

MIDDLE SCHOOL LEAP RESPONSE

TEAM EVENT

Team ID: 1067-1

Competitive Event: Website Design

1. COMPETITIVE EVENT LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCES How did you or your team apply one (1) or more of The Student Leadership Challenge* Practices to this competition? (100 to 200 words)

Our team split the work into doable sections and took the initiative experimenting with new ideas, applying "Challenge the Process" throughout our website building. The first thing we did after we formed our team split up the work. This created an accomplishable goal and less stress on one person. We had weekly check-ins to see how all of us were progressing through our sections. During the check-ins, some ideas for the website were brought to the table and tested on the site. This resulted in our website changing drastically throughout the process, especially our navigation bar. We also applied "Challenge the Process" by testing our coding skills. We took inspiration from what we saw present on many websites and tried to mimic it in our site. This created a consistent website that we were all happy with.

2. NON-COMPETITIVE EVENT LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE How did you or your team apply one (1) of The Student Leadership Challenge* Practices to a leadership activity in one (1) of the following categories: Leadership Roles; Community Service/Volunteer Experiences; Career Planning? (50 to 100 words)

Our team applied "Model the Way" by following through with our assigned work and improving on the constructive criticism given. We completed our sections and used graphics to make them flow. During our check-ins, we got a lot of feedback and applied it to our design. We also applied "Career Planning" by improving our coding skills and helping each other grow. We spent time developing our skills and putting them to the test with our overall design.