

What Is a Leader?

Prior Life Experiences Exercise 1

Descriptive words and phrases

Stop for a moment and think about the word “leader.” Get comfortable, close your eyes and relax. Now, without opening your eyes, picture a typical *leader* in your mind. What does this typical *leader* look like? How would you describe this typical *leader* that you see?

In the space below, jot down three words or short phrases that describe a typical *leader*.

1.

2.

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20-word definition

News bulletin! Martians have just landed on Earth! They are very friendly, and for more than 50 years, they have been monitoring radio and television signals from our planet that often talk about an earth species called “leader.” They are very curious about this species, and before they ask you to take them to a “leader,” they ask you to define the word for them. However, they have very small vocabularies and ask you to use no more than 20 Earth words in your definition.

On the spaces below in 20 words or less, define a leader.
