

Being a Leader

A leader is a person who guides and helps others. Good leaders listen to people, make decisions, and give support. They care about their team and always try to do what is right. Many people think that leadership is only for managers or presidents, but everyone can be a leader in life.

Right now, many young people are learning how to be leaders in their schools. They are organizing events, helping classmates, and speaking in front of groups. Some are starting small projects to help their community. They are working hard, and they are making a difference.

In the past, I had a teacher who inspired me a lot. She always encouraged us to try new things. She gave us advice and taught us to be confident. I remember one time when we worked together on a school project. She showed us how to plan and how to work as a team. That experience changed the way I saw leadership.

When I was younger, I used to be shy. I didn't speak in public, and I used to avoid group work. I also used to think that leaders were born, not made. But over time, I learned that leadership is a skill you can develop. I started to practice speaking in front of others, and I began to help more in group activities. Now I understand that anyone can be a leader if they try.

Leadership is about action, respect, and responsibility. It is about helping others and making good choices every day.

Discussion questions:

1. In your opinion, what three qualities are most important for a good leader to have?
2. Can you describe a time when someone showed leadership in your school or community? What did they do?
3. Think about a leader you admire. How do they help and support other people?
4. How can students show leadership in everyday situations at school or at home?
5. What is one leadership skill you would like to improve, and how can you start working on it?



1. Verbs (Verbos)

English verb	Spanish meaning
be	ser / estar
guide	guiar
help	ayudar
listen	escuchar
make	hacer
give	dar
care	preocuparse / cuidar
try	intentar
think	pensar
learn	aprender
organize	organizar
help	ayudar
speak	hablar
start	comenzar / iniciar
work	trabajar
make (difference)	marcar / hacer (una diferencia)

have

inspire

encourage

try

give

teach

remember

work
(together)

show

plan

change

see

use to be

speak

used to

avoid

used to think

be born

make

(passive
made)

tener

inspirar

animar /
motivar

intentar

dar

enseñar

recordar

trabajar
(juntos)

mostrar

planificar

cambiar

ver

solía ser

hablar

solía evitar

solía pensar

nacer

hacer

learn

develop

start

practice

begin

understand

try

aprender

desarrollar

comenzar

practicar

comenzar

entender

intentar

2. Nouns (Sustantivos)

English noun	Spanish meaning
leader	líder
person	persona
people	gente / personas
decision	decisión
support	apoyo
team	equipo
right	lo correcto
leadership	liderazgo



manager	gerente
president	presidente
life	vida
school	escuela / colegio
event	evento
classmate	compañero de clase
group	grupo
project	proyecto
community	comunidad
difference	diferencia
past	pasado
teacher	profesor / profesora
advice	consejo
thing	cosa
time	momento
experience	experiencia
way	manera / forma
public	público

work	trabajo
skill	habilidad
activity	actividad
action	acción
respect	respeto
responsibility	responsabilidad
y	d
choice	elección
day	día

confident	seguro/a de sí mismo/a
younger	más joven
shy	tímido/a
born	nacido/a
made	hecho/a
more	más
every	cada
anyone	cualquiera

3. Adjectives (Adjetivos)

English	Spanish
adjective	meaning
good	bueno/a
many	muchos/as
young	joven
small	pequeño/a
hard	duro/a, con (working hard)
different	diferente
past	pasado/a
new	nuevo/a

4. Adverbs (Adverbios)

English	Spanish
adverb	meaning
always	siempre
only	solo / solamente
right now	ahora mismo
in front (of)	delante (de)
together	juntos
over time	con el tiempo
now	ahora



5. Other words (Artículos, pronombres, preposiciones, conjunciones, etc.)

English **Spanish**
word **meaning**

a / an	un / una
the	el / la / los / las
who	quien / que
and	y

about

as

if

but

not

to

in

of

sobre

como

si

pero

no

a / para

en

de

on

for

with

at

by

that

this

en / sobre

para

con

en

por

que / ese

este / esta



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