



## PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE

*The essential attitudes and skills students need to graduate ready for college, career, and community:*

Collaboration	Critical Thinking/ Creativity	Confidence	Leadership	Content Knowledge	Communication	Integrity
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Honor and leverage strengths to build collective commitment and action</li> <li>• Enrich the learning of both self and others</li> <li>• Seek, contribute, and respond to feedback to achieve collective outcomes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand the “bigger picture” and propose solutions that are mindful to the impact they may have on other parts of a system</li> <li>• Consistently improve the quality of one’s own thinking by skillfully analyzing, assessing, and reconstructing</li> <li>• Applies disciplined thinking that is clear, rational, open-minded, and informed by evidence</li> <li>• Uses curiosity and imagination to inspire new ideas or to build upon existing ones</li> <li>• Transcend traditional ideas, rules, patterns, and relationships to create new or meaningful ideas, methods, or interpretations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Value and embrace diverse cultures and unique perspectives through mutual respect and open dialogue</li> <li>• Demonstrate personal, civic, social, local, and global responsibility through ethical and empathetic behaviors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Are visionary and inspire positive action in others</li> <li>• Create the environment or the conditions that empower others to grow and succeed</li> <li>• Build relationships with others through trust and compassion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop and draw from a baseline understanding of knowledge in an academic discipline</li> <li>• Transfer knowledge in combination with new learning to deepen understanding and influence conclusions and solutions</li> <li>• Use content knowledge, in routine as well as innovative ways, to address real-world situations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Articulate thoughts and ideas effectively using oral, written, and nonverbal communication skills in a variety of forms and contexts</li> <li>• Listen effectively to decipher meaning, including knowledge, values, attitudes, and intentions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adhere consistently to a set of core values that are evident in choices and behaviors</li> <li>• Earn others’ trust and respect through honest and principled behaviors</li> <li>• Demonstrate awareness, sensitivity, concern, and respect to connect with others’ feelings, opinions, experiences, and culture</li> </ul>