THINKING SKILLS

CRITICAL THINKING/EVALUATION

To Justify

Judge  Decide  Infer  Conclude  Interpret  Criticize
Agree/Approve  Disagree/Disapprove  Prove  Estimate  Dispute
Defend  Criteria  Appraise  Prioritize  Justify  Argue
Support  Value  Evaluate

CREATIVE THINKING/SYNTHESIS

To Change/Create

Generate  Hypothesize  Speculate  Imagine  Adapt  Build
Compile  Create  Invent  Plan  Theorize  Improve
Choose  Design  Change  Develop  Construct
Elaborate  Formulate  Combine  Synthesize

ANALYSIS

To Examine In Detail

Isolate  Determine  Compare  Contrast  Distinguish
Analyze  Dissect  Relationship  Categorize  Survey  Appraise
Criticize  Examine  Experiment  Question  Test

APPLICATION

To Use In Another Situation

Classify  Apply  Organize  Summarize  Categorize
Construct  Utilize  Build  Choose  Operate  Employ
Interpret  Relate  Develop  Model  Solve  Interview

COMPREHENSION

To Show Understanding

Explain  Describe  Paraphrase  Clarify  Express  Translate
Extend  Outline  Illustrate  Translate  Rephrase  Infer
Summarize  Classify  Review  Locate  Rewrite  Discuss
Identify  Reorganize  Report  Demonstrate  Recognize

KNOWLEDGE

To Recall

Remember  List  Recognize  Recount
Restate  What  Who  Why  How
Where  When  Which  Find
Match  Omit  Label  Name  List
Duplicate  Tell  Define  Relate
Select  Show  Choose  Spell