What is "IT" in the Classroom?

When students are highly engaged in their learning, what does it sound like? When students are enthusiastic about their learning, what does it look like? What student behaviors and mindsets will ensure that they will exit our system with the same passion for and joy in learning they had when they entered, without economics determining success? In short, what is “It”?

Student Learning Behaviors

As a student I will own my learning when I consistently...

Explore Learning Targets...
by knowing what I need to learn, finding meaning and making connections in my learning.

Assess for Learning...
by determining my progress toward achieving the learning target.

Plan for Intervention and/or Challenge...
by seeking support when I'm struggling and discovering ways to remain challenged in my learning.

Use Learning Strategies...
by applying a variety of strategies and tools to help me learn.

Collaborate and Engage...
by interacting with other students and remaining actively engaged in my learning.

Analyze Data and Set Goals...
by creating learning goals and tracking my progress on an ongoing basis.

Show Evidence of Learning...
by determining how to demonstrate my learning.