

CEO & ADVOCATE

CELESTE DAVIS

"WE ALL HAVE
STRUGGLES AND
ISSUES TO OVERCOME,
BUT NOBODY BEATS
YOU WHEN YOU WORK
HARD."



Pronunciation:
(Sul-lest Day-vis)

Life: 1956 - present

Location: Middletown,
Ohio

Known for: Helping all
families feel safe and
cared for

MATH HERO

Leaders of
organizations like
Celeste use math to:

- Make *budgets* for big companies.
- *Estimate* how much money will be needed to operate and how it will be spent.
- *Calculate* how much money is coming in and leaving the company using *addition* and *subtraction*. Ideally, there will be a *profit* or those numbers will be *equal*.

HELPING CHILDREN & FAMILIES

- *Dr. Celeste Davis* is the CEO and founder of *3RDevelopment*. This organization helps children and families make positive choices. They encourage and help everyone develop a winning attitude and aim for success.
- Celeste's organization helps families reach their goals and get out of poverty. They believe everyone deserves a chance to change and become the best individual they believe they can become.
- Celeste helps families learn how to make budgets, or plans for how to save and spend their money.
- Celeste also works with children in an after-school program to help them understand math problems. She likes to change *students' thinking*, from "I can't" to "I don't know (yet)".

REFERENCES

- ClassDojo. (2016 January 19). *Growth Mindset for students* [Video]. YouTube. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2zrtHt3bBmQ>
- Lewis, J. (2018, September 28). *Dr Celeste Davis Best Woman Award* [Video]. YouTube. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PEHel1JeGjs>
- Davis, C. (n.d.). *Celeste Davis* [Photograph]. Personal Collection