



 we lacked a formulated path/plan to teach/ show boys how and what it means to become a young man.
we needed to create and maximize our students' interaction with positive male influences



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* we needed ways to reinforce and sustain positive influences for students who are classified at-risk.

 we lacked a formalized way to unleash leadership potential in our students.



probletunity

 personally, time was limited during school and after school due to job tasks and family time

 we needed a way to address all of these needs in one nice and neat little package



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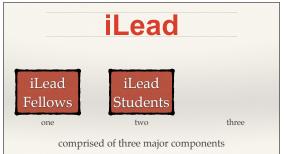






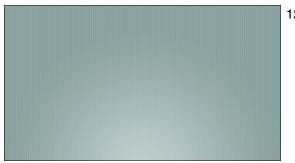




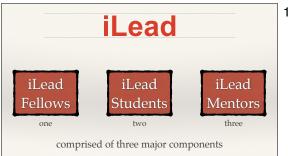








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* For any student in our school who needs sustained positive interactions with another adult.

Students are known as "iLead Ambassadors" and serve as a way to orient the adult to our school setting.



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facts

* iLead has transformed the culture of our school

* the positive energy that iLead generates is contagious

 $\div~55$ plus men in our community have become iLead fellows

 $\,^{\diamond}\,$ staff members willingly volunteer their time to serve

 $\,^{\diamond}\,$ one local organization has invested over \$20,000 in iLead

 $\, \diamond \,$ students gain academically, socially, and emotionally

* other schools/organizations have caught the vision

successes

"If what we do in our classrooms helps open doors for our students, then iLead is opening the windows so their bright light can shine through. iLead provides students with a confidence in themselves that creates a sense of pride in their work and generates a sense of responsibility for their peers. This makes our job not only easier, but much more meaningful."

Teryn Dalton, 2nd Grade Teacher

successes

"I had the most fun ever! That was the first school program I have ever enjoyed. It was so fantastic! I am so thankful. It helped me and all of my friends! We liked the pizza and the drinks. I filled my service log and I did a lot more. The ilead program made me a better person. I'm glad I joined the program, and now I can complete anything I want to. I think it was an accomplishment. It was a life time opportunity for me!!!!!!" Raul Neil, Student

SUCCESSES

"I enjoy this program because it is a time when I can be a leader in our school and in my class. iLead has taught me about owning up to my mistakes and choices. It has taught me discipline and respect and how to treat others, even if they are mean to you. This is all special for a kid like me, because as I grow up I will continue to follow the iLead creed that "I am a leader."

Jiquese Tinsley, Student

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