Leadership Roles

I am a leader.

Think about your everyday life. What roles do you play? Are you a sister or a brother? Are you a good friend? Do you help others? Circle all the roles that apply to you below:

- Friend
- Club member
- Good neighbor
- Sister
- Club officer
- Classmate
- Brother
- Sports team member
- Student
- Helper
- Band member
- Other roles: ___________________

Now think about these roles and how you are a leader in each of these roles. Below are some leadership values. Describe how you use the following values in your everyday leadership roles. For example, problem solving, can you think of a time that you helped a sibling or a friend find a solution to their problem? Or maybe you helped motivate a classmate to study harder? The way that we interact with others determines our leadership style.

Problem solving: ________________________________________________.

Motivator: ____________________________________________________.

Referee (helped settle conflict): ________________________________.

Counsel (helped someone through a tough time): ________________.

Leadership is not about personality or popularity—it’s about behavior. And anyone who wants to be a leader can be a great leader—by focusing attention on identifying and practicing their leadership skills. You can practice your leadership skills every day through your leadership roles, your behavior and by remembering to put the needs of others before your own.