



59%

Percent of employees find online training irrelevant and boring. ¹



1 out of 4

Employees report ambivalence and cynicism as it relates to compliance training. ²



56%

Percent of employees say training does not raise awareness of compliance and ethics issues. ³



Fight Learner Fatigue⁴ With Funny

Venture outside of the box and add a few laughs.



FUNNY MAKES IT STICKY 66% MORE FACTS

RECALL IMPROVES when information is paired with relevant humor.⁵



FUNNY SOLVES PROBLEMS 3.75X MORE LIKELY

PROBLEM SOLVING IMPROVES after watching a funny video.⁶
(Possibly 100% more likely if it is a funny cat video.)



FUNNY BUILDS COMMUNITY EMPATHY → ETHICAL LEADERSHIP

Humor **FOSTERS EMPATHY**. Leaders who score highest on empathy also exhibit the **HIGHEST LEVELS OF ETHICAL LEADERSHIP?**

FUNNY HOW THIS WORKS

Humor helps us **remember**.

Humor helps us **solve problems**.

Humor helps us **be more empathetic**.

It's not rocket science. It's **brain science**. Power your Compliance training with more funny, and seriously good things will happen.

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