



Illinois Proposed Readiness Framework

The P-20 Council's goal is "to increase the proportion of Illinoisans with high-quality degrees and credentials to 60 percent by the year 2025. Today, only about 41 percent of the state's nearly 7 million working-age adults (25-64 years old) hold at least a two-year degree."

Core content skills

- Core academics tied to the Illinois Learning Standards, including the Common Core
- Technical knowledge & skills specific to career pathways *and/or*
- Technical knowledge & skills specific to in-depth academic pursuits

Thinking skills

- Critical and applied thinking
- Learning techniques
- Research & scientific method
- Formulating & stating problems
- Data analysis & interpretation

Employability & Interpersonal skills

- Collaboration & teamwork
- Ownership of learning & results
- Self-management
- Cultural competency
- Information, Media, & Technology Skills
- Civic awareness & engagement
- Leadership
- Independence & initiative
- Creativity

College & career knowledge & navigation

- Understanding of postsecondary system & how to access
- How to transition to/within workplace
- Financial literacy & its application to college & career navigation

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