**Types of Leadership**

**Autocratic- Activities of the group are tightly controlled by the leader   
who dictates the specific work path a group may follow, as well as the   
techniques which may be employed. Often, this type of leader will stay   
away from active participation, establishing an impersonal role rather   
than a friendly or hostile one.**

**Democratic- This type of leadership implies that individual group   
members are consulted in the decision-making process by the leader.   
The leader suggests alternatives and establishes a work path that the   
group can follow. The leader provides whatever assistance is necessary   
and encourages individuals in their undertakings.**

**Laissez-faire- Leadership, laissez-faire style is characterized by a   
minimum of control or structures. The leader gives the group complete   
freedom in decision-making. No attempt is made to influence the   
behavior of the group directly, or to affect the selection of projects or the   
methods of work used by the group.**