

Student Leadership



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- Nurture Relationships/Communication
 - Strained by a lack of mutual understanding
- Promote Understanding
 - Video Games
 - Mental Health
 - Generational/Cultural Differences
 - Personal Growth
- Always welcoming new members!
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What are the qualities of a good leader?

Qualities of a Good Leader

- Confident
- Passionate
- Inspiring
- Charismatic
- Innovative
- Open-minded
- Persistent
- Insightful
- Encouraging
- Focused
- Knowledgeable
- Visionary
- etc.



Do your children have all these qualities?

Not Every Leadership Position is Meaningful

- Students pursue leadership for the sake of the title
 - President, VP, Secretary, Treasurer of _____ Club
 - Captain of _____ Team
 - Editor in Chief
 - Student Council
- So many good students, so few positions
- Alternative: creating clubs
 - Underwater basket weaving
- Leadership roles should help develop good qualities/habits

Pursuing Leadership

- Explore, put yourself out there
 - Club day
 - New sports
- Find something you are passionate about
 - Immerse yourself in it
- Dedication will result in leadership



Takeaway



Parents should consider their children's interests before pushing them to pursue leadership roles.