

Figure 1.

## 21<sup>ST</sup> Century Student Outcomes

### **Core Subjects and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Themes**

#### **Core Subjects**

- English, reading or language arts
- World languages
- Arts
- Mathematics
- Economics
- Science
- Geography
- History
- Government and Civics

#### **Interdisciplinary Themes**

- Global Awareness
- Financial, Economics, Business and Entrepreneurial Literacy
- Civic Literacy
- Health Literacy

### **Learning and Innovation Skills**

#### **Creativity and Innovation**

- Think Creatively
- Work Creatively with Others
- Implement Innovations

#### **Critical Thinking and Problem Solving**

- Reason Effectively
- Use Systems Thinking
- Make Judgments and Decisions
- Solve Problems

#### **Communication and Collaboration**

- Communicate Clearly
- Collaborate with Others

### **Information, Media and Technology Skills**

#### **Information Literacy**

- Access and Evaluate Information
- Use and Manage Information

#### **Media Literacy**

- Analyze Media
- Create Media Products
- Apply Technology Effectively

### **Life and Career Skills**

#### **Flexibility and Adaptability**

- Adapt to Change
- Be Flexible

#### **Initiative and Self-Direction**

- Manage Goals and Time
- Work Independently
- Be Self-Directed Learners

#### **Social and Cross-Cultural Skills**

- Interact Effectively with Others
- Work Effectively in Diverse Teams

#### **Productivity and Accountability**

- Manage Projects
- Product Results

#### **Leadership and Responsibility**

- Guide and Lead Others
- Be Responsible to Others