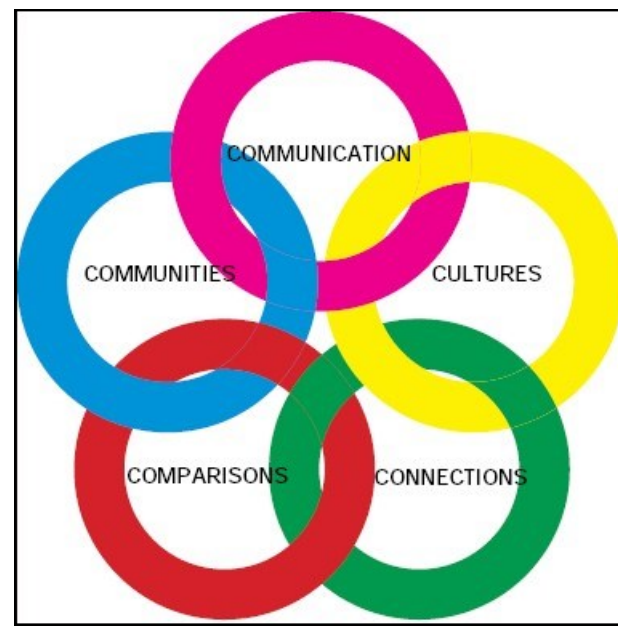


21st Century Skills



C ommon Core State Standards

Preparing students for global work and citizenship

Communication
Social & cross-cultural skills
Information Literacy

READING

Literary and Informational texts

Key ideas
 Craft & structure
 Range and complexity
 Integration of knowledge and ideas

Communication
Information, media and technology literacies
Creativity and innovation
Critical thinking and problem solving
Social and cross-cultural skills
Productivity and accountability
Initiative and self-direction
Leadership and responsibility

Standards for World Language Learning:
 ACTFL's 5Cs

Communication (Interpersonal, Interpretive, Presentational)
Cultures (Products, practices and perspectives)
Connections (acquiring information and reinforcing other disciplines)
Comparisons (of languages and cultures)
Communities (using language beyond school setting; establishing and maintaining relationships with speakers of the target language)

WRITING

Text types and purposes

Research to build and present content knowledge
Range of writing for a variety of tasks, purposes and audiences
Production and distribution of writing

Communication
Collaboration
Social and cross-cultural skills
Flexibility and adaptability

SPEAKING

Comprehension
Collaboration
Presentation of knowledge and ideas

Communication
Information literacy

LANGUAGE

Conventions of standard English
Knowledge of language
Vocabulary acquisition and use