

## CRITICAL THINKING - SCORING GUIDELINES

**DEFINITION:** Habit of mind of analyzing issues, ideas, artifacts, events, and/or evidence to draw conclusions or solve problems.

Descriptors	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Level 0
	<p><b>Proficient:</b> Demonstrates in-depth understanding of the process or concept. Minor errors or mistakes may be present but do not impede understanding.</p>	<p><b>Developing Proficiency:</b> Demonstrates foundational understanding of the process or concept, but misconceptions impede in-depth understanding.</p>	<p><b>Beginning Proficiency:</b> Demonstrates beginning understanding of the process or concept.</p>	<p><b>Not Proficient:</b> Does not demonstrate understanding.</p>	<p>No submission</p>
<p>1. Identify the topic/ subject of inquiry</p>					
<p>2. Select appropriate resources required to draw conclusion(s) or solve the problem</p>					
<p>3. Apply resources to draw conclusion(s) or solve the problem</p>					
<p>4. Evaluate conclusion(s) or the solution to the problem</p>					