

## BIG IDEAS

Confidence develops through the process of self-discovery.

Strong communities are the result of being connected to family and community and working together toward common goals.

Effective collaboration relies on clear, respectful communication.

Everything we learn helps us to develop skills.

Communities include many different roles requiring many different skills.

Learning is a lifelong enterprise.

## Learning Standards

Curricular Competencies	Content
<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify and appreciate their personal attributes, skills, interests, and accomplishments</li> <li>• Recognize the importance of positive relationships in their lives</li> <li>• Share ideas, information, personal feelings, and knowledge with others</li> <li>• Work respectfully and constructively with others to achieve common goals</li> <li>• Recognize the importance of learning in their lives and future careers</li> <li>• Set and achieve realistic learning goals for themselves</li> <li>• Identify and appreciate the roles and responsibilities of people in their schools, families, and communities</li> <li>• Demonstrate <b>effective work habits</b> and organizational skills appropriate to their level of development</li> <li>• Recognize the basic skills required in a variety of jobs in the community</li> </ul>	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <p><b>Personal Development</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>goal-setting strategies</b></li> <li>• <b>risk taking</b> and its role in self-exploration</li> </ul> <p><b>Connections to Community</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>cultural and social awareness</b></li> <li>• roles and responsibilities at home, at school, and in the local community</li> <li>• jobs in the local community</li> </ul>

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Public identity is influenced by personal choices and decisions.

Exploring our strengths and abilities can help us identify our goals.

Leadership requires listening to and respecting the ideas of others.

Family and community relationships can be a source of support and guidance when solving problems and making decisions.

Good learning and work habits contribute to short- and long-term personal and career success.

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<p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify and appreciate their personal attributes, skills, interests, and accomplishments and their growth over time</li> <li>• Recognize the need for others who can support their learning and personal growth</li> <li>• Recognize the intersection of their personal and public <b>digital identities</b> and the potential for both positive and negative consequences</li> <li>• Demonstrate respect for differences in the classroom</li> <li>• Use innovative thinking when solving problems</li> <li>• Set realistic short- and longer-term learning goals, define a path, and monitor progress</li> <li>• Make connections between effective work habits and success</li> <li>• Demonstrate safe behaviours in a variety of environments</li> <li>• Question self and others about the role of technology in the changing workplace</li> <li>• Appreciate the influence of peer relationships, family, and community on personal choices and goals</li> </ul>	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <p><b>Personal Development</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>goal-setting strategies</b></li> <li>• problem-solving and decision-making strategies</li> <li>• <b>emergent leadership skills</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Connections to Community</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>cultural and social awareness</b></li> <li>• generational roles and responsibilities</li> <li>• safety hazards and rules at school, at home, and in the community</li> </ul>