Institutional Student Learning Outcomes

Hagerstown Community College students will be prepared to:

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| **1.** Demonstrate personal and social responsibility by practicing responsible citizenship, being open to new ideas, and understanding the value of moral sensitivity and cultural diversity. | Civic engagement  
Financial responsibility  
Collaboration/teamwork  
Ethical reasoning and action  
Humanitarianism  
Involvement in campus life  
Adhering to a healthy lifestyle  
Voter registration and voting in on and off-campus elections | Students demonstrate through specific classroom assignments (e.g. collaborative exercises) how culture, society, and diversity shape the role of the individual within society and human relations. |
| **2.** Practice intellectual skills such as critical and independent thinking, effective communication, and knowledge acquisition and application. | Academic success  
Involvement in campus life  
Integration of digital resources into learning experiences  
Information Literacy | Written classroom assignments teach students to evaluate a variety of sources to determine their credibility. In so doing, students demonstrate the ability to interpret them in an organized and creative form. |
| **3.** Demonstrate self-direction, persistence and lifelong learning | Develop and achieve college goals  
Application of knowledge, skills, and responsibilities to future situations | Progressive pedagogical scaffolding in program’s required courses nurtures the critical thinking skills necessary for life-long learning, e.g. textual and contextual analysis of primary documents. |