

Management Styles (Student A)

1. What would you say is the purpose of management?
2. Why do you think people decide to become managers?
3. What is the biggest mistake a manager can make?
4. Can an autocratic leadership style ever achieve positive results?
5. Why do some managers adopt a laissez-faire approach? Does it work?
6. What would happen to your company if all the managers suddenly left?

Management Styles (Student B)

1. Have you ever worked for a good manager?
2. Do you think you have the skills to be a good manager?
3. Is it possible to be a manager and be close friends with your staff?
4. Does a democratic approach to leadership always work?
5. What sort of tasks do you think should be centralised in a large company?
6. In general, what would you say makes a successful manager?