

16 Things Successful Leaders Never Do

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Not doing is one side of finding success.

1. Never let the bottom line be the bottom line.
2. Never pretend things are ok when they aren't.
3. Never let what you've never done be the reason not to try.
4. Never get ahead by resenting those who get ahead.
5. Never let those who aren't doing something prevent you for doing something.
6. Never do on the road what you wouldn't do at home.
7. Never trust anyone who never admits mistakes.
8. Never achieve greatness through negativity.
9. Never pretend you can do what you can't.
10. Never let others fail before doing everything appropriate to help them succeed.
11. "An executive has never suffered because his subordinates were strong and effective."
Peter Drucker
12. Never find wisdom in excuses, defensiveness, or blame.
13. Never think loyalty is a gift.
14. Never waffle when it comes to taking responsibility.
15. Never waver when it comes to giving credit.
16. Never make excuses. "Never make excuses. Your friends don't need them and your foes won't believe them." John Wooden