LEADERSHIP WORLDVIEW ESSAY: ASSIGNMENT INSTRUCTIONS

OVERVIEW

This is an open research paper, meaning that you are expected to locate, use, and cite scholarly peer-reviewed sources, if you do not use common knowledge or your personal experience to support the information within the paper. The objective of this paper is to give your current worldview on leadership.

What do you believe are the best leadership practices in law enforcement?

INSTRUCTIONS

1.) Your paper must contain the following elements:

     a. Title Page
     b. Introduction
     c. Body
     d. Conclusion
     e. Reference Page (if needed)

2.) Please explain the following:

     a. Describe what you believe it requires to be an effective law enforcement leader.
     b. You must provide examples of effective leadership principles as described in the [Salem Police Department 2022-2024 Strategic Plan](#).

This paper should be 1 to 3 pages in length. The paper must use current APA style (7th Edition), and the page count does not include the title page, reference section, or any extra material. The minimum elements of the paper are listed above.

You must use the following sources:

- The only reference required for this paper are the examples from the Salem Police Department 2022-2024 Strategic Plan. However, if you state anything other than common knowledge or your experience, you must cite the work.

Please reference the **Leadership Worldview Essay: Grading Rubric** when creating your paper.

Note: This essay must be your original work and will be checked for plagiarism.

Leadership Worldview Essay: Grading Rubric (January 2023, Lt Written Exam)

Criteria	Ratings				Points
Content	**35 to > 31.0 pts** <u>Advanced</u> Excellent details and examples are provided. The four requirements are met: 1. The paper focuses on one identified subject area and topic. 2. There is specific information on effective leadership from the author's perspective. 3. Sources are cited if the information is not common knowledge or experience of the student. 4. Resources & Support are added, if any.	**31 to > 28.0 pts** <u>Proficient</u> The requirements are met in a proficient manner. Some of the information is incomplete or unclear. Complete sentences are used. The author provides some details and examples.	**28 to > 0.0 pts** <u>Developing</u> The requirements are poorly developed. Most of the information is incomplete. The author uses short phrases instead of complete sentences. The author does not provide any details or examples.	**0 pts** <u>Not Present</u> The requirements are missing.	**35 pts**
Analysis	**35 to > 31.0 pts** <u>Advanced</u> Excellent details and examples are provided. The four requirements are met: 1. The qualities of an effective leader. 2. Personal experience on the subject matter. 3. The paper properly discusses the subject matter. 4. Introduction & Conclusion completed.	**31 to > 28.0 pts** <u>Proficient</u> The requirements are met in a proficient manner. Some of the information is incomplete or unclear. Complete sentences are used. The author provides some details and examples.	**28 to > 0.0 pts** <u>Developing</u> The requirements are poorly developed. Most of the information is incomplete. The author uses short phrases instead of complete sentences. The author does not provide any details or examples.	**0 pts** <u>Not Present</u> The requirements are missing.	**35 pts**
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