Preparing the Class of 2030
New research offers insight on the future of learning

The study incorporated:
3,500 surveys and focus groups
2,000 and 2,000 teachers
Input from
70 global thought leaders
Analysis of
150 pieces of previous research

Soft skills come into sharp focus.
One of the biggest barriers to success is the significant future demand for soft skills. America’s current education system is focused on a single solution: academic achievement in a homogenous environment and demographics.

Impact on career success:
Soft skills in job graduates require soft skills.

Better Than 98%
Students want personalization not automation.
Personalization among the most effective ways to accelerate academic and career success. In-depth, personalized and relevant education can make all the difference.

Impact on academic performance:
Students receive personalized instruction better than 99% of traditionally taught systems.

Moving beyond 21st century learning.
Students place great emphasis on the importance of creative, social, emotional, and technological skills. Non-soft skills (math, science, and writing) also carry a much higher weight.

Impact on job readiness:
Only 4% of employers believe new graduates are prepared for the workplace, especially with social and emotional skills.

Impact on teaching:
Up to 59% of surveyed teachers say they have strong, meaningful connections with their students, but as few as 34% of students agree.

The role of the teachers is amplified.
Students recognize the importance of a teacher’s role and emphasize the importance of a teacher’s impact.

Impact on leadership:
Students get to see leadership from 36% more time back with the school administrator.

Technology creates opportunity.
Personalized, adaptive, and curriculum-based learning experiences could increase engagement and improve student outcomes across all demographics.

Impact on learning:
High schools are more effective back with the technology.

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* I never knew I could learn how to be greener.

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