

Problem- Lack of leadership skills in kids. (My problem lies under the 4th UN sustainability goal)

Story- During my survey, I read a response which made me more concerned about the problem. Muskan, a 9th grader says, " I saw a lot of people migrating back to their village from the city due to unemployment and they were facing problems of hunger. I felt like I should do something but felt helpless and couldn't find any solution." Listening to this I could make out that we all see problems around but lack the skill to solve them. Also, an experience which I had was, I randomly asked a lot of kids about what they all did while staying at home. All of them said that they did their studies but I hardly got anyone who said that I developed a new skill along with studies.

When kids are in the last years of school they forget practicing their hobbies and learning new things but a quality education means to get holistically developed and get equipped with 21st century skills.

People- Among all kids, I'm more concerned about the higher secondary kids because I feel they need holistic development at this time.

Experiences - According to my survey, kids are able to identify the problems around but aren't able to find a solution and thus, are feeling helpless. Students also say that the online classes which are conducted are solely for academics and have nothing to do with leadership development. Due to the study pressure, kids aren't able to learn new extracurricular things and leadership skills.

Some kids who want to gain leadership skills face an issue of lack of sources to gain it and also lack of support and encouragement from the side of the parents.

Causes-

1. Kids feel that academics is more important than leadership
2. **Lack of leadership development platforms available online for kids.**
3. A wrong notion about leadership in students
4. **Kids and parents not being aware about leadership.**
5. Online classes are solely for studies
6. Lack of information about leadership.

What do you think is the cause of lack of leadership?



14 responses

