

Vista View Middle School ASB Student Leadership Team Contract

Vista View Middle School student leaders are expected to hold themselves to a higher standard of personal behavior. Character matters as student leaders, and you are expected to be trustworthy, hardworking, determined, honest, responsible, confident and

loyal. These traits need to be seen in every aspect of your life because as leaders, you must be an example of positive behavior at all times. This means your behavior and attitude at school, at home and in the community must reflect true leadership and character. You are a representative of Vista View and our leadership program everywhere you go. As such, you lead by both words and example. There should be NO DOUBT about your character as you represent our school.

As a member of the Student Leadership Team of Vista View Middle School, I understand I must follow the following rules:

- 1) Maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA (every semester) a student who does not have a 3.0 GPA at the end of each grading period will be put on probation and may have limited participation in Student Leadership. Once the student improves his/her semester grades to a 3.0, he or she will be eligible to re-enter the Student Leadership program.
- 2) I understand that my required Community Service Hours must be met each semester. Service hours will be checked at the end of every semester. I understand that it is my responsibility to have my service hours recorded and get the required signatures in a timely manner.
- 3) As a member of the Vista View Student Leadership team, I understand that I represent Vista View Middle School in everything that I do. I understand that if I am found to have a presence on negative social media websites or sites that are defamatory towards Vista View or its members, I may be removed from the Vista View Student Leadership Team.
- 4) I am not able to receive more than **three (3)** dress code violations each school year. On the 4th dress code violation during an academic year, the student will be removed from the Student Leadership program for the remainder of the school year.
- 5) Have no major disciplinary infractions as outlined in the Parent/Student Handbook. Disciplinary referrals will result in the removal of a student leader from the program for one year.
- 6) I understand that being a part of Vista View's Student Leadership team will require a commitment of additional time beyond normal school hours. This can include hours before school, during nutrition, at lunch, and after school. I understand that my commitment to ASB, and my ASB duties and attendance at functions, is part of the class. I am required to notify the ASB Advisor in advance if not attending an event.
- 7) I understand that I will need to miss some classes for official ASB business with prior authorization from the ASB Advisor. I will NEVER tell a teacher that I need to leave class unless I have received permission ahead of time. I understand that I will be a student first and that leadership begins with being a good example to others. Consistent, on-time attendance in class is the first step to being a good student leader and is the expectation as a member of the Vista View Leadership Team. Students who use ASB as an excuse to miss class without permission from the ASB Advisor will be considered truant and will be removed from Student Leadership.
- 8) While I am in ASB class I will work on the assignment assigned to me/mygroup from the ASB Advisor. I understand that this is not a "free" period. There is work to be done.