Connections between Core and Curricular Competencies BC Grades 10-12 Mathematics

Core Competencies	Curricular Competencies
Communication	Communicating and Representing
Communicating • connect and engage with others • focus on intent and purpose • acquire and present information	 Explain and justify mathematical ideas and decisions in many ways Represent mathematical ideas in concrete, pictorial, and symbolic forms Use mathematical vocabulary and language to contribute to discussions in the classroom Take risks when offering ideas in classroom discourse
 Collaborating work collectively support group interactions determine common purposes 	
Thinking Creative Thinking create and innovate generate and incubate evaluate and develop	 Understanding and Solving Develop, demonstrate, and apply conceptual understanding of mathematical ideas through play, story, inquiry, and problem solving Visualize to explore and illustrate mathematical concepts and relationships Apply flexible and strategic approaches to solve problems
Critical & Reflective Thinking • analyze and critique • question and investigate • design and develop • reflect and assess	 Reasoning and Modelling Develop thinking strategies to solve puzzles and play games Explore, analyze, and apply mathematical ideas using reason, technology, and other tools Estimate reasonably and demonstrate fluent, flexible and strategic thinking about number Model with mathematics in situational contexts Think creatively and with curiosity and wonder when exploring problems
Personal and Social Positive Personal & Cultural Identity • relationships and cultural contexts • personal values and choices • personal strengths and abilities	• Solve problems with persistence and a positive disposition • Engage in problem-solving experiences that are connected to place, story, cultural practices, and perspectives relevant to local First Peoples communities, the local community, and other cultures
Personal Awareness & Responsibility	 Connecting and Reflecting Reflect on mathematical thinking Connect mathematical concepts with each other, with other areas and with personal interests Use mistakes as opportunities to advance learning Incorporate First Peoples worldviews and perspectives to make connections to mathematical concepts

Note: Many of the curricular competencies are connected to more than one core competency and this table is just meant as a guide to support teachers in planning and assessment and to support students' connection-making as they learn to self-assess their development of the core competencies. This table may also be useful in supporting the development of a competency-based IEP.