

# The Core Competencies are:

★ skills (*stuff you can do*)



★ knowledge (*stuff you know*)



★ and strategies (*actions and plans you use*)



▶ to work and play by yourself and with others, manage your emotions, and make good decisions.

You will use the Core Competencies a lot when you are **doing** a lot of different things **while you learn & play**.

You **might not even realize** you're using a **competency** sometimes!

You'll **learn** how to **think about your learning**, and **notice** and **name** the Core Competencies as you grow.

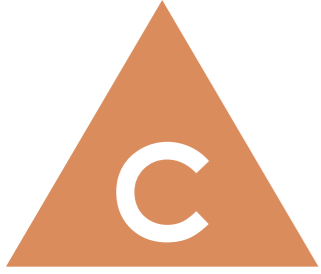


# Core Competencies

The Core Competencies are important for all kids to know and use, in every grade at school; to help you learn a lot and for learning to be fun and engaging.

These competencies will help you enjoy learning and playing - by yourself, and with others - for your whole life!





# Communication Competency

helps us to:

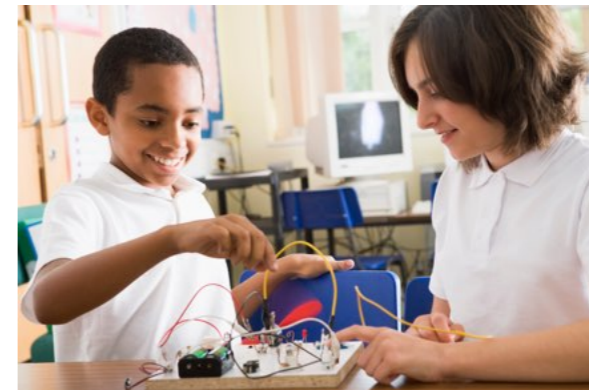
- ▶ get information and ideas from various places  
(teachers, friends, books, online)

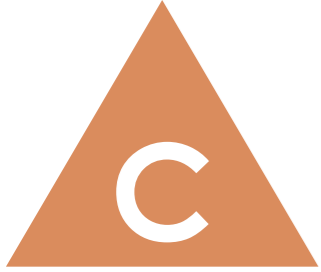


- ▶ give information to different people in different ways  
(sharing, reflecting, presenting)

