



# Leadership Primary and Secondary Objectives



# Purpose

This lesson will explain to you the primary and secondary objectives of leadership as defined by the Marine Corps.



# Lesson Objectives

1. Identify the **primary** and **secondary objectives** of leadership.
2. Describe the objective of **mission accomplishment**.
3. Explain the objective of **troop welfare**.



# Key Words

CPS Key Word Questions (1-4)



# Key Words

- **Objective** - a goal you are trying to achieve
- **Welfare** - a person's health, comfort, and happiness
- **Primary** - something very important or that comes first
- **Secondary** - something less important than the primary



# Warm Up Questions

CPS Lesson Questions (1-2)



# Opening Question



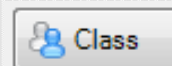
List 2-3 reasons why mission accomplishment is the primary objective of leadership (vs. troop welfare).

1.

2.

3.

(Use CPS “Pick a Student” for this question.)





# Mission Accomplishment

The primary objective of leadership is mission accomplishment.

- ✓ Know your job and do it well.
- ✓ Employ your unit in accordance with its capabilities.
- ✓ For example:
  - Execute drill movements properly
  - Complete your assignments on time





# Troop Welfare

The secondary objective of leadership is troop welfare.

- ✓ Know your Marines and take care of them.
- ✓ Learn all you can about each Marine in your unit (their background, problems, strong and weak points, etc.)
- ✓ Put the needs of your troops above your own needs.



# Lesson Question

Read the [Case Study](#), then answer  
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# Warm Up Questions

CPS Lesson Questions (3)



# Closing Question



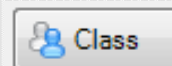
List 2-3 things you learned about leadership from this lesson that you did not already know.

1.

2.

3.

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# Questions





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