



Pioneers with Purpose

Student Leadership and StuCo

Purpose, Mission, Vision

What is Student Leadership?

Student Leadership is a group of students working together with an adult advisor for the purpose of student's involvement in helping the Wichita West High student body with belonging to the Pioneer Family, school spirit, school culture, school pride, unity, community relations, volunteering, and gathering and presenting the voice of the students to administration.

What is StuCo?

StuCo stands for Student Council. Student Council consists of a President and Vice President that are elected by their peers, Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, and Committee Chairs that are appointed volunteers. They represent their class and communicate with Admin and the Class Sponsor the needs, concerns, and suggestions that are brought to their attention.

Students in Leadership are Examples

Student Leaders should be the example of what a West High Pioneer Student should be like. This means they follow all school policies, procedures, and expectations as outlined in the school's agenda. They are also students who have good grades, good behaviors, care about others, care about the school, enjoys service, volunteers, has a positive attitude, lots of school spirit, and has a passion for being a Pioneer.

Students in Leadership have Responsibilities

Responsibilities of Student Leadership are:

- Plan events like: Back to School Bash, Pep Assemblies, Homecoming, Turkey Drive, Winter/Spring formal, to name a few.
- Help raise school spirit, unity, and awareness of important things pertaining to West High.
- Make everyone feel part of the Pioneer Family.
- Advocate for students
- Being examples for good
- Connecting students to school
- Connecting with the community
- Serving students, staff, and community

Student Leadership's Purpose

The purpose is to allow students opportunities to develop and grow their leadership skills, their talents, employment skills, good citizen skills, organizing events, motivating peers, and correlate students concerns with admin.

Student Leadership Mission:

Pioneers with Purpose is a group of students that are the heart of the Pioneer Family. They are examples daily of what we are as Pioneers and what we believe in at Wichita West High School. Members of Student Leadership will ignite school spirit and involvement to promote connections to school and community. In our changing world, it is important our students feel empowered to make a difference and be part of the change they want to see because Pioneers Lead the Way!

Student Leadership Vision:

Pioneers with Purpose will promote unity while respecting individuality and diversity. Students will embrace responsibility to inspire, energize, include, and help uphold a safe and positive learning environment for all students and staff. Support our school and districts values and beliefs of: 1- dream, believe and achieve, 2- feel safe, valued, and connected; 3- be respectful, responsible, committed, have integrity, be part of the community, and celebrate achievement, and 4- assist graduates to be career, college, and life ready. Be simultaneously aware of the community in which we thrive, as well as the world we live in. Build and maintain a tradition of excellence through innovation because Pioneers Lead the Way!

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Interesting in being apart of this great student group, contact Mrs. Hansel in room M16 for applications, information, and ways you can help.

