

## OUR MISSION

We provide all of our students with the opportunity and educational foundation to pave the path to university success by earning an associate's degree upon graduation from high school.

## EFFORT CREATES ABILITY

# CRCA GRADUATE PROFILE

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## GRADUATES OF THE COLORADO RIVER COLLEGIATE ACADEMY ARE:

### COLLEGE READY LIFE LONG LEARNERS

- Earns both an Associate's Degree and High School Diploma after four years of high school.
- Is core complete and ready to matriculate into a baccalaureate program.
- Pursues academic and real-world challenges with critical thinking, creativity and intellectual curiosity.
- Effectively adapts to their current learning situation using their academic and technical foundation.

### ENGAGED, CIVICALLY ACTIVE PEOPLE

- Understands world issues and current events.
- Analyzes and evaluates information sources.
- Acts with integrity, respects differences and seeks to build community.
- Actively commits to improving the human condition.

### EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATORS

- Collaborates and listens.
- Seeks consensus and builds trust.
- Is articulate and an effective communicator using various modes of expression.

### AUTHENTIC AND MOTIVATED PEOPLE

- Is self-aware and understands their personal strengths and challenges.
- Establishes and achieves personal goals.
- Displays a solid work ethic and self-discipline.
- Adapts to change and is motivated to do their best in all pursuits.

The Colorado River Collegiate Academy (CRCA) is an early college high school. It is an educational opportunity afforded to students by a partnership between Bastrop Independent High School and Austin Community College (ACC). Students attending CRCA take a rigorous course of study enabling them to earn an associate degree from ACC at the same time they complete their high school diploma. CRCA offers a unique high school experience focused on academics and combines small class sizes with a cohort orientation.