



Handout 1 - “Leader or Boss?” Activity

Instructions:

1. Cut and shuffle the small cards on the preceding page (multiple copies may be needed depending on number of students.)
2. Hand out 1 card per student.
3. Ask students to look at their card, and then walk around the room to look for another student with a card that displays the opposite idea.
4. Create a T-chart on the board, with one half titled “Boss” and the other half titled “Leader.”
5. Once all students have paired according to the terms on their card, have each pair come to the board and decide which card should be placed in the “Boss” section and which card should be placed in the “Leader” section.

Direct

**Knows
Everything**

**Creates
Followers**

**Gives
Orders**

Demands

Show

**Always
Learning**

**Creates
Leaders**

**Gives
Direction**

Teaches

**Demands
Respect**

**Gives
Answers**

**Says
“I”**

**Places
Blame**

**Talks
First**

**Earns
Respect**

**Seeks
Solutions**

**Says
“We”**

**Takes
Responsibility**

**Listens
First**