Imagine & Create. Build fluency and eloquence of expression. Don't just recycle. UPCYCLE! Generate new and novel ideas. Desire and

**STRIVE FOR ACCURACY** 

Always do your best. Review, revise, and refine. Set high standards. Look for ways to improve constantly.

Check it again.

SEEK OUT

RESPOND WITH

WONDERMENT AND AWE

Find the world awesome &

mysterious. Get carried away in and by thought. Be intrigued with

phenomena & beauty. Have fun

LEARN MORE Embrace having more to learn. Have humility

and pride when

admitting you don't

know. Resist

complacency. Seek out

new learning

opportunities. Remain

open to continuous

## **PERSIST**

Remain focused. Look for ways to reach your goals when stuck. Do not give up. Persevere with tasks through to completion.

Keep going and going and going...

Listen with authentic appreciation. Devote mental energy to another person's thoughts and feelings. Want to understand. Put yourself in another's place,

and make an honest effort to relate. and mane an nonest choice to come.

Hear with your heart. Respond with respect.

THINK FIRST

Think before acting. Remain calm, thoughtful and deliberate. Manage impulsivity. Take your time to compose yourself and what you want to say. Always consider the consequences.

COLLABORATE

Work together. Be able to work with and learn from others, "I'm on your team, Be on my team," Participate, Engage, Share, Be accountable. Learn. Teach. Know. Grow. Think interdependently.

**REFLECT** 

Think about your thinking. Recognize the thinking strategies you use to accomplish different tasks. **Know your** knowing. Be aware of your own thoughts, feelings, and

actions and

their effects on

others. Learn

how you learn.

RISK RESPONSIBLY Live on the edge of one's competence. Seek out opportunities and possibilities. Be adventuresome. Try new things on a regular basis. Venture outside your

ASK QUESTIONS

Have an inquiring attitude. Request. Query. Investigate. Challenge. Probe. ASK to succeed. Who? What? Why? Where? When? How? Pose problems.

## **COMMUNICATE CLEARLY**

Be clear. Aim to communicate carefully and skillfully in both written & oral form. Think & interact with clarity & precision.

Avoid overgeneralizations, distortions, deletions and exaggerations. Compose, present, discuss, & express yourself with composure & confidence.

PAY ATTENTION

Gather data through all the senses. See. Hear. Taste. Feel. Smell. Attend to the world around you. Use your natural pathways: mind, body, & spirit. Expand AND focus your awareness.

learning. FIND

**SOLUTIONS** 

Access & apply past knowledge to solving new problems. Create connections between what you are learning in different situations. Use what you know and learn. Transfer knowledge beyond the context in which it was/is learned. Appreciate that what you learn now will help you

in the future.

## FIND HUMOR

Laugh. Find the whimsical, incongruous and unexpected. Appreciate the fun in learning. Don't take yourself or any situation too seriously.

Bring happiness and joy to others.

LOOK AT THINGS ANOTHER WAY Think flexibly. Consider other opinions. Generate alternatives. Be able to change perspectives.