

## What are *Pedagogical Competencies*?

Pedagogical competencies refer to the ability to plan a learning program, relate Design Thinking (DT) activities to learning goals and possible school curricula subject, manage and guide the learning process, and perform an assessment.

### Guidelines on the *Pedagogical Competencies*

- Focus on teachers' content knowledge, e.g., understanding of the subject matter or discipline to teach.**
- Focus on teachers' teaching strategies and assessment practices, e.g., incorporating diverse teaching techniques to engage and support students.**
- Focus on teachers' technology integration skills, e.g., utilising digital tools, software, and platforms to support teaching, instruction, assessment and communication with students and other stakeholders.**
- Pay attention to and practice teachers' classroom management skills.**

Examples: This includes implementing strategies for behaviour and disciplinary management, fostering a respectful and safe classroom culture and promoting a sense of belonging for students.