Table V.1. Snapshot of learning strategies

Countries/economies with values above the OECD average
Countries/economies with values not significantly different from the OECD average
Countries/economies with values <b>below</b> the OECD average

Percentage of students reporting:

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	Critical thinking Proactive								
	Contr	Controlling one's own learning			(perspective-taking)		Cognitive activation		
	More than half of the time, students	Students agree or strongly agree		Students agree disagree or strongly or strongly agree		More than half of the time, students	More than half of the lessons		
	ask questions when they do not understand the mathematics material	they like to make sure there are no mistakes	they carefully check homework before turning it in	they try to consider everybody's perspective before they take a position	there is only one correct position in a disagreement	try to connect new material to what they have learned in previous mathematics lessons	the teacher asks students to explain their reasoning when solving a mathematics problem	the teacher asks students to think about how new and old mathematics topics are related	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
OECD average	46.8	64.2	44.3	58.9	45.8	45.6	46.1	31.2	
Iceland	61.6	63.2	46.7	42.9	36.7	48.4	28.3	20.6	
Albania	59.3	74.8	67.7	55.0	21.8	60.8	53.4	47.5	
Uzbekistan	59.1	75.8	76.5	73.0	22.2	58.7	48.3	49.5	
Costa Rica	57.2	77.0	74.0	66.6	25.0	52.5	41.0	34.7	
Israel	57.2	m	m	m	m	50.1	48.6	33.1	
Denmark*	56.6	58.5	42.8	56.9	50.2	42.8	39.5	21.1	
Guatemala	55.5	74.6	74.7	m	m	58.0	44.9	49.0	
Sweden	55.1	m	m	m	m	48.6	52.3	26.2	
United Arab Emirates	54.7	70.9	65.6	64.1	30.2	53.0	51.1	40.6	
Canada*	54.6	62.1	45.5	62.0	48.1	53.8	55.4	35.3	
	54.6		70.9			48.0	31.7	35.3	
Paraguay		73.3		m 70.0	m				
Singapore	54.6	64.0	42.5	72.3	56.6	48.8	51.4	43.8	
Australia*	54.4	57.3	36.1	61.5	44.4	49.7	54.6	32.7	
Colombia	53.0	72.4	70.4	69.7	27.4	55.6	46.5	46.5	
United States*	52.5	m	m	m	m	53.2	56.0	33.7	
Dominican Republic	52.4	71.6	70.8	65.9	28.4	51.3	48.4	47.4	
Uruguay	52.2	63.5	55.7	56.9	36.1	49.6	46.3	34.3	
Kazakhstan	52.0	63.6	60.2	56.2	40.5	54.2	51.6	42.9	
Austria	51.7	59.0	38.5	56.1	57.1	53.0	48.2	32.2	
New Zealand*	51.5	52.4	45.4	56.7	43.5	42.1	53.1	24.0	
Switzerland	50.7	60.5	34.6	57.6	52.8	45.9	48.3	32.4	
Jamaica*	50.6	70.1	64.3	61.9	34.0	47.8	54.4	41.4	
Chile	50.6	69.4	59.1	62.9	29.3	53.1	45.8	41.1	
Spain	50.3	70.4	42.8	56.3	46.7	46.8	46.4	28.0	
Germany	50.3	62.3	37.3	57.8	55.1	47.4	54.2	36.2	
Qatar	50.1	65.0	54.6	57.5	29.2	50.4	46.8	39.9	
Panama*	49.8	70.5	72.4	68.5	24.5	57.5	45.9	44.9	
El Salvador	49.8	70.5	71.8	66.0	25.1	52.0	40.2	43.1	
	49.4				42.4	44.9	-		
United Kingdom* Netherlands*	49.4	55.7	32.9 27.4	53.0 42.7	42.4 51.9	39.9	59.6 41.6	34.7 18.7	
		65.5		62.3					
Malta	48.2	59.7	36.8		40.0	49.6	56.3	30.9	
Ireland*	48.2	56.2	36.3	58.4	57.8	46.0	57.0	30.1	
Georgia	47.4	66.9	55.2	56.3	37.3	50.2	54.3	41.0	
Italy	47.2	70.6	48.0	59.4	37.3	39.9	57.3	32.7	
Belgium	46.7	64.1	41.7	52.8	52.3	38.5	46.3	28.2	
Norway	46.6	m	m	m	m	43.2	52.3	28.8	
Mongolia	46.6	86.9	52.2	74.7	28.6	43.0	33.6	38.4	
North Macedonia	46.6	69.4	55.1	56.0	26.2	51.4	41.5	35.9	
Peru	46.4	71.0	71.6	71.1	25.7	54.2	53.9	52.3	
Indonesia	46.4	85.2	77.2	55.8	18.3	42.3	34.3	35.2	
Portugal	46.1	72.1	49.4	80.1	65.2	48.5	55.9	41.0	
Jordan	45.5	67.2	61.1	43.5	23.3	48.9	26.8	31.0	
Morocco	45.4	71.6	66.4	61.3	29.8	41.1	34.3	34.0	
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Table V.1. Snapshot of learning strategies [2/2]

