



GRADE 4/5:

CURRICULAR	GRADE 4 BIG IDEA	GRADE 5 BIG IDEA	CONCEPTS
AREA			
	Fractions and decimals are types of	Numbers describe quantities	Quantity
	numbers that can represent	that can be represented by	Equivalence/Balance
	quantities.	equivalent fractions.	Number
			Relationship
	Development of computational	Computational fluency and	Quantity
	fluency and multiplicative thinking	flexibility with numbers extend	Number
	requires analysis of patterns and	to operations with larger	Relationship
	relations in multiplication and	(multi-digit) numbers.	Fluency
	division.		Pattern
			Change
NUMERACY			Equivalence
	Regular changes in patterns can be	Identified regularities in	Pattern
	identified and represented using tools	number patterns can be	Change
	and tables.	expressed in tables.	Organization
			Repetition
	Polygons are closed shapes with	Closed shapes have area and	Shape
	similar attributes that can be	perimeter that can be	Space
	described, measured, and compared.	described, measured, and compared.	Relationship
	Analyzing and interpreting	Data represented in graphs can	Logic
	experiments in data probability	be used to show many-to-one	Causation
	develops an understanding of chance.	correspondence.	Relationship
			Organization

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Science	All living things sense and respond to their environment.	Multicellular organisms have organ systems that enable them to survive and interact within their	Interaction Relationship Environment
Science	Energy can be transformed.	Machines are devices that transfer force and energy.	Energy Force Function
Science	Matter has mass, takes up space, and can change phase.	Earth materials change as they move through the rock cycle and can be used as natural resources.	Change Time Continuity

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	Interactions between First Peoples and Europeans lead to conflict and cooperation, which continues to shape Canada's identity.	Canada's policies and treatment of minority peoples have negative and positive legacies.	Interactions Identity Consequence
	The pursuit of valuable natural resources has played a key role in changing the land, people, and communities of Canada.	Natural resources continue to shape the economy and identity of different regions of Canada.	Change Evolution Identity
SOCIALS	Interactions between First Peoples and Europeans lead to conflict and cooperation, which continues to shape Canada's identity.	Immigration and multiculturalism continue to shape Canadian society and identity.	Diversity Culture Identity
	Demographic changes in North America created shifts in economic and political power.	Canadian institutions and government reflect the challenge of our regional diversity.	Identity Power Interaction
	British Columbia followed a unique path in becoming a part of Canada.	Canadian institutions and government reflect the challenge of our regional diversity.	ldentity Diversity