

21st century skills

- ✓ Skills that are critical in both school and the workplace.
- ✓ Skills that ensure students are prepared for college and work-ready.



collaboration

Inherent in the nature of how work is accomplished in teams.



critical thinking

It takes sound reasoning to analyze issues, make decisions, and overcome problems.



creativity

A key driver in the global economy because it spurs progress and innovation.



communication

Expressing thoughts, ideas, and opinions clearly and effectively, both in speaking and writing.

Definitions of 21st century skills vary. Some include complementary character skills and qualities of Leadership, Social-Emotional Intelligence, Conscientiousness, Global/Intercultural Fluency, Professionalism/Productivity, Career Management, Technical Application, and more.

Sources:

NACE International: [Career Readiness Resources](#)

National Education Association: [Preparing 21st Century Students for a Global Society](#)

