

# Unit 1: Convergent Thinking

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## Essential Questions

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- How does convergent thinking strategies help to solve problems?
- How does convergent thinking strategies help to solve matrix logic puzzles?

## Big Ideas

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- Problem solving using convergent thinking. (Find the clues, reread the clues, take time and reflect, organize and put clues together, then determine the answer)
1. Favorite Games
  2. Picnic in Crystal Pond Woods
  3. Party Clean-Up
  4. Jordan's Luncheon Tables

## Enduring Understandings

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SL2.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *grade 2 topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.

SL2.4 Tell a story or recount an experience with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking audibly in coherent sentences.

SL2.5 Create audio recordings of stories or poems; add drawings or other visual displays to stories or recounts of experiences when appropriate to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.

## Resources

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

