for next quarter when considering ideas from several different sources – [Watch video](#)
- Best practice tips in short video format – [Visit Website](#)
Configuration & Rollout

Introduction
This document provides guidance for Microsoft 365 IT administrators to configure and govern the roll out of MindGenius Online in Microsoft Teams. This document also includes information for Teams users to get started with MindGenius Online.

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Configuration & rollout guidance for Microsoft 365 administrators

Prerequisites
Prior to configuring and rolling out MindGenius Online in Microsoft Teams, ensure that you have:
• An active Microsoft 365 subscription
• Access to a Microsoft 365 administrator account
• Activated Microsoft Teams for your organization
• An active MindGenius Online subscription

Sign into the Microsoft Teams admin center
1. Go to https://admin.teams.microsoft.com/
2. Enter your administrator credentials
3. Access the Teams admin center dashboard.
Set Global (org-wide) app permission policies

4. Select the **Teams apps** dropdown followed by **Permission policies**.

5. Click on **Global (Org-wide default)**
6. Under **Third-party apps**, ensure that **Allow all apps** is selected. Or, choose **Allow specific apps and block others** and search for MindGenius Online to add it to the list of approved apps.

Enable MindGenius Online in Teams

7. Select **Manage apps** and search for MindGenius Online
8. Click on the check mark next to MindGenius Online and select **Allow**.

Replace this screen shot to show your application.

9. Click **Allow** to let users access the application in Teams.
10. Click on the application to (a) review and grant org-wide admin consent to permissions to access data and (b) view resource-specific consent (RSC) permissions for the application.

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11. Click on **Permissions**, then **Review permissions** to launch a new window with the requested permissions. Click **Accept**.
12. If necessary, review the **Settings** for the application.

**Troubleshooting and additional resources**

1. List tips and additional resources for frequently asked questions about deployment
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