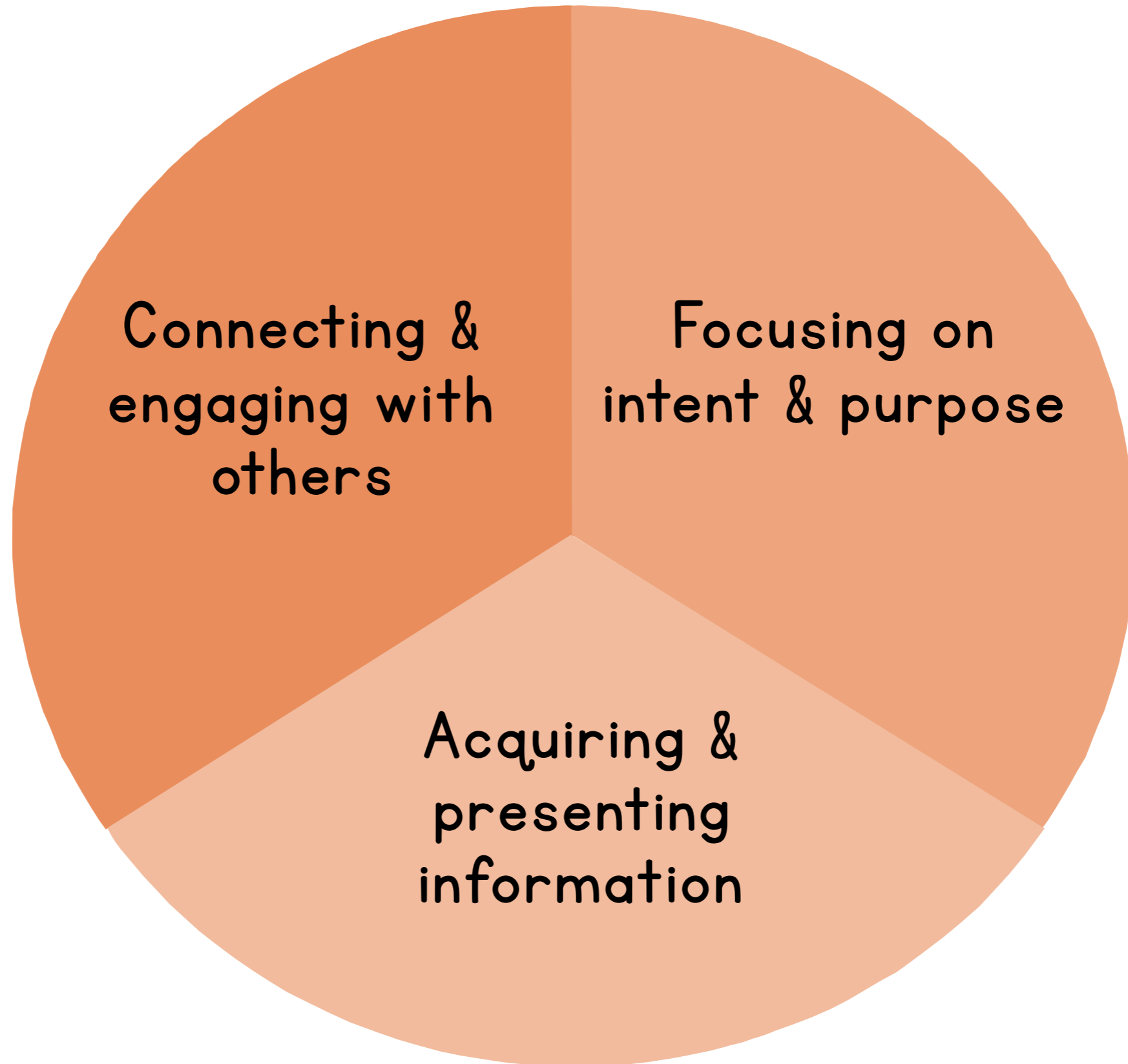


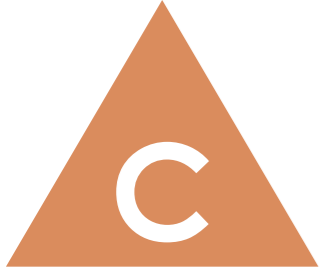
- ▶ and work collaboratively  
(working together, working cooperatively, in groups)



