

Profile of a Graduate



Graduates of South Washington County Schools (SoWashCo Schools) will have the skills, knowledge and abilities necessary to be successful after high school.



Resilient

- Able to withstand failure and recover quickly to try again.
- Belief in the ability to solve complex problems and build knowledge through hard work and dedication.
- Management of emotions, thoughts and behaviors in different situations.



Lifelong Learner

- Connect existing knowledge to new circumstances.
- Seek out learning to improve yourself, your community and the world.
- Confidence in gaining and sharing knowledge and teaching others.



Communicator

- Establish and maintain healthy and supportive relationships.
- Effectively navigate situations with different social and cultural demands and opportunities.
- Capacity to communicate clearly, listen actively and work collaboratively to problem solve and negotiate conflict.



Socially Conscious

- Express pride, confidence and healthy self-esteem without denying compassion for the value and dignity of other people.
- Focus on seeing people as individuals and work on changing internal stereotypes while taking time to pause and reflect.
- Acknowledge how each culture negotiates its own identity in multiple areas of society.



Critical Thinker

- Think in an organized and rational way to address situations and understand connections between all available facts, ideas and information.
- Approach situations with the understanding that one experience does not define the next, and failure is an opportunity.
- Problem solve through innovative thinking.

