

2010-2011 Lasallian Student Leadership Program Overview

- What:** Lasallian Student Leadership Class
Lasallian Student Leadership is an opportunity for students to acquire and put into action leadership skills that in collaboration with other student leadership groups will animate the student life of our school community.
- Where:** Justin-Siena High School
Room 213, Campus Ministry, Student Activities Office
- When:** Fall 2010-Spring 2011 Academic Year
- History:** In 2008-2009 what had existed previously as the Campus Ministry class and the Associated Student Body class combined to form a new class called Lasallian Student Leadership (LSL). The classes combined in an intentional effort to work toward a vision of student life at Justin-Siena that unites the 'faith' piece and the 'fun' piece and challenges our student leaders to serve and lead from a place very grounded in our Lasallian core principles. The 2008-2009 LSL class (many of whom were in ASB or CM the year prior) had a growth filled year and did a great job transitioning to this new model. As a testament to their success, we had over 100 students apply for various leadership positions for the 2009-2010 academic year, including, Class Representatives (4 per class), student Directors of Lasallian Student Life (6 total, Justin-Siena's equivalent of a student body president at most high schools), and the LSL class (approximately 30 students). We are presently in our second year of Lasallian Student Leadership and it is off to a great start.
- Who:** Incoming sophomores, juniors, and seniors
Requirements:
- Go through the application, reference, and interview process
 - Upon acceptance you will be enrolled in the LSL class 2010-2011 academic year
 - Participate in **both** LSL Retreats (June 6-7 and August 9-10)
 - You must be free from academic or disciplinary sanctions
 - You must have and maintain a 2.5 grade point average
 - You are encouraged (required if a Director of Lasallian Student Life) to attend the Lasallian Student Leaders Conference at Saint Mary's College the 3rd week of July.

Responsibilities:

- Creating a Spirit-filled environment on campus
- Working as a servant leader to build community
- Being engaged in student life activities, and encouraging others to participate
- Devoting out-of-class time to leadership responsibilities (set up for rallies, liturgies, prayer services, meetings, etc.)
- Being Spirit-driven and carry forth the Mission of Justin-Siena

Grading of Lasallian Student Leadership:

Grades for Lasallian Student Leadership will be based on:

- Notebook (20%)
 - Organized notes and project plans
 - Class Handouts
 - See Notebook Rubric for details
- Class assignments (20%)
 - Weekly calendar
 - Weekly evaluation of job performance
 - Journal Responses
 - Committee Evaluations
 - In-class lessons
 - Quarterly Projects
- Attendance and participation (30%)
 - Job completion-each class member should have clearly defined job duties within class committees and each member should take an active role in committee tasks related to major events whenever possible.
 - Attendance at required early morning or afterschool set-ups for major events
 - Participation in class brainstorming, discussions, and evaluations
 - Attendance at Student Council meetings as required
- Collaborative and individual evaluation (30%)
 - Peer evaluations
 - Self evaluations
 - Quarterly review

Commitment:

Students interested in the Lasallian Student Leadership Class should understand that by participating in and committing to the Lasallian Student Leadership program they will be joining an academic class that has homework and responsibilities to attend to, as well as commitments and responsibilities outside of class time.

Responsibility and Accountability:

Lasallian Student Leaders found to be in violation of school policies, either academic or behavioral, will face the standard administrative response for the given circumstance. Multiple violations of school

policy may result in evaluative meetings with course instructors and possible removal from the Lasallian Student Leadership course.

Next Steps:

Eligibility and consideration for participating in the 2010-2011 Lasallian Student Leadership class will be determined by written application including short answers, two adult references, as well as an interview with the current Directors of Lasallian Student Life. Excellence in the following elements—demonstrated leadership ability, embodying respect and integrity, communicating effectively, serving and leading by example, working collaboratively, and the ability to reach out to all students—is the criteria through which selection into the Lasallian Student Leadership class will take place.