Discussion starters

Read the teacher professional standards for your state. Brainstorm what you think they mean for you. What skills do you think you need to develop further as a result of examining these? Where do you think skills developed in SOSE are *most* involved?

Why don't you?

Using this graphic organiser (Figure 2.2), consider one of the primary SOSE pedagogical approaches, such as communication. What are communication skills? Why do we need communication skills? What classroom activities in SOSE enhance communication?

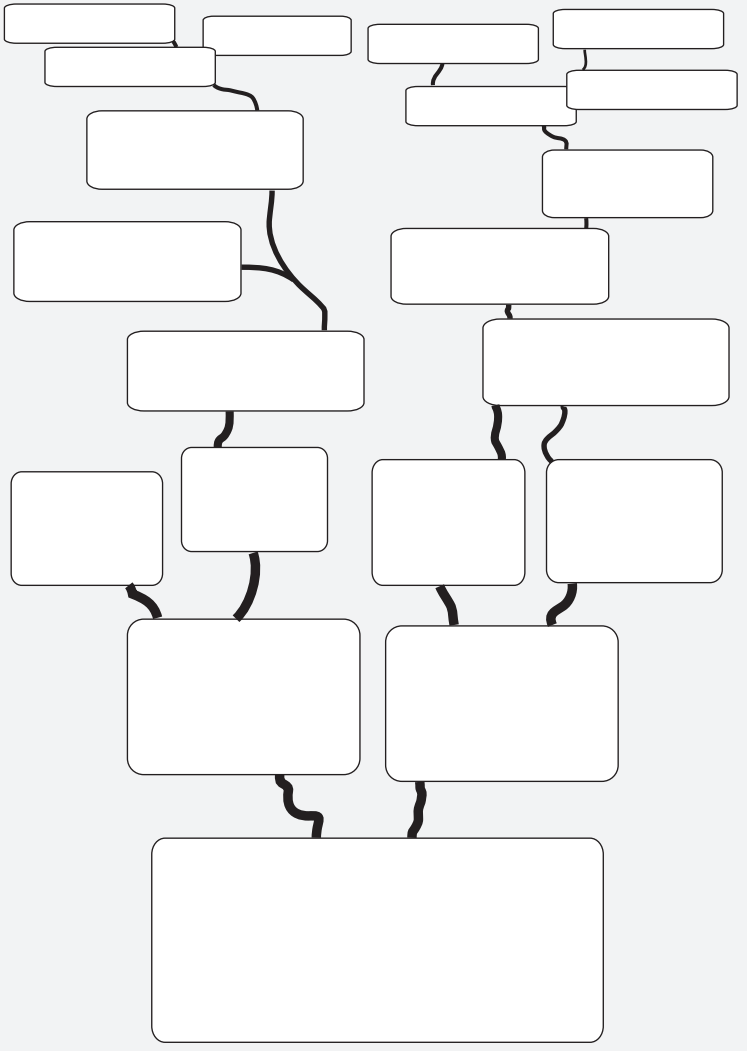

Figure 2.2: Graphic organiser: Primary SOSE pedagogy