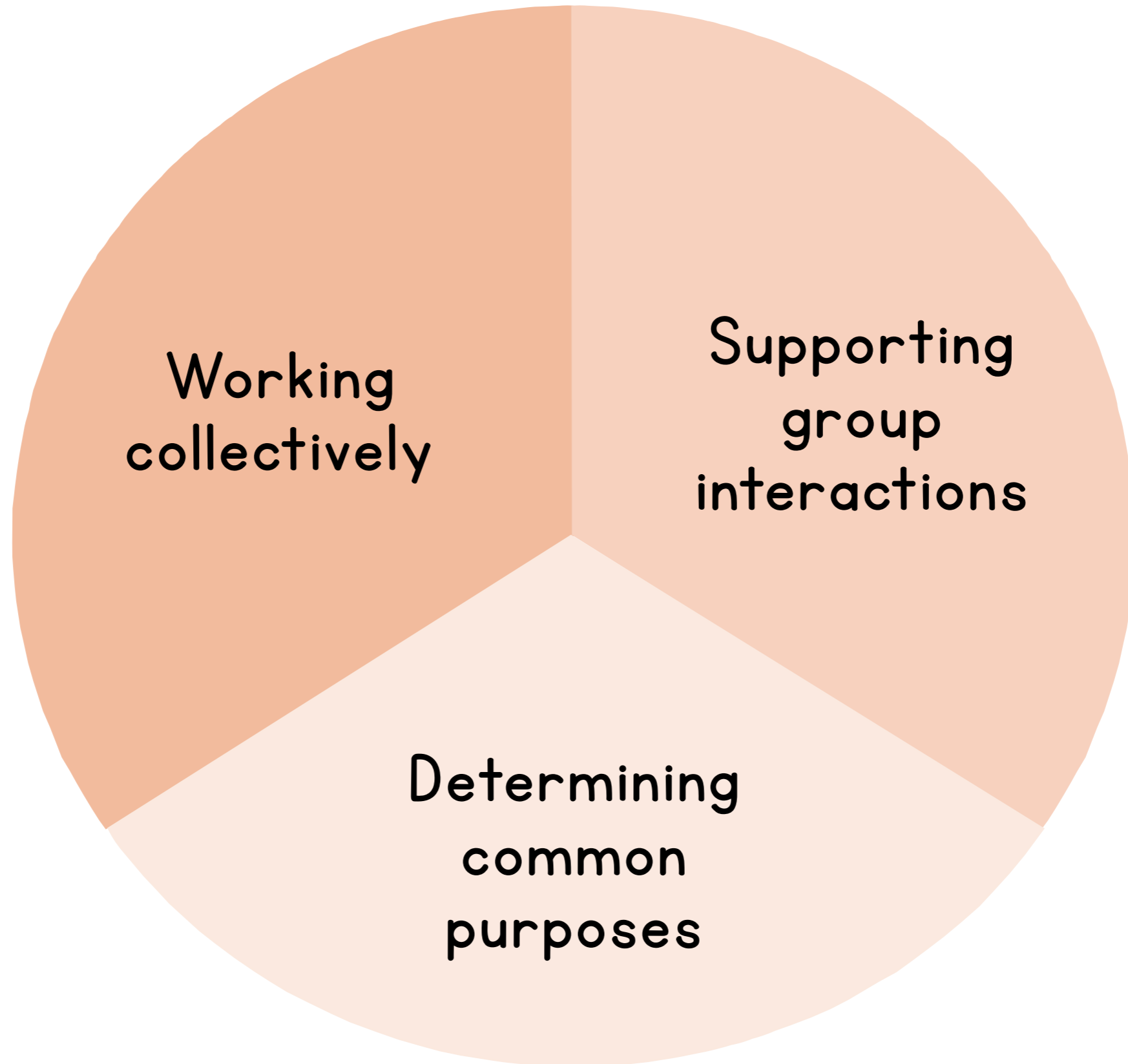


# Communicating

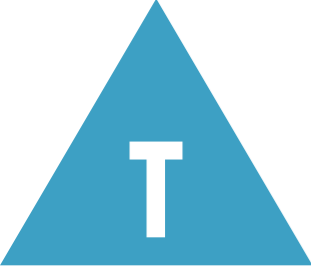




# Collaborating







# Thinking Competency

helps us to:

- ▶ work on how we think and how we learn



- ▶ work on how we come up with ideas and what we do with our ideas  
(*on our own, or in a group*)

