Learners appreciate the value of and critically analyze the merits of different perspectives.

THINK

Learners respectfully communicate thoughts and ideas while listening to others who have contrasting points of view.

SHARE

Learners seek opportunities to learn about others’ differing experiences and opinions.

GROW

Learners deepen their understandings as they identify with the stories, thinking, and experiences of others.

CREATE

Learners demonstrate empathy and equity as they embrace diversity and make informed decisions.

START WITH: EQUITY

INCLUDE

The American Association of School Librarians (AASL) empowers leaders to transform teaching and learning. The Shared Foundations infographic set summarizes Competencies from the AASL Standards Framework for Learners and suggests some actions school librarians can take to get started with the standards. [standards.aasl.org]

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SCHOOL LIBRARIANS LEAD

- Showcase learner success and celebrate differences and similarities through learner-led projects, displays, and initiatives.
- Build a collection that reflects the diverse global community.
- Create flexible learning spaces to meet all students’ needs.
- Use principles of Universal Design to meet the needs of all individuals.