

# First Baptist Academy

## Leadership Development Syllabus

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High School Elective

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### **Course Summary**

This is a course for student leadership development in a Biblical context. Students will discover leadership principles and then apply those principles through experiential learning activities. Students learn to lead by leading. This course will also provide students an opportunity to interact in a personal way with Christian leaders that will help them develop leadership skills.

### **Goals**

- The student will recognize principles of Biblical leadership.
- The student will understand leadership principles.
- The student will define leadership from a Biblical context.
- The student will evaluate leadership principles.
- The student will evaluate personal leadership style.
- The student will evaluate importance of team leadership.
- The student will evaluate the tasks of a leader.
- The student will evaluate leadership skills.
- The student will evaluate leaders.
- The student will develop leadership skills.
- The student will develop Godly leadership attributes.
- The student will apply Biblical leadership principles.

### **Methods**

- Activities and exercises applying principles of leadership
- Brief lessons on leadership
- Cooperative learning
- Discussion
- Student presentations
- Interviewing and discussing leadership principles with leaders
- Experiential learning activities
- Primarily a small group setting involving Socratic discussion and learning

### **Assignments**

- Reading sections of textbook
- Exercises in the textbook
- “Do Now” or “Preflight” preparation
- Presentations
- Participation and contribution to discussion

## **Assessment/Evaluation**

- Assignments – 50%
- Participation and contribution in discussions – 50%

## **Materials Needed**

- Leadership Launch workbook – required for everyday
- NASB Version of the Bible – bring to class everyday
- Any materials required for various experiential activities