Standard Clarification for Early Childhood Mathematics

ECSQ.MathPractices.1.1

Standard MP.1.1		
Try to solve problems in their daily lives using mathematics (e.g., how many napkins are needed).		
Content: What do we want students to KNOW?	Skills: What do we want students to be able to DO?	
 problems in their daily lives – situations that arise in everyday life that require mathematics to solve mathematics – the study and application of math 	try to solve using mathematics – to attempt to figure out the answer using mathematical thinking (e.g., counting, adding, subtracting, predicting, estimating) identify – to tell or show	

Type of Target	Learning Targets: I Can Statements	DOK
K	I can identify a problem in my everyday life using mathematics.	1
R	I can identify that a problem requires a mathematical solution.	2
Р	I can try to solve problems in my daily life using mathematics.	2

Notes/Examples

TS Gold Connections:

- 20a Uses other concepts and operations: Counts (level 2+)
- 20b Uses other concepts and operations: Quantifies (level 2+)
- 21a Explores and describes spatial relationships and shares: Understand spatial relationships (level 6+)
- 21b Explores and describes spatial relationships and shares: Understands shapes (level 2+)
- 22 Compares and measures (level 2+)
- 23 Demonstrates knowledge of patterns (level 2+)

Resources Used

Michigan Department of Education (2013). *Early childhood standards of quality for prekindergarten.* Lansing, MI: Michigan Department of Education.