



PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE

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Ascension Public Schools students lead the way, set the tone, and achieve their goals toward lifelong learning and workplace success. Our students ASCEND to Excellence!

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SOLUTION SEEKERS

- Think critically and ask questions in order to form creative solutions
- Collect and understand relevant information to form conclusions
- Demonstrate the ability to work with others in order to achieve a common goal

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CREATIVE INNOVATORS

- Form and share ideas
- Analyze and form arguments considering a variety of perspectives
- Recognize that success in a collaborative project may require new ways of thinking and doing

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EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATORS

- Communicate effectively in diverse environments
- Listen with the intent to understand
- Speak in a clear, concise, and purposeful manner to inform, influence, motivate, or entertain listeners
- Incorporate effective writing skills for various purposes and audiences
- Use technology and a variety of media to explore and exchange ideas
- Use feedback to recognize areas in need of improvement

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NOBLE CITIZENS

- Surround oneself with positive and healthy relationships to promote physical and mental wellness
- Embrace diversity and stand up for oneself and others
- Participate in civic processes and obligations to be of service to others at a local, state, national, and global level
- Communicate in multiple forms effectively to make meaningful connections
- Show responsibility in personal and group situations
- Display independence and self-sufficiency

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DETERMINED AND RESILIENT LEARNERS

- Can push through adversity to overcome obstacles
- Achieve goals despite any missteps, challenges, or negative feedback
- Seek and accept feedback to help in accomplishing difficult tasks
- Adjust to new conditions, different roles, unpredictable situations, and shifting concepts
- Recognize that there are several paths to achieve a desired outcome