

# Uniquely Human Skills in the Workplace

These are the top five skills today's employers are looking for in job candidates:



**Learning Skills**



**Attention to Detail and Attentiveness**



**Effective Communication**



**Critical Thinking**



**Interpersonal skills and active learning/learning new skills**

But employers are having trouble filling positions:

**73%**  
of employers said it was very or somewhat difficult finding qualified candidates



**34%**  
of employers said schools have not properly prepared students for jobs

For more information on the survey, visit [Today's Learner](#).

**Employer Survey:** Conducted fall of 2018 in partnership with Morning Consult, among 652 managers and HR decision-makers. The survey has a margin of error of plus or minus 4 percentage points.

**Student Survey:** Conducted fall of 2018 in partnership with Morning Consult, among 1564 Students. The survey has a margin of error of plus or minus 2 percentage points.