Week 8 - 7.2 Leadership Vision Questionnaire Results

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This Leadership Vision Questionnaire helps to measure one's ability to create a vision as a leader and I scored in the very high range. When influencing people to follow your vision, I feel as though there should not be a drastic change to implement a vision. Leading others is all about compromise and valuing the individuality of others. If I had a vision that required someone to completely change who they were as a person and what they valued, then I would have to look at that vision a second time for myself to see if it was truly necessary. Being a leader is doing what is best for the group, but also knowing how to make the group fit well together. If everyone had the same values, then there would not be much diversity or uniqueness to that group. There has to be compromise, so I would not feel entirely comfortable to influence people so they change their values. Values are often rooted in someone's foundation, and to mess with that can throw them off as a person.

Right now, my template for creating visions is Stephen Covey's *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People*. I use this not only as a blueprint for myself to become a better leader, but if my vision can be fit to work well with one of the seven habits, then I use that to articulate my vision. I think that Covey has effectively created 7 relatable habits that can be fit to any situation. While I think that I am effective in generating language to do so, Covey helps me get the point across. This was a great questionnaire and it has really helped me to grow.