

# Character Defined

A person's moral and ethical qualities

It helps determine what is right and gives a leader motivation to do what is appropriate regardless of the circumstances or the consequences

Leaders should have informed ethical consciences

# Leader's Character Traits

Loyalty to country, the CACC, your unit and cadets

Commitment to fulfill responsibilities

Respect for other people, property, ideas, and differences

Selfless service

Not lying, cheating, or stealing – doing what is right even when others are not looking

Facing fear, danger, adversity, and criticism with a willingness to proceed

Empathy – acknowledging the needs and feelings of others

# Leader's Character Traits

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Taking care of subordinates

Self-disciplined

Expertness and professionalism; valuing education and schooling

Commitment to the team

Promptness and good attendance

Not being a quitter

Patriotic spirit; defending the US Constitution