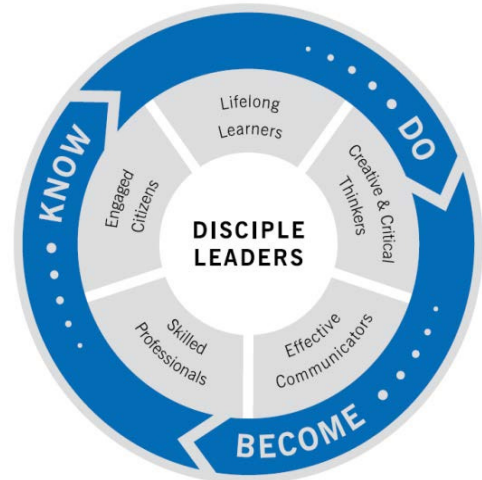


University Outcomes

University-level outcomes (which are listed below) were developed by synthesizing common outcomes from academic programs across the university. The outcomes emphasize the importance of *becoming*, and highlight the fact that each outcome has increasing levels of development, from knowledge to skill to character.

The purpose of a BYU-Idaho education is to help students to become

1. *Disciple leaders*
2. *Lifelong learners*
3. *Creative and critical thinkers*
4. *Effective communicators*
5. *Skilled professionals*
6. *Engaged citizens*



The intent of each outcome is clarified below:

Students become **disciple leaders** as they

- *Understand and commit to live the principles of the restored Gospel of Jesus Christ*
- *Demonstrate leadership skills and the ability to cooperate with others*

Students become **lifelong learners** as they

- *Locate, evaluate, and appropriately use needed information*
- *Master strategies to continually gain and apply knowledge and skills in new situations*

Students become **creative and critical thinkers** as they

- *Apply reflective reasoning, logic and quantitative analysis to new ideas, opinions, and situations*
- *Analyze problems and challenges from fresh perspectives that offer innovative solutions.*

Students become **effective communicators** as they

- *Present ideas and arguments clearly through oral, written, and visual form*
- *Listen, understand, and effectively engage others in varied settings*

Students become **skilled professionals** as they

- *Develop deep learning in a discipline and broad skills leading to self-reliance*
- *Develop professional and ethical values and practices*

Students become **engaged citizens** as they

- *Fulfill family, religious, and civic responsibilities*
- *Develop empathy for their fellowmen and understanding of world religion, culture, history, literature, science, and the arts*