

Global Leader Award



The **FTIS Global Leader Award** is given monthly, at the Board of Education meeting, to individuals who exemplify *one or more of the five Portrait of a Graduate competencies of the Fort Thomas Independent School System*. This could take the form of modeling the competency themselves or providing experiences for others to build the competency.

The five competencies are:

- **Empathetic Collaborator**
- **Curious Critical Thinker**
- **Creative Problem-Solver**
- **Global Communicator**
- **Courageous Leader**

Any individual associated with Fort Thomas Independent Schools is eligible for the award- teachers, staff, students, administrators, coaches, volunteers, community members, etc. To nominate someone for the award, please provide a narrative describing your nominee's characteristics and activities which make them a *FTIS Global Leader* candidate, being specific about the competency for which you are nominating the individual.

Please forward nomination to Sally Race, Administrative Assistant for Teaching and Learning, at sally.race@fortthomas.kyschools.us for committee review.

Brief descriptions:

- **Courageous Leader**
 - hope, wellbeing, leadership, perseverance, future-focused, strengths-based learner support
- **Empathetic Collaborator**
 - compassion, empathy, cultural awareness, collaboration, inclusion, connectedness
- **Global Communicator**
 - oral/ written/interpersonal/ digital communication
- **Curious and Critical Thinker**
 - synthesis, discernment, application, inquiry, reflection
- **Creative Problem-Solver**
 - entrepreneurship, creativity and innovation