

Workplace Readiness Skills for the Commonwealth Grades 9 – 10 School

Personal Qualities and People Skills

5. **Diversity Awareness:** Works well with all customers and coworkers

Objective: Student will work with men and women from diverse backgrounds.

Activities:

1. Group students randomly (heterogeneous grouping) to work on projects or in class assignments.
2. Identify differences and similarities among peers physically and culturally.
3. Recognize holidays and significant dates of students from other cultural or religious backgrounds.

Objective: The student will work well with all classmates, customers and co-workers.

Activities:

1. Have the student complete a project in which they must report on a culture that is different from their own sharing similarities and differences (e.g. Hispanic, Asian, etc.).
2. Discuss how one's personal experiences affect their opinions of others and why they should treat everyone equally.