

Multi-Media Leadership Lessons

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These lessons follow the Mini Leadership Lesson idea that give a quick lesson so that you can continue to focus on the any activities that are going on across the campus. Each lesson has discussion points, a media presentation (typically a video such as youtube or Ted Talk, or a song) and an assignment via Google form.

I usually send out the media through Remind and use a URL shortener. Then I follow with a Google Form that contains a brief assignment for students to reflect on the lesson.

Here are the links to see the forms for each assignment. Unfortunately, I haven't been able to figure out how to share the raw forms. You can see them and make a copy for yourself at this address; <http://tinyurl.com/MultMediaLeadership> If you go to the links below you will see the forms as the students see them.

Lesson	Discussion -- You can use these discussion points before or after the videos.	Media	Any supplemental media	Google Form
Hero	Good first day activity. How much do you not want to be here? How does that compare to the students that entirely dread the first day. They can't stand the idea of coming to school. How can the students be a hero for the school community.	Play the cheesy 80's song "Holding our for a Hero" You may remember if from Footloose. Your students will remember it from Shrek. I play the song and send/show students the lyrics. However, there is a youtube video with the songs set to the Avengers.	Lyrics: www.metrolyrics.com/holding-out-for-a-hero-lyrics-bonnie-tyler.html Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zofga33W4tl	http://goo.gl/forms/dwL1iPII9N

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I Brought More Soldiers	When we have too many things going on we can't be focused on what's important. We always want to make a difference but we need to find fidelity to purpose and focus on what's important in order to be our most effective. Frequently students feel that if they are conflicted for time it is because they are lazy or have poor time management but, very often, they find themselves in these positions due to over commitment. We need to keep ourselves free from distractions in order to make our program as strong as possible.	Clip from the movie 300. It shows two armies talking. One is full of potters and blacksmiths the other is all soldiers.	tinyurl.com/ibroughtmoresoldiers	http://goo.gl/forms/hSGt9HSuf5
So Awesome To Be Me	No one wants to be considered conceited. However, it is also important, as leaders, we know what we are good at. Genuinely embracing our own strengths isn't easy. What is something you are good at? Turn to someone next to you and tell them, sincerely, what you are good at.	A clip from Jimmy Kimmel that shows people trying to name 3 positives about themselves.	http://tinyurl.com/soawesometobeme	http://goo.gl/forms/zktKJEsw9R
To This Day	How much is bullying an issue on our campus. What can we do to make a difference?	Spoken word poetry about a one person's experience with bullying. Warning: Prepare to cry.	Short Version: tinyurl.com/tothisday Long Version Ted Talk: http://tinyurl.com/tothisdaytedtalk	http://goo.gl/forms/67HmoG2NC5
Lollypop Moment	Typically Post video - What are we doing to make a difference on our campus? What does it	CADA Classic Ted Talk	http://tinyurl.com/lollypopmoment	http://goo.gl/forms/bzlyO3F4av

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	take to show that we are a leader? How can we be a leader in small ways?			
Magic Chairs	How honest is advertising? How honest is our campus. How often do we make things look better or different than they really are? As leaders it is important that we can genuinley and honestly evaluate. Whether it is a vendor trying to sell us a DJ or us reflecting on how well our activities went.	Movie commercial preview that implies Coke-Cola is great for the environment, makes everything magic and going to the movies is the greatest thing we can go for the environment.	http://tinyurl.com/magicchairs2	http://goo.gl/forms/Z4PZiOdsJM
#You Look Disgusting	We live in a world connected to the internet and social media. Everyday people are affected by others comments or even lack of comments, frequently by people we may not even know. How has the our connections through social media affected us personally or as a culture? How does the internet affect our school community? what can we do to influence the role it has here?	Video of a woman who posted pictures on the internet. She oginially became popular posting makeup tips but then posted pictures of herself without make up only to be attacked on the internet. In addition to the video I use a warm-up song "I'm Worth It" by 5th Harmony	tinyurl.com/youlookdisgusting	http://goo.gl/forms/xld2KRc4oB

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Everybody's Free to Wear Sunscreen	What is the best advice you ever got? If you could give advice to the next class behind you what would you say?	Play the song "Everybody's Free to Wear Sunscreen" Based on the hypothetical commencement speech by Mary Schmich. You can play the song and send out the lyrics or watch the video.	Video http://tinyurl.com/everybodysfreetowearsunscreen Lyrics: http://www.metrolyrics.com/everybodys-free-to-wear-sunscreen-lyrics-baz-luhrmann.html	http://goo.gl/forms/WFGpd7N9Ej
Sum Of the Parts	ASB is an organization with great aspirations. Each task we undertake has many parts each one needs to be completed for every event, campagin, rally or assembly to be a success. In our planning we need to recognize each piece that needs to be done and in our execution we need pay attention to the details. As we all take care of our part the whole event can be actualized.	A musician uses "live looping" to perform several parts of a song. All the parts are then played together to play the song. If you want other examples, search live looping on youtube. (There is a slight irony that this lesson is about everyone doing their part but the video is one person doing everything. I haven't figured out how to work that in yet.)	http://tinyurl.com/sumoftheparts	http://goo.gl/forms/ACvu3rTElf

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Bonus Fun Stuff:	Soulpancake Kid President (Peptalk for Students and Teachers, 20 things we should say more often, all of it, really)
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