

## Critical Characteristics of Mathematics Education

The following sections in this curriculum highlight some of the different facets for teachers to consider in the process of changing from covering to supporting students in discovering mathematical concepts. These facets include:

- organization of the outcomes into strands
- seven mathematical processes
- the difference between covering and discovering mathematics
- development of mathematical terminology
- First Nations and Métis learners and mathematics

critiqueing statements
continuum of understanding from concrete to abstract
modelling and making connections

role of homework

importance of ongoing feedback and reflection.

Communication, Making Connections, Visualizing, Representing, Reasoning and Proof, and using Technology

Providing students with opportunity to construct meaning, find patterns and relationships, rather than teaching "rules" and "procedure"

Explicitly teaching generative Vocabulary

CRA Continuum https://christtheteacher.ca/ctt/cttcs mathhub/cttcs-math-pathway/

See Saskmath.ca

Formative Assessments that include specific non-graded feedback Effect size = 0.75