

# Framework for the Evaluation of Learning

## Work-Oriented Training Path

### Prewrite Training

#### Physical Education and Health

#### Secondary School Cycle Two

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## INTRODUCTION

Following the announcement of new orientations regarding the evaluation of student learning by the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports, the *Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education* has been amended to require that, as of July 1, 2011, evaluation be based on the *Framework for the Evaluation of Learning* produced for each program. The annual Directives specify that the evaluation of learning acquired within the context of Prework Training must also be based on the framework produced for each program. These frameworks provide guidelines for the evaluation of learning specific to each subject in the Québec Education Program in order to determine students' results, which will be communicated in the provincial report card.

### **The role of knowledge in evaluation**

Knowledge is at the heart of student learning, since it provides the foundation for all school subjects. Knowledge gives students the means to reflect and to understand the world around them, and its acquisition is the first step in any learning process. Through the knowledge they acquire and through the connections they are able to make among different items of knowledge, students can develop an understanding of simple and complex concepts. In Prework Training, each program sets out the knowledge that teachers must choose from with a view to helping students develop from a personal, social and career development perspective. Knowledge must therefore be acquired, understood, applied and used thoroughly. Evaluation must thus take place throughout the learning process to ensure proficient knowledge.

### **Organization of the evaluation frameworks**

For each subject, the framework defines the criteria on which the student's results must be based. These evaluation criteria are based on the ones in the Québec Education Program.

The framework also specifies the relative weighting assigned to each competency, which makes it possible to determine the subject marks to be recorded in the report card.

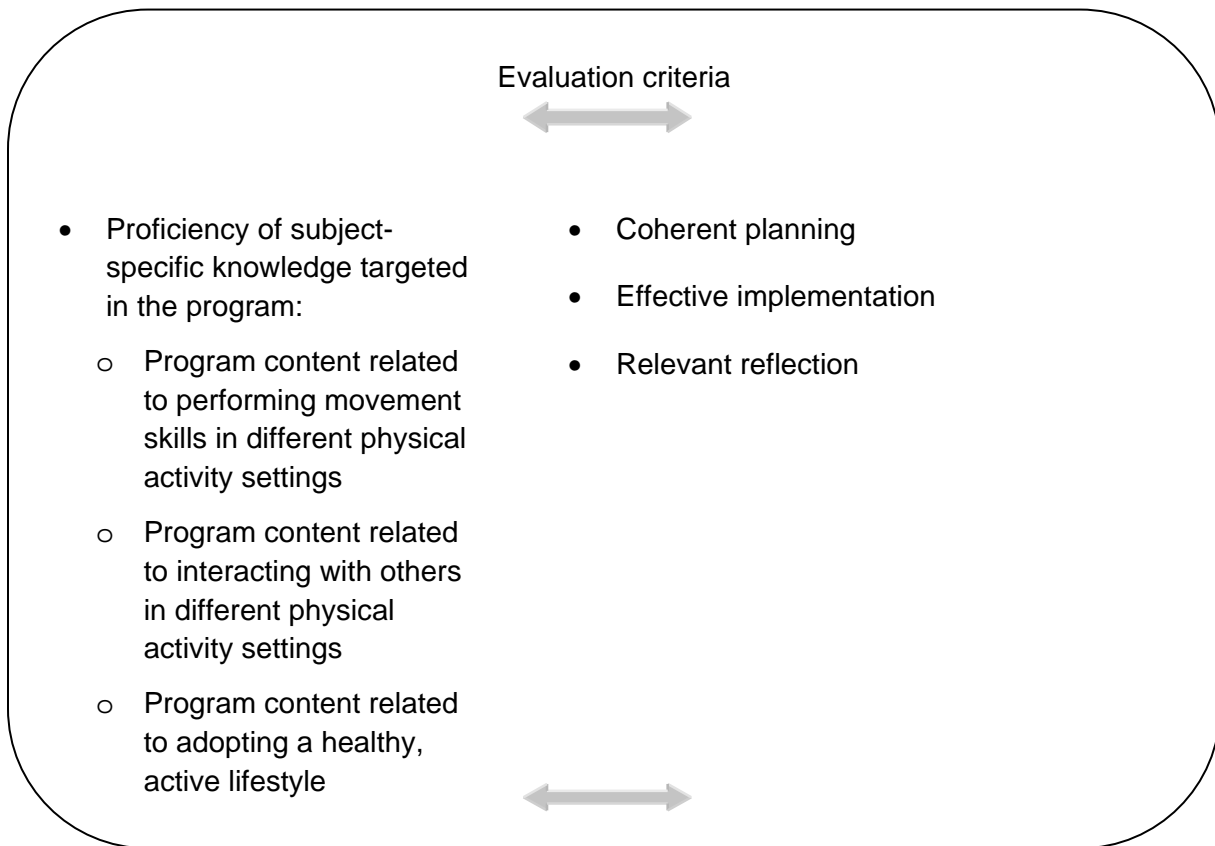
### **The teacher's role in evaluation**

Section 19 of the *Education Act* stipulates that teachers are entitled "to select the means of evaluating the progress of students so as to examine and assess continually and periodically the needs and achievement of objectives of every student entrusted to [their] care." It is therefore up to teachers to choose the means of evaluating student learning.

Performs movement skills in different physical activity settings  
Interacts with others in different physical activity settings  
Adopts a healthy, active lifestyle

} Overall assessment  
for the subject

### Evaluation of Learning



Knowledge will be evaluated at specific times chosen by the teacher, who will determine the importance of the various dimensions to be evaluated in calculating the student's mark.

↔ **This arrow** indicates that the evaluation of learning involves a process of going back and forth between the acquisition of subject-specific knowledge and the understanding, application and use of this knowledge. Evaluation must thus take place throughout the learning process to ensure proficient knowledge.

## Appendix

### Information Clarifying the Criteria

#### Coherent planning

- Selection of a variety of movement skills and sequences in accordance with personal abilities and the constraints of the activity
- Development of:
  - plans of action in accordance with his/her own abilities, peer abilities and the constraints of the activity
  - detailed plans for the regular and safe practice of physical activities
  - detailed plans for improving or maintaining a lifestyle habit

#### Effective implementation

- Performance and adjustment of movement skills and sequences (integration of technical elements)
- Application and adjustment of:
  - strategies and roles to be played
  - principles of action
  - principles of communication
  - plans of action
- Application of safety rules
- Demonstration of fair play
- Practice in a school context of activities requiring physical fitness
- Implementation of personal plans regarding healthy and active lifestyle habits\*

#### Relevant reflection

- Evaluation of the process, plan of action and results
- Identification of possible solutions in order to make adjustments\*
- Reinvestment of learning in future activities\*

\* The student must be provided with feedback on this element, but the element must not be considered when determining the student's mark in the report card.