Leadership Activity An idea by Matthew Soeth, English Teacher, Kimball High School, (209) 832-6600, msoeth@tusd.net <u>Simon Says:</u>

Life is about choices, what choices will you make? Play Simon Says, regular game, until everyone is out and you have a winner, prizes are optional.

When the game is done, ask how people felt when they had to sit down and watch others play? How did those playing feel when they were still left but others around them were out? Was there a choice involved for each play? (answer vary, but it is yes, keep in mind that reaction or enthusiasm may have an effect on play).

When we make choices in life, do those choices affect what happens to us over time?

Conclusion: remind kids they are either in the game or out of the game, and their choices will determine if they get to be a part of the fun (and hopefully they had fun in this classic game).