General Education: Program Level Learning Outcomes

Program Level Student 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.