

MGCCC College-wide Critical Thinking Rubric

Critical Thinking Skill	Unacceptable/ Weak	Developing	Adequate	Accomplished
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Identify</u></p> <p>To understand concepts & recognize problems</p>	<p>Confused</p> <p>Identifies wrong problem(s)</p> <p>Does not identify problem(s)</p>	<p>Displays a beginning understanding of problems and concepts</p>	<p>Identifies problems</p> <p>Understands concepts</p>	<p>Thoroughly identifies problems, arguments, and assumptions</p> <p>Anticipates future problems</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Analyze</u></p> <p>To examine propositions & opinions</p>	<p>Inaccurate interpretation and analysis of evidence</p> <p>Does not recognize basic concepts</p>	<p>Investigates relevant information</p> <p>Partially recognizes basic concepts</p>	<p>Accurately interprets and analyzes evidence</p> <p>Recognizes and applies basic concepts</p>	<p>Analyzes evidence from multiple perspectives, including assumptions, biases, & rationales</p> <p>Acknowledges uncertainties</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Evaluate</u></p> <p>To assess the strength, weakness, & soundness of an argument</p>	<p>Does not assess quality of evidence</p> <p>Does not distinguish facts, opinions, & assumptions</p>	<p>Partial understanding of facts, opinions, & assumptions</p> <p>Partially assesses quality of evidence</p>	<p>Evaluates facts, opinions, & assumptions based on logic and context</p> <p>Fully understands facts, opinions, & assumptions</p>	<p>Thoroughly assesses quality of evidence</p> <p>Identifies strengths and weakness of problems or viewpoints</p> <p>Recognizes counterarguments</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Integrate</u></p> <p>Synthesize evidence & justify results</p>	<p>Does not apply basic concepts</p> <p>Does not justify results</p>	<p>Partial applications of basic concepts</p> <p>Partial justification of results</p>	<p>Synthesizes evidence</p> <p>Justifies results</p> <p>Expresses integrative thinking</p>	<p>Logically extends ideas into a coherent argument</p> <p>Makes plausible inferences, predictions, or interpretations</p>