

Agenda for EDL 607 (Site-Based Leadership)

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- ✧ **Mr. Desroches - follow-up paperwork/introduction**
- ✧ **Reviewing yesterday's class**
 - Looking at the four definitions created by groups:
 - Circle or underline the parts that you think are very important
 - Mark through (~~like this~~) parts that are not as important or related to education
 - Add any characteristics or details that should be added to each
- ✧ **Writing a "new" definition for our class for Exemplary School Leaders**
- ✧ ***Reflection Journal - What are the differences between leaders and managers?***
(You should write from your memory, but can review the reading from yesterday if you need to do so.)
- ✧ **Reviewing the Syllabus - Guidelines, expectations and overview**
 - **Any Questions?**
- ✧ **Reframing Teacher Leadership - Discussion and Activities**
- ✧ **Break around 5:15 -5:30**
- ✧ **Educational Leadership - Discussion and Activities**
 - Each group will have 15-20 minutes to prepare a poster with the key points from their portion of the reading to share with the class
 - Decide how each member of the group will contribute (artist, secretary, presenter, etc.)
 - Group A - will share about the first half of the reading
 - Group B - will share about the second half of the reading
- ✧ **Wrap-up and Readings for Tomorrow's Class**

Working Definition for Exemplary School Leader:

<p>#1</p> <p>A leader communicates the vision, objectives, and goals of the organization. A leader motivates, supports, and organizes teams and groups; demonstrates initiative, open-mindedness, and (is) adaptable to new ideas; positive outlook, who mediates and integrates various groups and interests in the organization; systematically works towards achieving organizational goals.</p>	<p>#3</p> <p>Exemplary school leaders: somebody who inspires community members to work towards a common school goal.</p> <p>Characteristics: credibility, tenacity, path creator and influential.</p>
<p>#2</p> <p>A leader has a clear vision of the school now and in the future, and has the standards and expectations of their personnel for how to achieve them. A leader knows how to follow through with expectations and uses personal connections with staff to keep morale positive and staff motivated.</p>	<p>#4</p> <p>An exemplary school leader is a person with various personality and organizational qualities, who thinks beyond about the future and creates an image of what is expected from the school and then leads people to reach that goal using collaboration from its members.</p>
<p>Suggestions for new class definition:</p>	
<p>Our New Definition for "Exemplary School Leader"</p>	