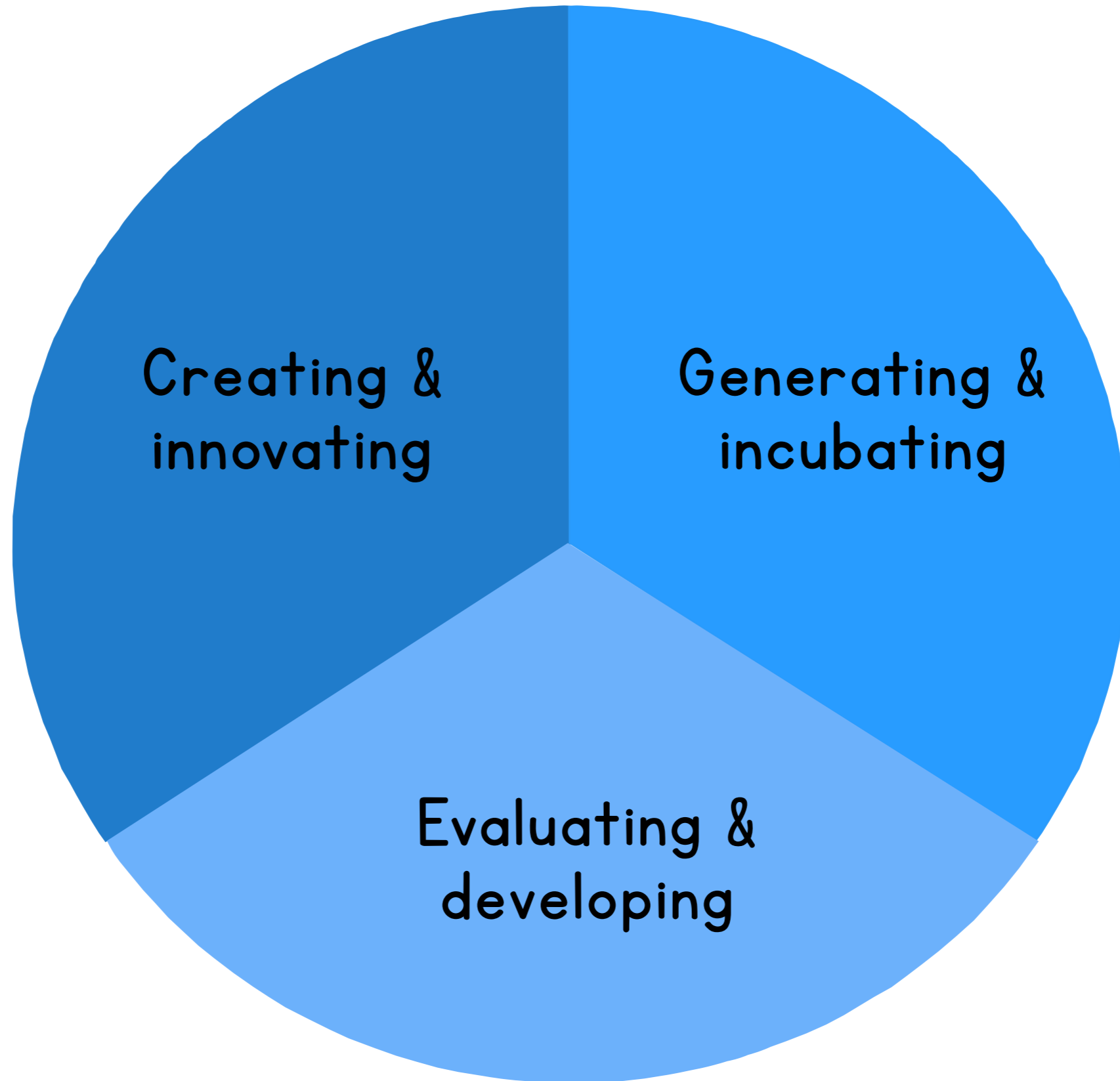


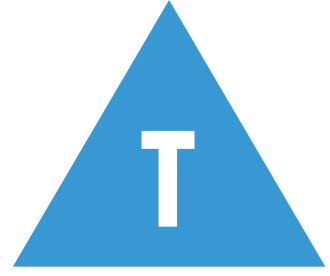
Thinking about thinking (*metacognition*), thinking skills, and habits you form when you encounter a problem, these are all part of the Thinking Competency.



