

# KEY COMPETENCIES IN SENIOR CYCLE

- develop and use a range of thinking strategies, values and dispositions to develop and respond critically to questions and tasks and to solve problems.
- identify problems, come up with potential solutions and make informed decisions.
- apply critical thinking in both familiar and new situations.

## Thinking and solving problems

- develop strategies, values and dispositions which support their learning and their future life path.
- manage their own learning, with support from their teachers, other adults, their peers and technology.

## Managing learning and self

- cultivate the wellbeing of self and others.
- develop values and dispositions which support wellbeing and the capacity to cope with and respond to challenges.

## Cultivating wellbeing

- develop values and dispositions which support meaningful participation.
- participate meaningfully in their schools, communities, and wider society.

## Participating in society

- be creative and develop a range of strategies and processes which support their creativity.
- develop values and dispositions which nurture their creativity.

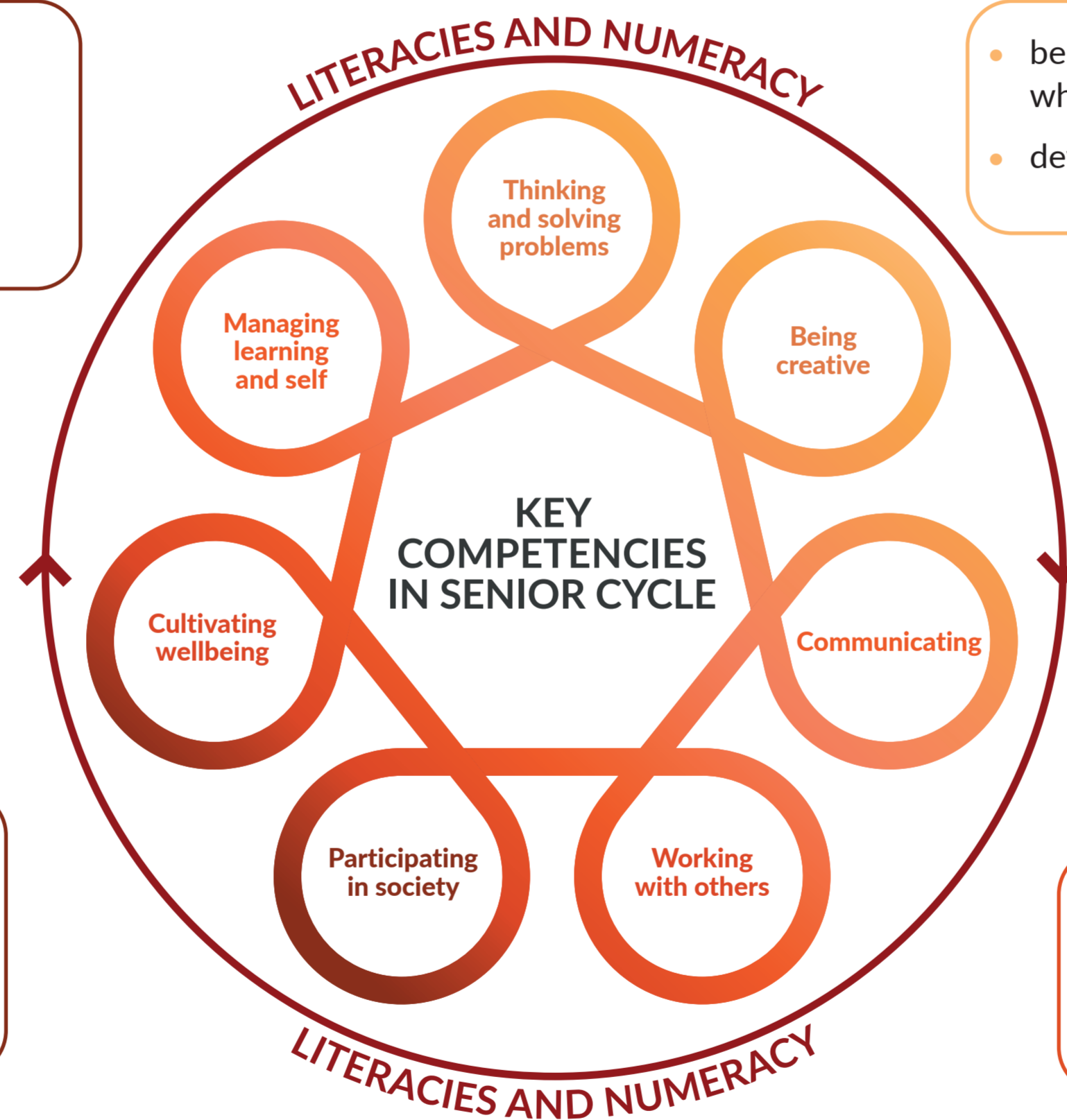
## Being creative

- deepen their understanding of various forms of communication and of the material they are studying.
- communicate meaningfully and effectively, using various tools and formats, for different purposes and audiences.
- develop habits and nurture dispositions which help them to communicate meaningfully and effectively.

## Communicating

- work co-operatively in pairs, groups and teams.
- develop strategies, values and dispositions which make working with others more meaningful.

## Working with others



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