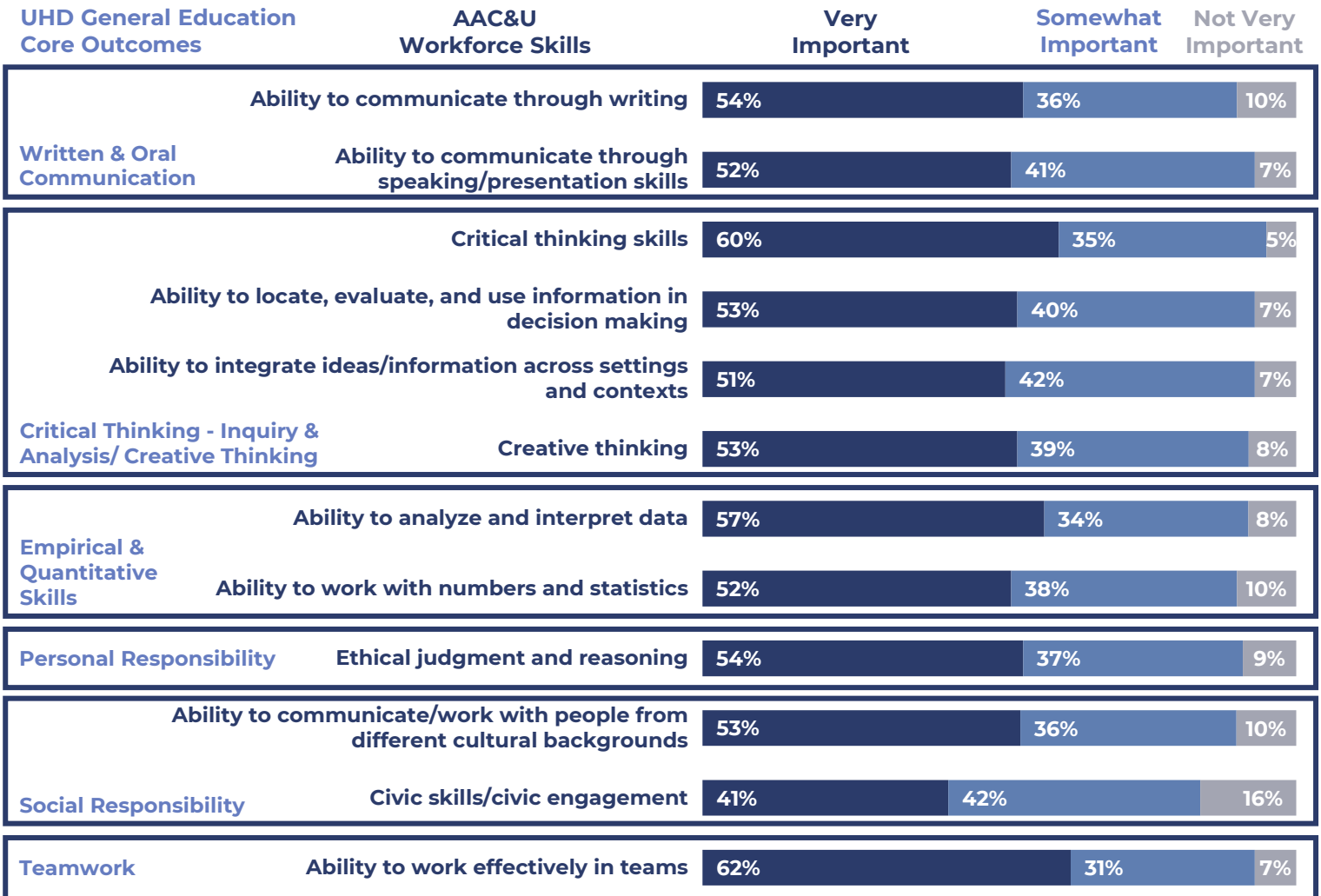


# UHD Common Core Learning Outcomes align with employer expectations

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In 2020, AAC&U asked executives and hiring managers (n = 496) from a wide variety of industries to rank the skills they felt were most important for college graduates to have. The chart below shows how employers ranked those skills and how they align with UHD's General Education Common Core Learning Outcomes. The largest percentage of employers ranked **teamwork** (62%) as very important, followed by **critical thinking** (60%). The full AAC&U report can be read [here](#).



## Where are the Common Core Learning Outcomes emphasized?

Communication	Critical Thinking	Empirical & Quantitative Skills
Communication English 1301/1302 Mathematics Language, Philosophy, & Culture Creative Arts American History	Creative Arts American History Social & Behavioral Sciences	Mathematics Life & Physical Sciences
Personal Responsibility	Social Responsibility	Teamwork
English 1301/1302 Language, Philosophy, & Culture	Government/Political Science Social & Behavioral Sciences	Communication Life & Physical Sciences

The complete list of Common Core courses can be found [here](#).

## Other skills desired by employers

Application of knowledge/skills in real-world settings

Digital literacy

Ability to demonstrate complex problem-solving skills