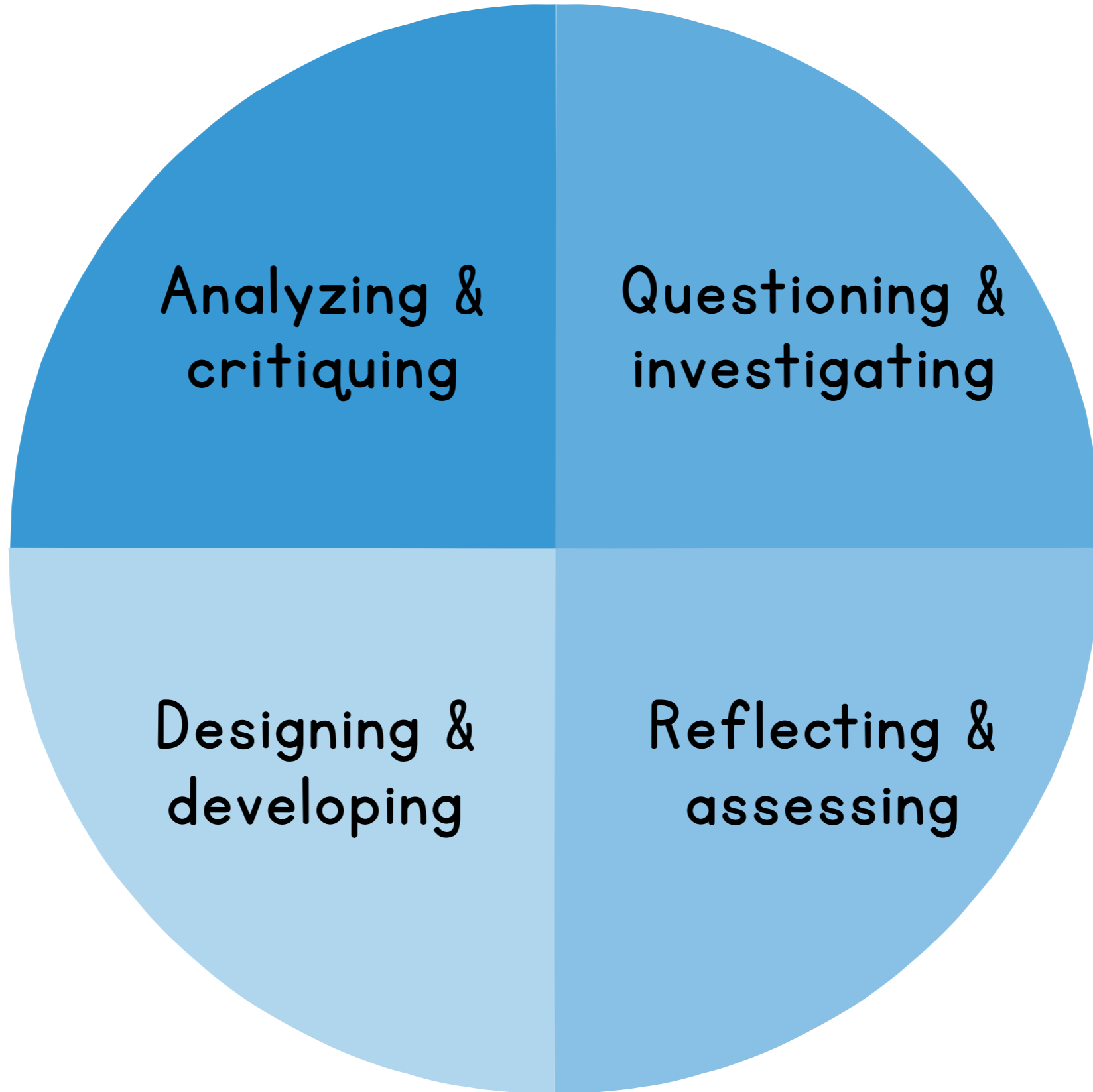
# Creative Thinking

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# Critical and Reflective Thinking





# Personal and Social Competency

is about:

## how you think about yourself

- ▶ how you think, reflect, plan about how you learn
- ▶ how you behave
- ▶ how you control your emotions
- ▶ how you take care of yourself
- ▶ where you come from.  
(*your heritage or culture*)
- ▶ how you contribute to your school and your community



