

## State Alignment Summary

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Renzulli Learning is the K–12 platform that **measures and develops the seven durable skills** Rhode Island's career readiness framework wants every graduate to master — critical thinking, creativity, executive function, leadership, collaboration, communication, and self-direction.

### OVERVIEW

Rhode Island's career readiness framework names the seven durable skills it wants every graduate to master — critical thinking, creativity, executive function, leadership, collaboration, communication, and self-direction. The framework is led by the **Rhode Island Department of Education (RIDE)**, the **Council on Elementary and Secondary Education**, and the **Governor's Workforce Board**. RIDE's **Vision for a Rhode Island Graduate** names **six durable-skills attributes: Critical Thinker, Collaborator, Creative Problem-Solver, Self-Motivated Learner, Culturally and Globally Competent, and Engaged Citizen**. On **November 15, 2022**, the Council unanimously approved **Readiness-Based Graduation Requirements (RBGR)**, with the **class of 2028** as the first cohort: **4 credits math** (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II + advanced); **2 credits same world language**; civics/CS/financial literacy proficiency; **FAFSA + resume**; **performance-based diploma assessment**. Every RI student in **grades 6-12 maintains an Individual Learning Plan** (Academic, Career, Personal/Social) with quarterly RIDE submission. **PrepareRI 2.0** (adopted 2022) is the state's PreK-20 Strategic Plan. Rhode Island operates **240+ CTE programs** with a **minimum 80-hour Work-Based Learning** requirement and recognizes **5 active CTSOs**: Rhode Island DECA, Rhode Island FBLA, Rhode Island HOSA, SkillsUSA Rhode Island, and Rhode Island FFA.

### RHODE ISLAND'S DURABLE SKILLS FRAMEWORK IN CONTEXT

Renzulli Learning is the K-12 platform that both **measures** these durable skills (Cebeci Test of Creativity, Executive Function Assessment, Leadership Assessment, Profiler) and **develops** them (Project-Based Learning, Personal Success Plan, Enrichment Database). The seven durable skills run through every Rhode Island career readiness requirement listed below.

#### WHERE RI STANDS

- **Vision for a Rhode Island Graduate** — 6 durable-skills attributes from RIDE's official statement
- **Individual Learning Plan (ILP)** — grades 6-12; 3 domains (Academic, Career, Personal/Social); reviewed twice per year; quarterly RIDE submission
- **Readiness-Based Graduation Requirements** — class of 2028 first cohort; AGA + advanced math; 2 credits same world language; civics/CS/financial literacy
- **Performance-based diploma assessment** — work-based learning, community service, project-based learning, or applied learning
- **Proficiency-Based Graduation Requirements (PBGRs)** — class of 2027 and prior; 6 core content areas; co-developed with Great Schools Partnership
- **PrepareRI 2.0** — PreK-20 Strategic Plan adopted 2022; inter-agency RIDE + GWB + OPC; 9 priorities
- **240+ RIDE-approved CTE programs** — free to all RI students; 60% growth since 2018-19; **80-hour Work-Based Learning** minimum per program
- **Advanced Coursework Framework + 5 Rhode Island CTSOs** — RI #1 nationally for AP growth; CTSOs: Rhode Island DECA, Rhode Island FBLA, Rhode Island HOSA, SkillsUSA RI, Rhode Island FFA

#### RENZULLI ALIGNMENT

- **Each Vision attribute** mapped to a Renzulli instrument that produces evidence of growth
- Both **measures and develops** the seven durable skills behind every Rhode Island requirement
- **Cebeci Test of Creativity** measures the creativity behind the "Creative Problem-Solver" Vision attribute (US Patent 12,087,176)
- **Profiler** in 20+ languages anchors ILP career exploration and CTE pathway selection
- **Leadership Assessment + PBL** develop CTSO competition success and the "Collaborator" + "Engaged Citizen" Vision attributes
- **EFA** develops persistence behind ILP cycles, the AGA + advanced math sequence, and CTE concentrator progression
- **PSP** documents progression across the 6 Vision attributes, the ILP's 3 domains, and CTE concentrator status for Perkins V reporting

### DURABLE SKILLS ALIGNMENT TO RHODE ISLAND'S CAREER READINESS REQUIREMENTS

## RHODE ISLAND REQUIREMENT

### Vision for a Rhode Island Graduate

Codified in RIDE Proficiency-Based Learning regulations + 2022 RBGR: graduate well prepared for postsecondary education, work, and life; thinks critically and collaboratively; acts as a creative, self-motivated, culturally and globally competent learner and citizen. **Six attributes: Critical Thinker, Collaborator, Creative Problem-Solver, Self-Motivated Learner, Culturally and Globally Competent, and Engaged Citizen.**

### Individual Learning Plan (ILP) — Grades 6-12

Required by RI Secondary School Regulations + **PrepareRI 2.0**. Begins entry into **6th grade** through **12th**; reviewed at least **twice/year**. Three domains: **Academic, Career, Personal/Social**. **Data submitted quarterly to RIDE**. The 2025 RI Framework for Comprehensive PreK-12 School Counseling Programs aligns ILP work with ASCA National Model.

