Unit 1: Convergent/Deductive Thinking

Content Area: Enrichment
Course(s): Enrichment 1
Time Period: Marking Period 2

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Essential Questions

• How does convergent/deductive thinking strategies help to solve problems?

Big Ideas

- Problem solving using convergent/deductive thinking. (Find the clues, reread the clues, take time and reflect, organize and put the clues together, then determine the answer)
- 1. Mystery Creatures.
- 2. Who is Mary?
- 3. Which Dog Belongs to Mary?
- 4. Color the Flowers.

Enduring Understandings

- SL1.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about grade 1 topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- SL1.4 Describe people, places, things, and events with relevant details, expressing ideas and feelings clearly.
- SL1.5 Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions when appropriate to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.

Resources

• Primary Education Thinking Skills, by Jody Nichols, Sally Thomson, Margaret Wolfe, Dodie Merritt