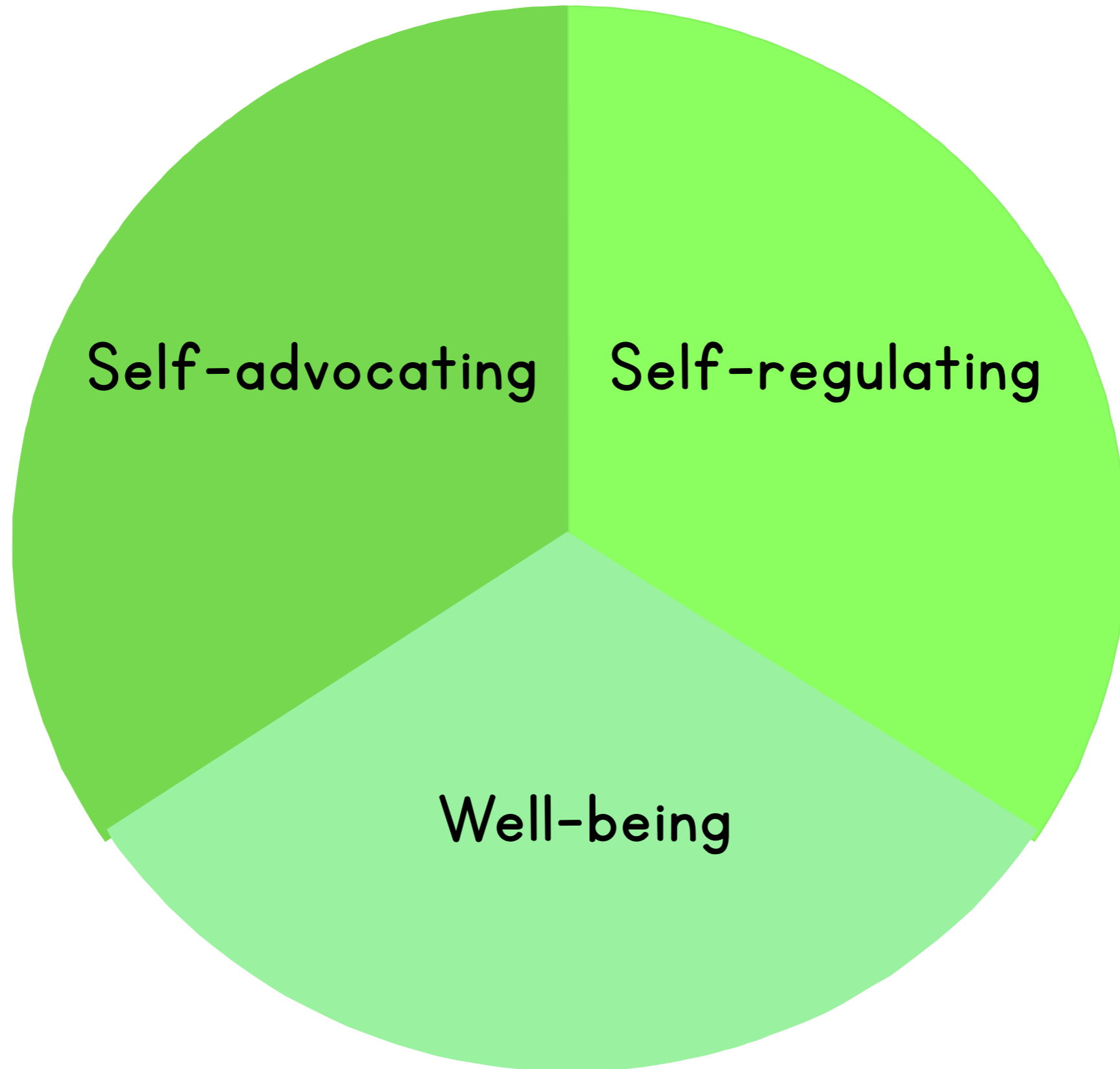
## how you think about and connect to other people

- ▶ how you think, reflect, and plan about how you work in a group
- ▶ how you collaborate with others
- ▶ how you work through problems and work to create solutions with others



