

Informed and Integrative Thinking Scoring Criteria

PERFORMANCE INDICATOR	BEGINNING 1	DEVELOPING 2	PROFICIENT 3	EXPANDING 4
A. Apply knowledge from various disciplines and contexts to real life situations.	I can • Identify connections between what I am learning in different settings.	I can • Identify connections between what I learn in different disciplines and real-life situations.	I can • Analyze real-life situations, data, patterns, texts, artifacts, or other products using knowledge from other disciplines and situations.	I can Predict outcomes in complex real-life systems using knowledge from other disciplines and situations; Or Create alternative evidence that expands upon proficient.
B. Analyze, evaluate, and synthesize information from multiple sources to build on knowledge.	Extract information from multiple and varied sources.	I can • Describe and summarize information from multiple and varied sources.	I can • Evaluate the credibility of multiple and varied sources to analyze the interrelationships among concepts.	I can Draw conclusions based on information from multiple sources; Or Create alternative evidence that expands upon proficient.
C. Apply systems thinking to understand the interaction and influence of related parts on each other, and on outcomes.	I can • Define a system and identify its parts.	I can • Describe the role of each part of a system and relationships among the parts.	I can • Explain how the interactions of parts of a system influence outcomes.	I can • Apply my understanding of system interactions to make recommendations in a different context;



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				Or Create alternative evidence that expands upon proficient.
D. Use evidence and reasoning to justify claims.	I can • .Use information from several sources to generate a claim	I can Include information from several sources to support a claim with reasoning.	Use valid and reliable evidence to support a claim and develop a well-reasoned argument.	I can Critique the reasoning and the supporting evidence for an argument to determine its credibility; Or Create alternative evidence that expands upon proficient.
E. Develop and use models to explain phenomena. (Definition: A model is a representation of a system, process or complex concept.)	I can • Identify the key components of a system in an existing model.	I can • Use an existing model to explain a system or situation, and identify relationships within the system.	I can • Create and use an evidence-based model to explain a system or situation and analyze relationships within it.	I can • Explain limitations, identify flaws, and revise the model based on new learning; Or • Create alternative evidence that expands upon proficient.
F. Use technology to support and enhance the critical thinking process.	I can • Explore a range of appropriate technology, including digital technology that would support my thinking.	I can • Identify situations in which the use of technology, including digital technology, would support my thinking.	I can • Use technology, including digital technology, to organize, analyze, and synthesize information.	I can • Justify or explain innovations I have made in my use of technology, including digital

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				technology, to contribute to my thinking process;	
				Or • Create alternative evidence that expands upon proficient.	