



Portrait of a Graduate

- Launched in 2021, aligned with our strategic plan, purpose, and mission.
- Focused on developing innovative, resilient, collaborative, global, and empowered students who are architects of their own learning.
- Serves as our PK–12 “north star” to prepare students to thrive in their future.

Portrait to Practice

- The District Learning Team uses an action research approach to guide implementation.
- Embedded as a strategic plan objective with defined action steps.
- Instruction guided by Universal Design for Learning framework, aligned to Model Mustang skills.



Portrait to Impact

- Model Mustang Experience replaced State of the Schools with student and teacher showcases of PK–12 deeper learning.
- Students apply and reflect on competencies through authentic learning.
- Strategies like thinking classrooms and project-based learning (PBL) drive deeper learning.