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The NAP Mate<sup>®</sup> Fundamental Skills Stage III Compendium targets the essential **Literacy**, **Numeracy** and **Higher Order Thinking** skills for students in years 7, 8 and 9. The cards in the Compendium outline the 36 Fundamental Skills and 18 Higher Order Thinking Skills essential to students' learning. Each card contains engaging activities that clearly state the focus element (teaching element) and National Curriculum code that they are aligned to.

UNDAMENTAL SKILLS

## **Option 1**

Work through the cards in any order you desire or as directed by your teacher. As you complete each card, shade the required number on your *Personal Improvement Program (PIP) Card. Download your own checklist at:* 

www.mightyminds.com.au/assets/Uploads/Flyers/Fundamental-Skills-Checklist.pdf

## **Option 2** Complete the Mighty Minds online testing. Step 1 Free for up to 30 students per Compendium purchase. Select either the Group A or Group B series of online tests. GROUP (A): Reading Language Conventions 4 tests with comprehensive Calculator reporting and analysis Non-Calculator OR GROUP (B): Combined Reading/Language Conventions Combined Calculator/Non-Calculator 2 tests with comprehensive reporting and analysis Mighty Minds analyses each student/class/cohort test result to produce: Step 2 1. Personal Improvement Plan (PIP) for each student. This clearly indicates to the student the Fundamental Skills they should concentrate their initial efforts on. 2. Class Improvement Plan (CIP) based on an analysis of the results from each class. Each teacher is given clear information relating to the Fundamental Skills their teaching should be focusing on. 3. Head Of Department Improvement Plan (HIP) We identify the areas within the cohort/subject which require greater attention.

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