1. **Competencies/Skills**
   a. **Critical Thinking** - Students will be able to complete a comprehensive exploration of issues, ideas, artifacts, or events before accepting or formulating an opinion or conclusion.
   b. **Written Communication** - Students will be able to effectively express ideas in writing using text, data, and images.
   c. **Information Literacy** - Students will be able to identify a need for information and effectively locate, evaluate and share that information.
   d. **Quantitative Reasoning** - Students will be able to reason and solve quantitative problems across a variety of contexts.
   e. **Oral Communication** - Students will be able to prepare and present orally in order to foster understanding.
   f. **Technological Competence** - Students will be able to effectively use technology to enhance learning.
   g. **Scientific Reasoning** - Students will be able to apply the methods and principles of scientific inquiry in the analysis of evidence.

2. **Strategic Themes**
   a. **Leadership Skills** - Students will be able to collaborate with others, engaging team members to contribute to the accomplishment of a common goal.
   b. **Ethics and Social Responsibility** - Students will be able to identify and articulate the principles and values of social and civic responsibility.
   c. **Global/Multicultural Perspectives** - Students will be able to identify and explain the potential benefits and/or conflicts that arrive from a world that is a complex, interdependent global system of social, cultural, and economic communities.

3. **Connected Learning** - Students will be able to connect their education in the classroom to real-world issues beyond the campus.