**Depth and Complexity Emoji Icons**

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| 🌊 | **Big Idea** | An overarching idea about a topic. |
| 💧 | **Essential Details** | The most important specifics about a topic. |
| 👄 | **Language of the Discipline** | The vocabulary an expert would use to discuss their field. |
| 🚦 | **Rules** | The laws, hierarchies, norms, etc within a topic. Breaking a rule leads to a consequence. |
| 🌀 | **Patterns** | Expected repetition within a field. These can break without necessarily creating a problem. |
| ⚖️ | **Ethics** | The problems, ambiguities, or dilemmas of a topic. |
| ⏳ | **Change Over Time** | How has a topic changed over long periods of time? |
| 👓 | **Multiple Perspectives** | How do different people view this topic? |
| ❓ | **Unanswered Questions** | “What questions do you have?” What *don’t* we *yet* know about this topic? Or what *can’t* we know? Consider questions that are truly unanswered to humankind. |
| 📚 | **Across Disciplines** | How does this topic represent an intersection of other fields? For example: How do language arts *and* math appear in a topic? |
| 📈 | **Trends** | How a topic is currently changing and what forces are causing those changes?  |

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