

# My Leadership Profile

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One step you can take to become a good leader is to study yourself to determine your strong characteristics and those that need improvement. In the activity below, some of the characteristics of good leaders are listed and explained.

Directions: Rate your current leadership skills by placing a checkmark in the appropriate boxes. For the characteristics you feel you need to improve, write a sentence under the description explaining how you can improve these areas. For each area rated **strong**, write a sentence stating why you think you are strong in these areas.

By evaluating yourself honestly, you are on your way to becoming a great leader and even greater person!

Strong	Needs Improvement	Leadership Characteristics
		Able to get along with others: I respect individuality.
		Poised: I do not let things irritate me.
		Humility: I am confident and realize my own shortcomings
		Hardworking: I do not ask others to do something I am not willing to do.
		Responsible: I keep my word and complete assigned duties.
		Cooperative: I know how to work with others, and I enjoy it.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

		Speak clearly: I express myself effectively.
		Courteous: I use “please” and “thank you” often.
		Set goals: I set realistic and challenging goals.
		Look at facts: I analyze the facts before making decisions.

Directions: Complete the following sentence starters.

My plan for improving my leadership skills includes

Improving my leadership skills will help me