

Leadership Quote of the Month Responses (25 marks each)

Goal

Students will thoughtfully respond to short quotes based on various leadership concepts and ideas by analyzing the meaning of the quote, assessing its importance to people in leadership roles, and either explaining how they have already applied the idea in their previous leadership opportunities or explaining how they could apply it in the future.

Step 1 Locate Quote

On the first of every month, go to the Leadership Website Homepage, click on the Leadership Is... link, and read the new Leadership Quote of the Month.

Step 2 Locate Leadership Journal

Sign into your Gmail account. At the top of the page, click on Documents to open your Google Docs. Once the folder is open, click on the Leadership Journal shared with you by your teacher.

Step 3 Response Questions

In your journal, you will be required to thoughtfully answer the following questions.

1. What do you think the quote means?
2. Why do you think this idea is important to people in leadership roles?
3. How have you already been applying this idea to your leadership opportunities?
OR
How do you think you could apply this idea to your future leadership opportunities?

Step 4 Response Structure

Ensure that the document font is set to 12 point. Write down the date of your response, make it bold, and align it to the right of the page. Skip a line. Write down the quote you are responding to and the author. Make the quote bold. Skip two lines. Write down the first question and make it bold. Thoughtfully answer the question in complete sentences using proper spelling and grammar. Skip a line. Repeat for the other questions.

HINT: You may choose to use text size, color, or highlighting as well as bolding to enhance response impact. Please remember that purple is reserved for teacher comments and make sure that your size and color choices make organizational sense and are consistent.

Ex.

Leadership Journal

December 1, 2008

The very essence of leadership is that you have to have vision. You can't blow an uncertain trumpet.

- Theodore M. Hesburgh

What do you think the quote means?

(Your Response)

Why do you think this idea is important to people in leadership roles?

(Your Response)

How have you already been applying this idea to your leadership opportunities? (or How do you think you could apply this idea to your future leadership opportunities?)

(Your Response)

Quote of the Month Criteria

Self-Edit	Criteria
<input type="checkbox"/>	Date <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> present <input type="checkbox"/> bold <input type="checkbox"/> aligned right
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote and Quote Author <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> present <input type="checkbox"/> bold <input type="checkbox"/> aligned left
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote Meaning Question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> present <input type="checkbox"/> bold <input type="checkbox"/> aligned left
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote Meaning Response <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> thoughtful <input type="checkbox"/> plausible
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote Importance Question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> present <input type="checkbox"/> bold <input type="checkbox"/> aligned left
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote Importance Response <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> thoughtful <input type="checkbox"/> indicates importance
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote Idea Application Question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> present <input type="checkbox"/> bold <input type="checkbox"/> aligned left
<input type="checkbox"/>	Quote Idea Application Response <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> thoughtful <input type="checkbox"/> indicates reasonable application

<input type="checkbox"/>	Structure <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> all parts present<input type="checkbox"/> organized<input type="checkbox"/> consistent<input type="checkbox"/> proper spacing<input type="checkbox"/> complete sentences<input type="checkbox"/> proper spelling<input type="checkbox"/> proper grammar
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submitted by the 15 th of the Month

Quote of the Month Assessment

Quote Meaning Response	/5
Quote Importance Response	/5
Quote Application Response	/5
Quote Structure	/5
Time Management	/5