



# LAKE COUNTRY CLASSICAL ACADEMY

## PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE

The mission of Lake Country Classical Academy is to train the minds and improve the hearts of young people through a content-rich, classical education in the liberal arts and sciences, with instruction in the principles of moral character and civic virtue.

Founded on and guided by this mission, we desire that our students develop in character and intellect throughout their education. While we cannot guarantee outcomes, it is essential to “begin with the end in mind” and outline the personal achievements and character desired for our graduates.

The LCCA graduate has a deep knowledge of the Hillsdale College K-12 classical curriculum and makes connections between academic disciplines. He appreciates the classics and sees value in the enduring truths gained through history and literature. He demonstrates mastery of the English language and substantial knowledge of Latin. He sees truth and beauty in the sciences and mathematics.

He models the virtues of respect and honesty through his speech and action. He demonstrates wisdom in daily life and embodies courage and responsibility. The graduate is independent, self-disciplined, and motivated. He perseveres through challenges and strives for excellence. He has developed curiosity and a desire to pursue learning as a lifelong endeavor. He cherishes deep friendships and serves others joyfully. The graduate is prepared for leadership. He recognizes and values freedom and contributes as a responsible and constructive citizen invested in the local community. He has the ability to contemplate and respond to meaningful questions about humanity.

The LCCA graduate embodies strong morals and pursues that which is good, true, and beautiful.