

Conestoga High School Student Self Assessment for Critical Thinking

Name _____ Grade _____
 Teacher's name _____ Course _____
 Assignment _____ Level _____

This tool is designed to help you assess your level of critical thinking about a particular assignment. "Assignment" refers to projects, essays, experiments, oral reports, discussions, etc. Please rate each of the statements below on the following 1-4 scale:

- 1: Strongly disagree
- 2: Somewhat disagree
- 3: Somewhat agree
- 4: Strongly agree

Purpose

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| 1. I took time to understand and state my purpose at the beginning of the assignment. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 2. I checked my work periodically to see that I was focused on the purpose of the assignment. | 1 2 3 4 |

Questions

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| 3. I stated my objective in several ways to clarify its meaning and scope. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 4. I generated questions to direct my work. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 5. I determined whether or not the assignment required a single, correct answer. | 1 2 3 4 |

Assumptions

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| 6. I clearly identified my assumptions. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 7. I considered how my assumptions affected my thinking. | 1 2 3 4 |

Viewpoint

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| 8. I identified my point of view/perspective/strategy. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 9. I evaluated other points of view/ perspectives/strategies. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 10. I strove to be open-minded in evaluating points of view/ perspectives/strategies that both opposed and supported my thinking. | 1 2 3 4 |

Information

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| 11. I analyzed and synthesized the information. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 12. I made sure that I used information that was clear, accurate and significant. | 1 2 3 4 |

Concepts

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| 13. I identified and explained important concepts. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 14. I considered alternative concepts. | 1 2 3 4 |

Conclusions

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| 15. I justified my conclusions. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 16. I checked that my reasoning was sound. | 1 2 3 4 |

Implications

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| 17. I considered the implications of my reasoning. | 1 2 3 4 |
| 18. I identified other ways I might have approached the assignment. | 1 2 3 4 |