### Readiness-Based Graduation Requirements (Class of 2028+)

Approved **unanimously** Nov 15, 2022 by Council on Elementary and Secondary Education. **4 credits math** (AGA + advanced); **2 credits same world language**; civics/CS/financial literacy proficiency; **FAFSA + resume**; **performance-based diploma assessment**. Seat-time eliminated. RIDE-approved **Readiness Pathway** with parental consent.

### Proficiency-Based Graduation Requirements (Class of 2027 and prior)

Required under RI Secondary School Regulations (2016). Diplomas based on **demonstrated proficiency** in **six core content areas**: Math, ELA, Science, the Arts, Social Studies, Technology. RIDE + **Great Schools Partnership** co-developed model RI Proficiency Framework with content-area + cross-curricular Graduation Proficiencies.

### PrepareRI 2.0 — PreK-20 Strategic Plan

Adopted 2022 by RI Board of Education. Inter-agency: **RIDE + GWB + OPC**. **Nine priorities** incl. Employer Engagement, Diploma Plus, WBL, CTE, ILPs, Outcome-Focused Accountability, Equitable Pathways. PrepareRI Internship Program: **1,282+** paid summer placements via Skills for RI's Future.

### 240+ CTE Programs + 80-Hour WBL + 5 Rhode Island CTSOs

**240+ RIDE-approved CTE programs** free to all RI students. **~60% growth** since 2018-19; participants +70%; concentrators +62%. **\$2M+ CTE for All grants 2025; 25 new programs SY 2025-26**. All CTE students complete **min 80 hrs WBL**. **5 RI CTSOs**: RI DECA, FBLA, HOSA, SkillsUSA RI, RI FFA.

## HOW RENZULLI ASSESSES & DEVELOPS

**Each Vision attribute is a durable skill Renzulli measures and develops.** Critical Thinker → **Cebeci** + PBL. Collaborator → **Leadership Assessment** + group PBL. Creative Problem-Solver → **Cebeci** + Enrichment Database. Self-Motivated Learner → **Profiler** + **EFA** + **PSP**. Culturally + Globally Competent → **Profiler in 20+ languages**. Engaged Citizen → **Leadership Assessment**.

**Self-direction, EF, leadership, and collaboration** drive ILP completion. **Profiler** in 20+ languages surfaces interests for ILP career exploration. **PSP** generates summaries mapped to all three ILP domains. **EFA** develops persistence. **PBL** produces career-exploration artifacts.

**All seven durable skills** drive RBGR success. **EFA** develops persistence behind the AGA + advanced math sequence. **Cebeci Test of Creativity** + **PBL** produce performance-based diploma assessment evidence. **40,000+ Enrichment Database** supports civics, CS, and financial literacy proficiency. **PSP** documents progression.

**All seven durable skills** map to PBGR content areas. **Renzulli's four assessments** produce comparable evidence across all six PBGR content areas. **PBL** generates capstone artifacts as PBGR evidence. **PSP** documents progression. **40,000+ Enrichment Database** covers all six PBGR content areas.

**All seven durable skills** drive PrepareRI success. **Profiler** anchors career exploration. **PSP** documents progression in ILP's three domains. **PBL** produces evidence for Diploma Plus and WBL priorities. **Leadership Assessment** supports the Internship Program. **EFA** develops persistence.

**All seven durable skills** drive CTE success. **EFA** develops concentrator persistence. **Cebeci** measures capstone creativity. **Leadership Assessment** supports CTSO + WBL placement. **PBL** generates 80-hour WBL artifacts. **PSP** documents CTE concentrator status for Perkins V reporting.

## KEY TAKEAWAY

Rhode Island's career readiness framework names the seven durable skills across the **Vision for a Rhode Island Graduate** (6 attributes), the **ILP** (grades 6-12), **Readiness-Based Graduation Requirements** (class of 2028+), **PBGRs**, **PrepareRI 2.0**, **240+ CTE programs** with the **80-hour Work-Based Learning** minimum, the **Advanced Coursework Framework**, and **5 RI CTSOs**. **Renzulli Learning is the K-12 platform that both measures and develops them**. RI districts get one exportable durable-skills evidence layer for Vision documentation, ILP quarterly reporting, performance-based diploma assessments, and CTE concentrator status.

### WANT THE FULL DETAILS?

Visit the complete Rhode Island Durable Skills & Career Readiness alignment page for the full crosswalk to the Vision for a RI Graduate, ILP, RBGR, PBGRs, PrepareRI 2.0, 240+ CTE programs, the Advanced Coursework Framework, and 5 RI CTSOs.

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### CUSTOM ALIGNMENTS AVAILABLE

Need a custom durable-skills alignment for your RI district's Vision documentation, ILP scaling, RBGR class-of-2028 transition, performance-based diploma assessment evidence, or CTE concentrator support?

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## REFERENCES AND SOURCES REVIEWED

• **RIDE**; **Vision for a RI Graduate**; **RBGR** (unanimous Nov 15, 2022; class of 2028+); **PBGRs** (class of 2027 and prior); **Great Schools Partnership**; **PrepareRI 2.0** (2022); **ILP** (grades 6-12); **2025 RI Framework for PreK-12 School Counseling**; **Advanced Coursework Framework**; **240+ CTE**; **CTE for All**; **Perkins V**; **5 RI CTSOs** (Rhode Island DECA, FBLA, HOSA, SkillsUSA RI, RI FFA); **XQ Institute + RI** (first state-level partner)