

LEADING AND MANAGING YOUR INVIGILATION TEAM

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- What is effective Leadership?
- Positive task development
- An effective invigilation team



LEADERSHIP... definition

- Leading, influencing and guiding individuals or groups of people/teams
- Align collective direction: to execute strategic plans
- Accomplishment of a goal through the direction of human assistants
- Process of social influence which maximises the effects of others towards achievement of a goal

What makes a good leader?

QUALITY – Effectiveness/skill in your role = Respect

- Knowledge
- > Enthusiasm
- > Integrity
- Resilience
- Mutual Trust
- Warmth, Humanity, Empathy
- > Tact!
- Confidence
- > Calm/Serene





Authority

Management

Dictatorial

EFFECTIVE TEAM LEADING

- Recognise and value
- Understand how to harness individuals strengths and weaknesses
- Evaluate interactions of team members
- Empower:
 - Training
 - Feedback
 - Encouragement



Organisational Context of Leadership

Task & Team & Individual

Interaction

Positive v Negative

- **TEAM** Who are you leading and influencing?
- OPERATIONAL What tasks are required for the operation of the organisation?
- **STRATEGIC** Senior Leadership, Policies, Knowledge



SUCCESSFULLY LEADING

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TASK = ACHIEVE

SMOOTH OPERATION OF EXAMS

TEAM =
BUILD/MAINTAIN
DIFFERENT PEOPLE
WITH A COMMON
GOAL

INDIVIDUAL =
DEVELOP/SUPPORT
INVIGILATORS —
WHY ARE THEY
WORKING?



NEEDS = SUCCESS

Rowers
Cox
Coach
Maintenance

COMMON TASK = ALL PULLING TOGETHER



LEADING THE TASK

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Lead from within

- ❖ Maintain a slight distance be professional and avoid overfamiliarity
- Control by clear guidance
- Positive attitude to negotiation

Effective level of functioning

- ❖ Contribute by plan and organising : What, Why, When: How, Where, Who
- ❖ Remain calm Swan Effect

Delegate

THE INVIGILATION TEAM

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RECRUITMENT

• IDENTIFYING NEED

• HOW, WHEN AND WHERE TO RECRUIT?

• PITFALLS

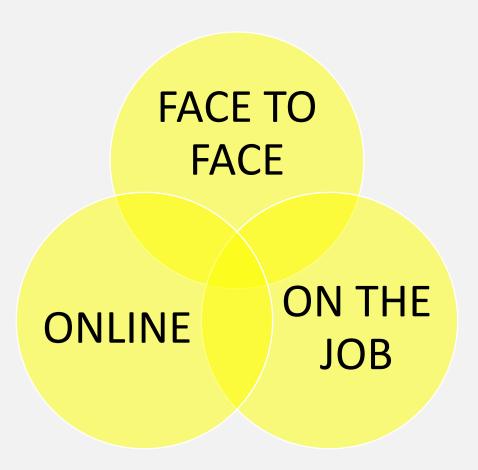
• PROCEDURES

COMMUNICATION



TRAINING







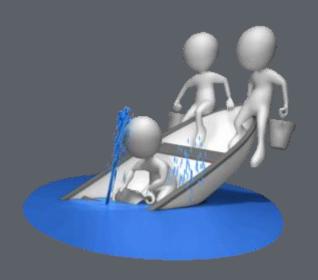


IDENTIFY INDIVIDUAL SKILLS

- What types of skills might you need/people have?
- What needs does the task have that require additional strengths.

PROBLEMS

WHAT, HOW, RESOLUTION

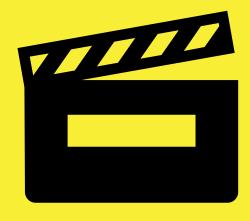




RESOLUTION OF ISSUES

- SOME EXAMPLES
 - No longer available
 - Doesn't follow instructions
 - Inappropriate behaviour
 - Malpractice





RESOLUTION OF ISSUES

Ways to manage







CONCLUSION: EFFECTIVE INVIGILATION MANAGEMENT

- Personal accountability
- Quality Leadership
- Clarity of the Tasks required
- Recruit
- Train
- Support
- Delegate/Refer