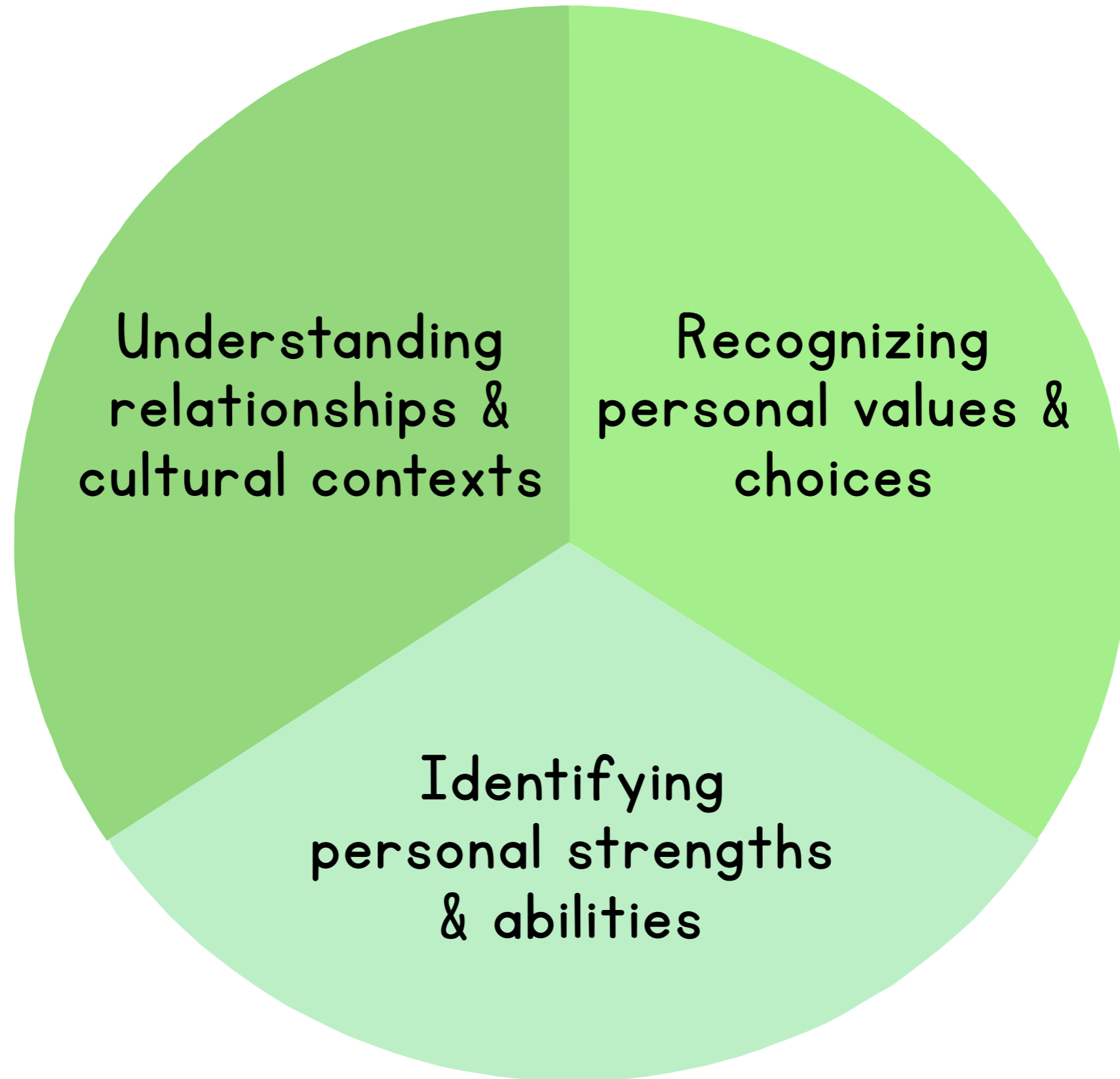
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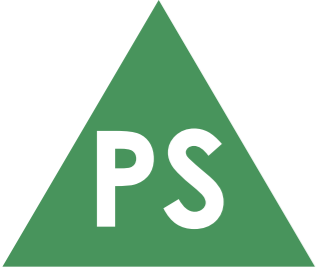
# Personal Awareness and Responsibility



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# Positive Personal and Cultural Identity





# Social Awareness and Responsibility

