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## What are expert learners?

In a UDL context, expert learners are:

- ✓ **purposeful and motivated** (they can manage themselves when they get stuck, collaborate with others, focus on a task, are resilient)
- ✓ **resourceful and knowledgeable** (they can find and curate information, connect ideas to create new understandings, transfer understandings across contexts)
- ✓ **strategic and goal-directed** (they can break-down a task, manage deadlines, organise resources, communicate thinking).

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