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INTRODUCTION

Dear Future School Leader,
Congratulations for making the decision of becoming a School Leader!
Schools nowadays need skilled administrators who are capable of transforming education. Through their day-to-day actions, effective school leaders are vital for improving the learning outcomes of students as well as for creating a safe and welcoming culture within the school and the community. They make a direct impact on students' experience and performance.



Our education system is in high need of more school leaders because as the enrollment in schools increases, the need for more leaders to oversee and manage the school also increases. Schools often implement new initiatives or programs that require additional leadership and management to ensure their success. Educational institutions are complex organizations, and having more leaders to oversee different aspects of the school can help ensure that everything runs smoothly. Lastly, teachers are not the only ones retiring en masse, many school leaders have retired or moved on to other positions in the last couple of years, especially due to the pandemic so there is a high need for new leaders to step in and to fill in those vacant roles.

In your future role as an educational leader, you will lead, manage, and collaborate with your educators as well as provide curriculum direction and guidance. You will support them effectively to achieve their class objectives and program goals. It will be your job to lead the development and implementation of an effective educational program in the service.

Becoming a school principal is an admirable goal for many educators. As a principal, you have the opportunity to positively impact the lives of students, teachers, and the school community as a whole. However, before you can become a principal, you need to pass the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA) 6990 exam. This exam is a requirement for obtaining the school principal certificate, and it tests your knowledge and skills in various areas related to educational leadership.

Preparing for the SLLA 6990 exam can be daunting, as it covers a wide range of topics, including school law, budgeting, instructional leadership, and more. That is why we have elaborated this test preparation and study guide, which is designed to help aspiring school leaders prepare for and pass the SLLA 6990 exam. This is the perfect companion to the online practice test found at SLLA6990Prep.com.

Whether you are a teacher who is ready to take the next step in your career or an educator who is already in a leadership position and wants to obtain the school principal certificate, this book is for you. We are confident that our comprehensive guide, practice questions, and study strategies will help you prepare for and pass the SLLA 6990 exam and achieve your career goals.

ABOUT THIS BOOK

The SLLA 6990 Test Prep & Practice Guide covers a comprehensive overview of the exam, including the format, registration process, test fees, content areas, and scoring. The book also includes 120 selected-response practice questions with feedback, as well as scenarios and situations to practice for the constructed response section.

If you have a preference for studying through printed materials, we also offer a paperback book version and a concise spiral booklet that is specifically designed to streamline your learning experience by presenting practice questions and scenarios exclusively.

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The SLLA 6990 preparation courses and materials offered on this Website are designed to provide comprehensive study materials, resources, and guidance to individuals preparing for the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA) 6990 examination. The course content is intended to support candidates in their exam preparation and enhance their knowledge and skills related to educational leadership.

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LEADERSHIP

WHAT IS LEADERSHIP?

Think about the great leaders you've met throughout your life—or learned about throughout history. How would you describe them? What sets these individuals apart? And what is that special something that draws others to them?

EFFECTIVE EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Effective educational leaders ensure academic success through process, material and training improvements. This is mainly achieved through collaboration with different individuals, such as educators, parents, students, public policy makers and the public with a strong guiding power — a dream, a vision, or moral purpose.

Effective leadership plays a vital role in the improvement and development of all school institutions and districts. It is imperative that educational leaders set concise plans, realistic goals, and expectations while developing trusting relationships with all stakeholders. Good leaders plan to get everyone on board and let them know about their visions. Effective leaders establish a transparent, reliable, and open communication. Trust enables strong relationships. Strong relationships foster the creation initiatives that will pay off as time goes on.

**"LEADERSHIP: THE CAPACITY AND WILL TO RALLY
PEOPLE TO A COMMON PURPOSE TOGETHER WITH THE
CHARACTER THAT INSPIRES CONFIDENCE AND TRUST."**

BERNARD MONTGOMERY

LEADERSHIP

LEADERSHIP IS NOT

- Leadership is **NOT** about titles, hierarchy, or seniority.
- Leading is **NOT** the same as dictating.
- Leaders are **NOT** restricted to one personality type or style.

**"LEADERSHIP IS NOT
ABOUT A TITLE OR A
DESIGNATION. IT'S ABOUT
IMPACT, INFLUENCE, AND
INSPIRATION."**

ROBIN S. SHARMA

LEADERSHIP

WHAT MAKES A SCHOOL LEADER EFFECTIVE?

EXAMINING SCHOOL LEADERS

Characteristics of an EFFECTIVE Leader

- Vision
- Courage
- Passion
- Emotional intelligence
- Judgment
- Resilience
- Persuasion
- Curiosity
- Courage
- Emotional intelligence
- Vision
- Judgment
- Passion

Characteristics of an INEFFECTIVE Leader

- Reactive
- There's no end in mind
- Ego first
- My way or the highway
- Seek to be understood
- Discord
- Efficacy Killers
- Micromanagement
- My way or the highway
- Seek to be understood
- Ego first
- There's no end in mind
- Reactive

"WHILE DIFFERENT LEADERS MAY HAVE DIFFERENT LEADERSHIP STYLES, THERE ARE CERTAIN TRAITS THAT ALL GREAT LEADERS ADOPT AND SHARE."
