

## Goals of Meredith's General Education Program with Associated Academic and Experiential Learning Outcomes

***By completing a rich, coherent general education program that promotes active inquiry, intellectual development, and civic engagement, a Meredith graduate will demonstrate***

***an understanding of self, others, and the world through***

knowledge of diverse historical events, literatures, and religious traditions,  
knowledge and use of social and behavioral sciences,  
knowledge and application of natural and mathematical sciences,  
creative expression and appreciation for the arts, and  
participation in physical activity and lifelong wellness behaviors.

***the ability to analyze, evaluate, and discover solutions through***

critical reading and thinking skills,  
quantitative skills, and  
creative and collaborative problem-solving skills.

***effective communication through***

skill in writing for a variety of purposes,  
facility in oral expression, and  
competence in a foreign language.

***recognition of ethical and responsible behavior in society, the global community, and the natural world through***

an understanding of human cultural diversity,  
the ability to reason and act ethically, and  
knowledge of current global problems.

***an understanding of the complex nature of knowledge through***

investigation of issues from more than one disciplinary perspective,  
fluency with technology and information literacy, and  
a desire to engage in lifelong learning.

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