

## 21ST CENTURY PUPIL

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In general, the central key in the educational process is the pupil. It is said that pupils must learn the basic education and must develop the skills and knowledge that help them adapt to the modern world. These skills include critical thinking which refers to the ability to analyze situations given; to evaluate and synthesize the information gathered. Another skill is the so-called creativity which means ability to generate ideas that can help them solve the problems that we encounter. Collaboration is also a skill that needs to work with others or in a group to achieve a common goal. Last is the so-called communication, which is the ability to send and receive facts and information inside and outside of the world.

The 21st century pupil therefore must have the ability to think critically, be creative and know how to collaborate and communicate digitally. Pupils nowadays are engaging with various gadgets and technologies. Every information they need is within the tips of their finger because of the presence of technology. These includes the ability to work hard with in different and multiple modalities and the ability to identify, analyze and synthesize the wealth and huge information reliable at their fingertips. Twenty-first century pupils need to think and reason critically, work continuously with other pupils and also implement innovation and new devices made by them. It is a process in which a domain, product or a service rendered is renewed and brought up to date by applying and using new techniques and processes. To establish successful ideas, skills and information leads to the creation of new values and development of themselves.

The real world is fast changing with a vast of a great infusion of technology readily to grasp with one's breath especially a result of a strong determination and power to lead in the community and of the society. Pupils should be engaged with different training that should encourage a hands-on activity with the use of practical approaches and techniques to improve their learning skills and talents. They must possess both abilities to think critically and creatively. Pupils who bear the impact of the duty to perform in this process are expected to monitor all the global trends and issues closely and guide society in producing the next general of the world.

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