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What does school look like 5 years, 10 years, 15 years from now? What does education look like? And it may look very, very different than how it looks today. It's not just about sitting in class and listening to a teacher. It's about demonstrating an ability to master a set of skills. And that might be learned sitting in front of a teacher and learning from them. It might be learned working in a computer. It might be learned playing your cell phone in your own time at 9 o'clock at night. I think the ability to think critically, and to express your ideas verbally and on paper is very important. The ability to interact with other people and to work in a diverse community, I think is very, very important. The ability to network, the ability to be a continuous learner and to continue to develop your own skills. So, I think there are a set of things we want students to be able to do, but to think, to learn, to create, to create your own knowledge is hugely important. It's not just about memorizing facts; it's about how you continue to learn, how you continue to increase your knowledge of areas that are of huge interest to you, and how do you interact with other people and how do you communicate your ideas to others as well effectively.