

# Fort Thomas Graduate Defense of Learning

Mrs. Posinski's 5th Grade Class  
Moyer Elementary

# Purpose of the Project

- The 5 competencies of a Fort Thomas Graduate are the skills that will help each of us be productive, lifelong learners and leaders.
- It shows that we are ready to move on to a new chapter because we have developed strengths in the 5 competencies of a Fort Thomas Graduate.
- To show that we have grown as leaders and learners.



## Our Goals

- Communicate how we are stronger leaders because we have grown in these 5 competencies.
- Showcase our projects in May in front of panel of adults.
- Learn how we can be the best version of ourselves in middle school, in the community, and in life.
- Reflect on the progress we've made thus far and determine how to further grow.



## First Steps

- Learn the 5 competencies of a Fort Thomas Graduate & what it means to be a:
  - Courageous Leader
  - Empathetic Collaborator
  - Global Communicator
  - Creative Problem Solver
  - Curious Critical Thinker
- Select one competency to highlight
- Create an organization system for our weekly tasks



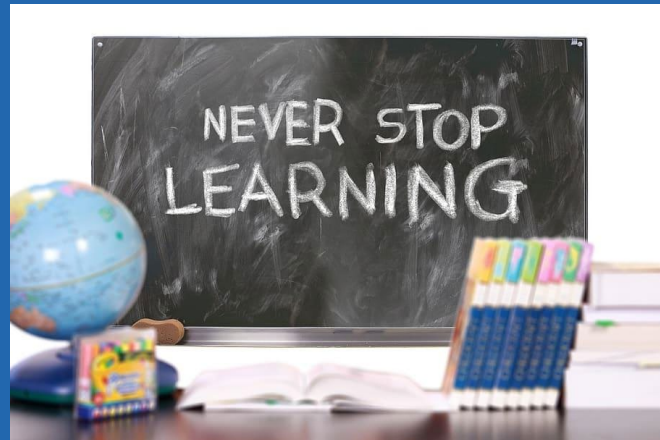
## Weekly Tasks

- Collect evidence & write reflections on our competency from experiences and opportunities both inside and outside of school
- Take pictures of our evidence to support our competency
- Create a presentation for defense of learning in order to prove our strength in the competency we chose using the evidence we collected



## What Have We Learned?

- We can all be leaders
- We all have strengths in different competencies
- Ways we can show these competencies in middle school
- Ways we can continue to grow in all the competencies so that we can be the best version of ourselves and make the world a better place



# Personal Connection to Our Competency <sup>7</sup>



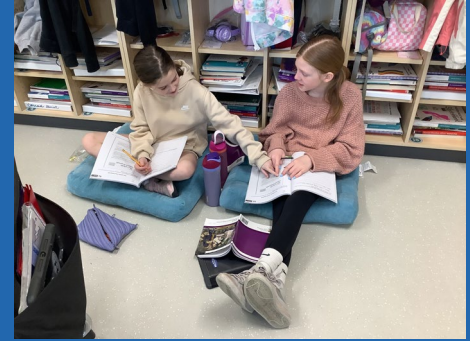
Cecily - Courageous Leader



Harper - Courageous Leader



Stella - Creative Problem Solver



Maxine - Creative Problem Solver



Wren - Empathetic Collaborator