

Leadership Class Syllabus

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Congratulations on being selected as a student for Leadership this year at Woodward Middle School. You have been chosen to take part in this class because of the leadership skills and potential that you have demonstrated to your teachers and classmates. As a member of this class you have agreed to take on a mighty task. You and your classmates are now charged with making WMS the best that it can be. I hope that you will take this task seriously and with true purpose. This should be a fun and exciting semester and hopefully one that you will never forget.

General Goals:

Each of you should gain a better understanding of leadership skills and concepts. A greater understanding and appreciation of these basic skill should be demonstrated as you complete this course.

In this class you should further develop the skills you possess and should also acquire new ones. This course should help you to better express and communicate more sophisticated ideas related to leadership. This will will be accomplished through positive and active participation in all activities.

This group will work to effect positive change on Woodward Middle School. Your goal should be to encourage others to follow you as you model the behavior and attitude of a leader here at WMS.

Expected Behavior:

It is critical that you demonstrate a positive attitude and a willingness to move outside of your comfort zone as a student leader. We will conduct ourselves in a positive manner at all times and remember that you are always a representative of this group. Those who are unable to abide by this expectation will be dealt with on a one to one basis. Please remember that you have been selected for this position because of your ability to lead and that this is your opportunity to leave a mark on this school. Please remember that behavior is contagious and that you can make a difference even as an individual.

Grading:

Your grade will be a culmination of participation, reflection, and assignments completed in this class.

Attendance:

It is vitally important that you are here. We as a group are counting on you to be here on time and ready to work every day.