

## **General Education Badging Update**

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# General Education Digital Badge





### House Bill 1507 (2021)

- Public postsecondary institutions must award students digital badge
- Awarded for completing general education core courses that demonstrate career readiness
- Implementation for first-year students the 2022-2023 academic year

## Career Readiness Skills & Learning Outcomes



### **Career Readiness Skills**





# Written Communication Skills

e.g., comprehends & conveys written material



Fundamental Written Communication



### **Critical Thinking Skills**

e.g., conducts research, solves problems, reasons



Quantitative & Scientific Reasoning



#### **Information Use**

e.g., locates, organizes, & uses



Information Literacy

## **Guiding Principles**



Translate what students learned in general education courses to knowledge, skills & abilities that employers require

### Principle 1

Academic instruction results in skills that students need to be prepared for their careers

### Principle 2

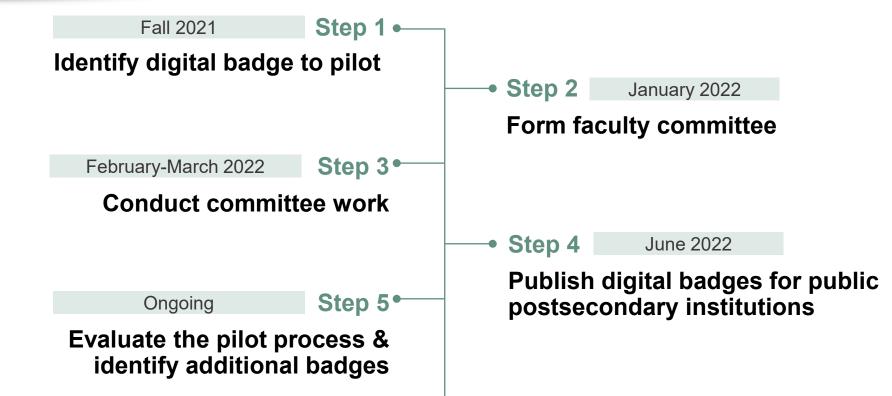
Faculty drive the process of identifying the competencies that demonstrate career readiness skills

### Principle 3

Students should be able to easily access information about their education & training

# **Digital Badging Process**







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