

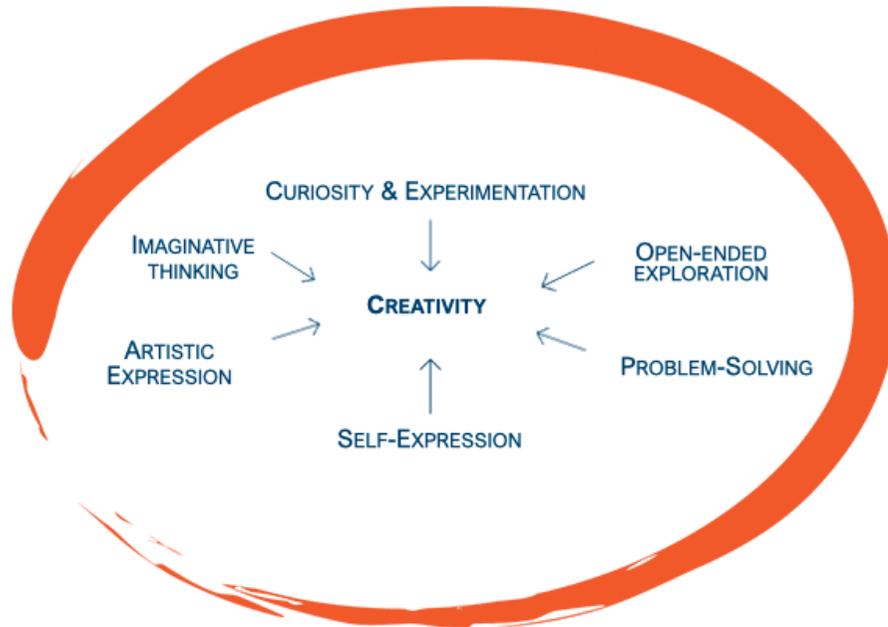


# Creativity

## Definition of the skill

Creativity is the capacity to reinterpret, combine, or expand upon existing conventions to generate ideas or approaches that are both novel and valuable. It involves combining existing knowledge, experiences, and perspectives in innovative ways to solve problems, create art, design products, or develop solutions. Creativity is often the result of collaboration, feedback, and iteration.

## Complexity of the skill



**Imaginative Thinking** – Children engage in role-playing, storytelling, creating stories, characters, and make-believe scenarios.

**Open-Ended Exploration** – Using materials in different ways (e.g., turning a box into a spaceship).

**Artistic Expression** – Drawing, painting, sculpting, and crafting allow children to visualize their ideas

**Problem-Solving** – Finding multiple solutions to a challenge.

**Self-Expression** – Drawing, dancing, acting, or verbalizing ideas in original ways.

**Curiosity & Experimentation** – Asking “What if?” and exploring possibilities without fear of mistakes.