Countries/economies with values above the OECD average
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Percentage of students reporting:

	Percentage of students reporting:								
				Critical	thinking	Proactive			
	Controlling one's own learning			(perspective-taking)		learning	Cognitive activation		
	More than half of the time, students	Students agree or strongly agree		Students agree or strongly agree	Students disagree or strongly disagree	More than half of the time, students	More than half of the lessons		
	ask questions when they do not understand the mathematics material	they like to make sure there are no mistakes	they carefully check homework before turning it in	they try to consider everybody's perspective before they take a position	there is only one correct position in a disagreement	try to connect new material to what they have learned in previous mathematics lessons	the teacher asks students to explain their reasoning when solving a mathematics problem	the teacher asks students to think about how new and old mathematics topics are related	
OECD average	46.8	64.2	44.3	58.9	45.8	45.6	46.1	31.2	
Moldova	45.0	70.8	54.7	58.9	31.5	46.1	33.3	33.9	
Saudi Arabia	45.0	78.4	71.9	66.6	23.6	45.2	37.1	33.2	
Lithuania	44.9	55.1	40.9	52.5	34.1	46.5	34.9	34.6	
Greece	44.1	70.3	52.3	63.8	55.7	49.3	53.3	23.9	
Argentina	43.1	62.0	59.6	53.2	30.7	39.7	41.9	37.4	
Türkiye	43.0	66.4	69.8	75.2	47.4	49.2	39.6	29.7	
Latvia*	42.8	59.0	28.9	53.9	49.8	43.2	43.5	33.9	
Slovak Republic	42.7	67.9	49.2	57.4	54.0	44.4	39.6	34.6	
Hungary	42.7	54.5	34.2	62.2	48.6	43.2	49.4	27.6	
Bulgaria	41.7	62.1	43.4	63.9	40.8	47.3	46.6	44.5	
Malaysia	41.7	66.4	63.6	56.0	25.7	35.6	30.8	32.5	
Mexico	41.2	68.0	65.5	70.4	22.4	51.3	48.0	44.6	
Serbia	41.1	68.3	45.0	60.7	30.3	47.8	36.4	36.2	
Viet Nam	40.5	77.0	74.6	m	m	59.2	42.2	48.1	
Estonia	40.3	53.4	36.0	63.5	49.0	41.4	38.7	24.5	
France	39.7	65.8	50.0	63.9	47.8	36.1	54.9	36.4	
Finland	39.7	59.6	23.9	48.5	53.8	41.2	34.9	20.4	
Brazil	39.6	69.9	59.1	62.1	38.9	41.5	36.0	33.4	
Montenegro	39.4	64.7	51.4	55.0	26.5	48.7	34.1	36.8	
Philippines	39.4	60.8	71.7	62.3	24.6	39.4	46.5	40.8	
Cambodia	39.4	67.1	78.5	m	m	32.8	37.4	43.2	
Brunei Darussalam	39.1	61.9	52.9	56.7	21.4	36.2	43.6	31.8	
Japan	37.7	m	m	m	m	27.2	51.8	42.8	
Croatia	37.7	50.5	38.1	57.4	32.0	47.6	34.2	38.2	
Czechia	36.7	62.4	35.4	48.9	43.4	42.9	37.4	26.9	
Romania	35.8	70.2	43.6	59.3	30.4	45.8	35.5	36.7	
Slovenia	35.1	60.6	30.5	58.0	44.5	47.4	34.5	30.4	
Korea	33.8	89.6	58.9	68.7	45.5	43.0	25.5	24.6	
Thailand	29.8	72.9	63.8	65.0	19.4	31.9	29.1	27.7	
Poland	26.8	72.6	34.0	43.6	46.5	35.9	32.3	28.6	
Baku (Azerbaijan)	56.2	64.6	52.1	50.5	28.1	57.8	51.6	49.0	
Cyprus	49.1	60.0	39.0	55.3	46.9	49.3	50.4	33.4	
Kosovo	47.4	75.8	66.5	43.6	26.0	50.8	38.1	36.5	
Palestinian Authority	43.0	72.2	64.6	49.1	22.5	47.7	31.2	37.9	
Ukrainian regions (18 of 27)	36.4	59.5	40.9	56.0	34.7	39.5	45.7	41.9	
Hong Kong (China)*	34.9	52.1	37.0	64.1	41.6	35.5	39.0	32.9	
Macao (China)	31.0	50.2	40.0	64.9	42.5	31.1	40.7	33.0	
Chinese Taipei	23.5	62.2	38.0	65.9	49.5	29.5	30.7	27.1	

<sup>\*</sup> Caution is required when interpreting estimates because one or more PISA sampling standards were not met (see Reader's Guide, Annexes A2 and A4).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students who "asked questions when they did not understand the mathematics material" more

Source: OECD, PISA 2022 Database, Tables V.B1.2.2, V.B1.2.4, V.B1.2.6, V.B1.2.10, V.B1.2.14, V.B1.2.21, V.B1.3.24 and V.B1.3.26. The StatLink URL of this table is available below Snapshot Table V.7.