

ATL Behavioral Skills Presentation

Choose five skills and show why they matter, what they look like, and how students can develop them.

What to include

- Choose 1 Social, 1 Emotional, 1 Personal, 1 Work, and 1 Character skill.
- Choose skills your group believes are especially important for student success. Get instructor approval. All groups must select different skills.
- For each: define it, explain why it matters, give a realistic example, and explain how a student can develop it.
- Choose the MOST important of your five. Support your claim with evidence and reasoning.
- Connect at least one skill to managing time, attention, distractions, or digital habits.
- Individual reflection: Which skill do you most need to strengthen? Name one action you can take this week.

Presentation rules

- Keep slides simple: 3-4 bullets, 3-4 words each.
- Use reliable sources and include a citation slide.
- Do not read from slides or paper.
- Explain ideas in your own words and use specific examples.
- Every group member should contribute meaningfully.
- Don't just name a good quality; show what it looks like for a student.
- Google is not a source. AI is not evidence.

Rubric

Criteria 1-5	Excellent = 10	Criteria 6-10	Excellent = 10
ATL Connection & Introduction	Clear ATL/student-success purpose.	Strategies for Growth	Specific, realistic, actionable ways to improve.
Selection & Relevance	5 approved, non-repeated skills; choices are relevant.	Organization & Collaboration	Clear flow; prepared; shared responsibility.
Understanding of Skills	Accurate definitions/explanations in own words.	Visual Design & Mechanics	Readable, concise slides; reliable sources cited.
Analysis & Reasoning	Explains why skills matter; supports most-important claim.	Presentation Skills	Clear, confident delivery; explains rather than reads.
Real-Life Application	Specific, realistic examples.	Reflection & Self-Management	Personal next step + time/attention/digital-habits connection.

Scoring: Excellent 10 | Good 8 | Fair 6 | Not Yet 4 Total: ____ /100 Late: -10 pts.

Group: _____

Presentation Date: _____

BEHAVIOR SKILL CHOICES

Choose one approved characteristic from each required category.

Personal

Accountability
Calculated Risk-Taking
Problem Solving
Productivity Skills
Decision Making
Focus
Self-Awareness
Self-Confidence
Goal Setting
Habit Formation

Self-Control
Self-Determination
Initiative
Intuition
Self-Discipline
Self-Efficacy
Learning Agility
Learning From Failure
Self-Evaluation
Self-Expression

Personal Resilience
Positive Mindset
Self-Improvement
Self-Motivation
Study Skills
Taking Responsibility
Time Management
Visioning
Self-Reflection
Self-Restraint

Work

Accountability
Being Reliable
Negotiation
Organization
Collaboration
Conflict Resolution
Persuasion
Planning
Consensus Building
Continuous Learning
Pragmatism

Prioritization
Creative Problem Solving
Decision Making
Professionalism
Resilience Under Stress
Delivering to Commitments
Establishing Credibility
Self-Presentation
Setting Expectations
Ethical Judgment
Focus

Strategic Thinking
Tactfulness
Influencing
Initiative
Taking Ownership
Time Prioritization
Leadership
Navigating Office Politics
Work Ethic

Character Traits

Adaptability
Assertiveness
Flexibility
Generosity
Calmness
Curiosity
Grit
Kindness
Dependability
Diligence

Mental Toughness
Openness
Enthusiasm
Fairness
Perseverance
Persistence
Resourcefulness
Selflessness
Sense of Gratitude
Trustworthiness

