Global Engagement

Students will demonstrate global citizenship via knowledge of and interaction with civic participation, diverse cultures and people, and social justice advocacy.

I am aware of cultural differences and similarities.

I am more aware of social, economic and ethical world issues.

I learned to identify diverse perspectives.

I learned to work collaboratively as a member of a group/team.

Personal Growth

Students will demonstrate ethical decisions making, goal setting, and positive lifestyle choices.

I am better able to set academic/professional goals.

I am more aware of the need to be an active, ethical and informed member of society.

I have a clearer sense of my personal values.

I make better lifestyle choices.

Aesthetic Analysis and Application

Students will analyze, conceptualize, evaluate, and/or synthesize creative and artistic expression as applied via contexts such as cultures and disciplines.

I can better interpret art, music, literature and other forms of artistic expression.

I can better interpret the arts as an expression of cultural identity.

I learned to recognize different forms of beauty.

I learned to see the relevance of the arts in everyday life.

Communication

Students will effectively communicate to varied audiences via spoken, written, visual and other forms of communication.

I am able to structure an academic essay.

I am more confident making public presentations.

I can identify and correct my own mistakes in writing.

I have learned to present my point of view more persuasively.

Information Competency

Students will define information needs, utilizing appropriate technology and resources to access information efficiently and effectively, evaluate information critically, and use information ethically.

I am able to use technology to conduct college-level research.

I can determine what information I need to research a topic effectively.

I learned how to access and evaluate the quality and credibility of sources.

I learned to use and cite information ethically.

Inquiry and Reason

Students will use analytical, creative, and critical thinking to evaluate ideas, predict outcomes and form conclusions and solutions.

I am better able to use cause and effect reasoning.

I learned how to apply alternative methods to solve problems.

I learned to critically examine and solve problems.

I learned to recognize and evaluate viewpoints different than my own.

Writing Prompt

As Hartnell College graduates, students are expected to meet certain competencies. One of these competencies is Personal Growth:

Students will demonstrate ethical decision making, goal setting, and positive lifestyle choices.

In a structured essay, write at least three paragraphs describing how Hartnell has prepared you to:

- Make ethical decisions
- Set goals
- Make positive lifestyle choices