

Portrait of a New Kent Graduate



Communicator

Reads and listens effectively to acquire knowledge and broaden perspective.

Speaks and writes with clarity and purpose to inform, influence, motivate, and entertain listeners.

Creates an online footprint that contributes positively to the global community.

Mediates conflicts without compromising one's values.



Collaborator

Understands multiple points of view.

Accepts responsibility and constructive criticism to grow and learn.

Models integrity and ethical leadership.

Works productively in groups to deliver timely results.



Ethical and Global Steward

Understands the monetary and social impact of decisions on the environment.

Demonstrates empathy, compassion, and respect for diverse values, perspectives, and cultures.

Makes decisions that serve to positively impact the community.



Creative and Critical Thinker

Engages in problem-solving and the design of innovative solutions to persevere through obstacles.

Values the relevance of artistic expressions.

Applies reason and research practices to problem-solve and reach logical conclusions.

Uses technological skills and contemporary digital tools to appropriately explore and exchange ideas.



Goal Directed, Persistent, and Resilient Individual

Promotes positive relationships and actions that support physical, emotional, and mental wellness.

Develops self-empowerment and advocacy skills to overcome academic, career, and personal challenges.

Utilizes strategies, resources, and skills to effectively plan his/her academic and occupational future.

Adapts to and manages transitions and changing situations.