



The Top Ten Leadership Tips for Administrators & New Teachers

- #1** Base decisions on what is in the best interest of students.
- #2** The quote that I reflect on the most: “There are only two kinds of schools; those that are improving and those that are declining.” (Marzano, 2008)
- #3** Work hard and have fun!
- #4** Education is consuming – take time for you, your family, your health, and the other things that mean the most to you.
- #5** Find the good in people; and maximize it.
- #6** When good things happen, it is a team victory to be celebrated – shout it from the mountaintops for all to hear!
- #7** When bad things happen, go directly to the source, effectively resolve it, and successfully move forward.
- #8** For long-term success, make data driven decisions; not “I think” or opinion-based decisions.
- #9** It is not “my” – it is “our”.
- #10** Always be a professional!