LEADERSHIP STYLES THAT AN ADVISER OF SCHOOL STUDENTS ORGANIZATION SHOULD POSSESS

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Challenges can be one of the permanent things in an organization. It can occur when there is no certain rules or policies and command to follow. Challenges defy leaders. Leaders are significant to the success of an organization. An effective leadership serves as the pillar of every organization, without leaders who facilitate for the group, the least chance for the group to survive. Organization is likely to fail if there are individuals who cannot work with others for the improvement of the group and this is the point where a strong leadership must exist.

According to Gandhi, if someone wants to be an effective leader he must be the change that the members want to see. Leaders must put his preaching into actions, talking without doing is one of the grave mistakes that leaders must avoid in order to earn the respect and trust of the organization.

In school, good leadership is also a vital factor in maintaining the good performance of a certain club or organization. The best example is the School Students Organization which is composed of several students who were elected to be the representatives of each year level; at the top of the organization is the adviser who acts as the leader and the manager of the group. In order to become an effective leader, there are leadership styles that the adviser of the organization should possess.
Below are some of the leadership styles that the adviser of the organization must possess in order to become an effective leader:

1. Leaders must put their egos behind to ensure and truly portray what he/she hopes their organization to be.

2. Leaders must establish an effective communication to deal with every aspect of the members and their activities. A good communication between the members may avoid confusion and conflicts.

3. Leaders may organize events or activities that may get the members excited about the club, however leaders must ensure the club’s safety and welfare.

4. Leaders appreciate and allow the members who show commitment and passion towards their craft.

5. Leaders who take additional responsibilities can gain more control and power and be knowledgeable what is happening inside the organization because they are involved closely with the operation.

6. Leaders must use an optimistic approach in dealing with the matters inside the organization.

7. Leaders allow and respect the ideas of other members and give credit to whom the credit was due.

8. Leaders must always identify the difference between a boss and a manager. When a leader takes most of the works and orders the members most of the time, the members see him as a dictator rather than a leader.

Some leaders are born and some are made. People who were born leaders are those who have innate instinct to be in control. However, through experiences and
knowledge on how to be an effective leaders, a person, though does not possess innate characteristics of being a leader, can be an effective leader as well.

Strong leadership qualities can bring positive outcome not only to the students but to the institution as well. Harmonious relationship among students, teachers and administrators lead to developing lifetime learners.

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