On Leadership, we try to take a relaxed approach in discipline and rules as we feel those students elected to Leadership are responsible for themselves and will conduct themselves appropriately. However, we understand that it is difficult to have expectations when they are not clearly defined or transparent. We want our Leadership students to be the best example to the rest of the team, our school, our sponsors, and the community. Therefore, it should not be unreasonable to have these expectations. Here is a list of some rules/guidelines that we expect our Leadership members to abide by while on Leadership. Please read through them and share them with your parent/guardian so they also know what is expected of you. If you or your parents/guardians have any questions, you can discuss them with the Lead Mentor. Then please sign at the bottom and return it to the Lead Mentor.

1)      Show up at least 5 minutes prior to all Leadership meetings. If you cannot attend a Leadership meeting, you will notify the Lead Mentor at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

2) If are running late to a meeting please contact Lead Mentor via text to let us know your situation.

3)      You are expected to attend 75% of all Leadership meetings year-round. We understand there may be valid reasons to miss Leadership, but we do expect you will try to attend most, if not all, meetings.

4)      Show up 30 minutes early (5:30pm) to all Tuesday team meetings to help set up and stay after meetings to help clean up (usually 15 minutes after). If you are unable for certain meetings, you will notify Lead Mentor at least 24 hours in advance.

5)      Be respectful of all other team members. This includes their decisions, ideas, etc.

6)      Lead at least one event/activity on the team. Volunteer at multiple events. You’re on Leadership! This is the time to lead!

7)      Be responsive. During meetings, to emails, etc. You want to lead, so step up and make your voice heard!

8)      COMMUNICATE: Let us know anything that would prevent you from completing your leadership duties. Waiting till the last minute, simply not showing up, not performing your leadership duties, assuming we know, assuming it’s ok to not communicate is not ok! It is worse if you leave the rest of your teammates wondering what happened and possibly ruin potential opportunities for the entire team. We want openness and honesty.

9)      If you feel you can no longer commit to the duties of being on Leadership, please notify the Lead Mentor immediately. We are open to having discussions before such a decision is made, but we also respect all decisions made by our students that is in their best interest.

Consequences of not meeting these guidelines could result in being removed from Leadership. This will be determined on a case by case basis. We prefer students decide for themselves if they cannot continue with Leadership, which is a respectful and responsible decision. However, we also expect that your decision to join Leadership is a decision you made with much thought and planned commitment.

STUDENT: I agree to abide by these rules to the best of my ability

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Name Signature

PARENT/GUARDIAN: I agree to these rules expected of my child

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