Philosophy of Leadership

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Class Time: 4:30pm- 7:00pm

Class Description:

This class is designed to teach high school students the basics of understanding philosophy as it pertains to leadership. The point of view of this class is that leadership can be rooted in a lot of different ideas and beliefs and having the knowledge to understand and execute these leadership styles is essential for the development of young adults. This class will equip students with some basic knowledge and leadership skills that will allow for them to identify and personally respond to specific behaviors that they may encounter.

Class Learning Outcomes

Students will learn to:

- identify and articulate specific leadership styles and how they affect the behavior of others.
- explain the differences in leadership style behaviors in sport specific situations, in relation to student-athletes.
- utilize personable leadership strategies to better relate to others, especially in sport related situations.

Grading Scale:

A: 100-90

B: 89-80

C: 79-70

D: 69-60

F: 59-

Grading Breakdown:

Homework Assignments: 5%

Film Case Study Assignments: 20%

Quizzes: 15%

Test: 20%

Discussions: 5%

Attendance: 5%

Final Project: 30%

Class Schedule:

Module 1: What is Philosophy?

- Learn the basics of what a philosophy
- How to create a philosophy
- Well-known philosophers.

Module 2: What is Leadership

- Learn the basics of leadership
- How one becomes a leader
- Identifying Leadership styles

Module 3: Leadership in Gender Roles

Module 4: Leadership in Education

Module 5: Leadership in Sports

Module 6: Philosophy and Social Media

Module 7: Philosophy and Speech

• Learn about the philosophy of freedom speech

Module 8: Leadership and Philosophy in Coaching

Module 9: Philosophy in Music Influence

Module 10: Philosophy in Business