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Critical Thinking



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Critical Thinking

Main aim of the module

Developing Critical Thinking skills

Objectives of the module

- Learn what the Critical Thinking means
- Find your own action steps to develop this skill





What is Critical Thinking



Critical thinking is the analysis of facts to form a judgment. Critical thinking is self-directed, self-disciplined, self-monitored, and self-corrective thinking. It presupposes assent to rigorous standards of excellence and mindful command of their use. It entails effective communication and problem-solving abilities.



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Benefits of Critical Thinking

Aids to find the correct solutions faster

Keeps the self courage

Increase the creativity

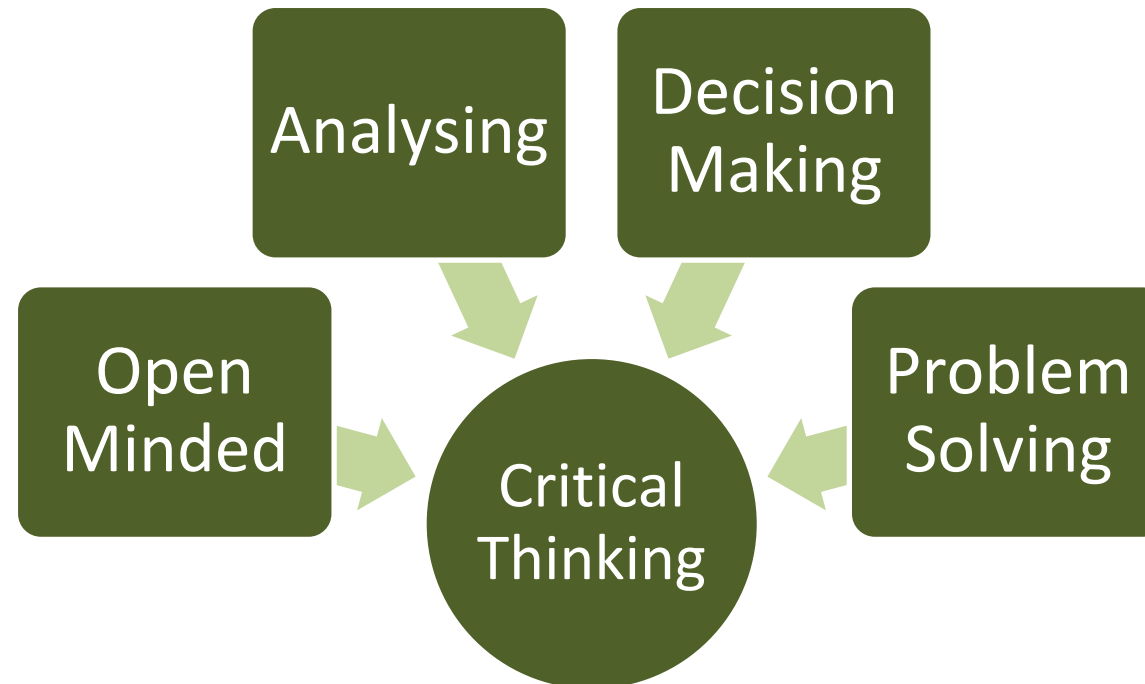
Avoid uncover assumptions



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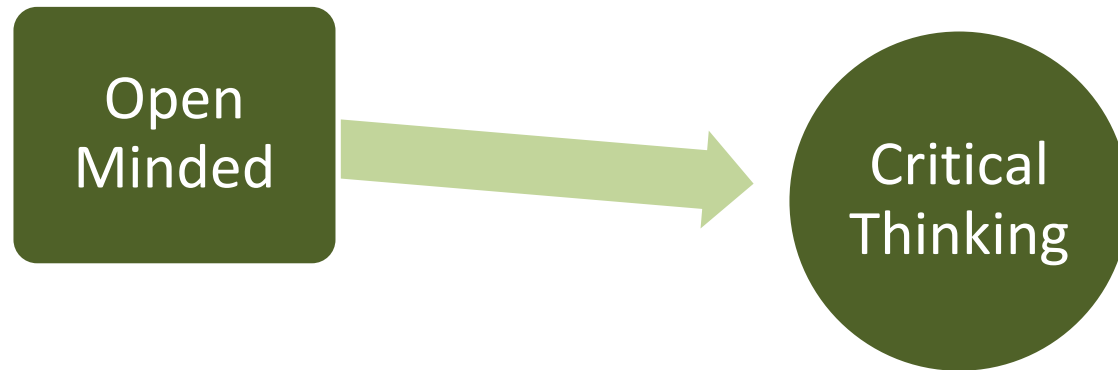




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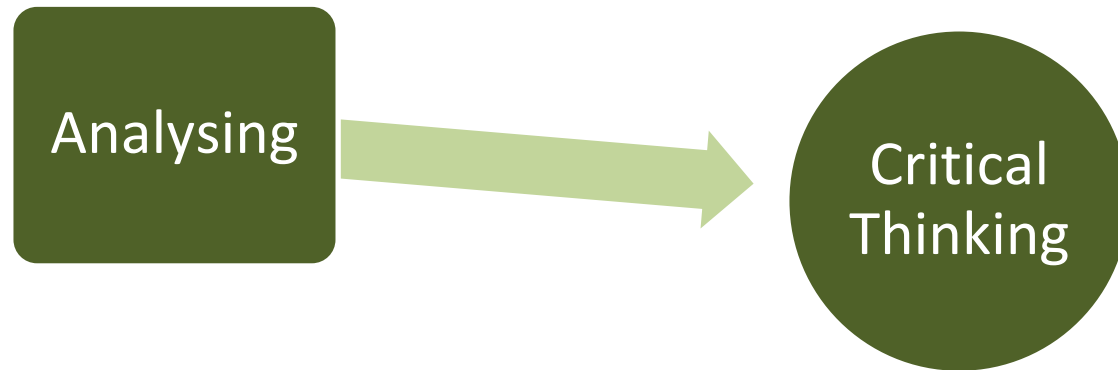
Critical Thinking Skills



Open-mindedness is a necessary ability in order to think critically and rationally. It involves being receptive to a wide variety of ideas, arguments, and information.



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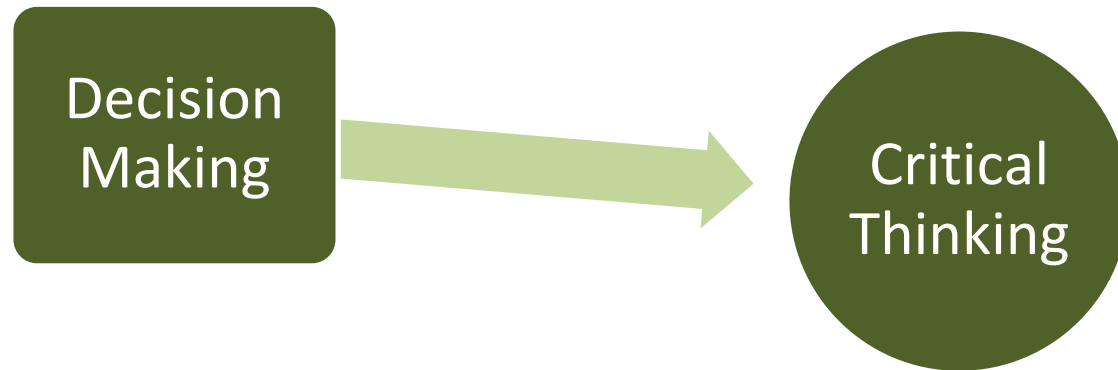
Analysing is an ability to start ask questions, to find different approaches, to collect data, to determine reason-result relation.



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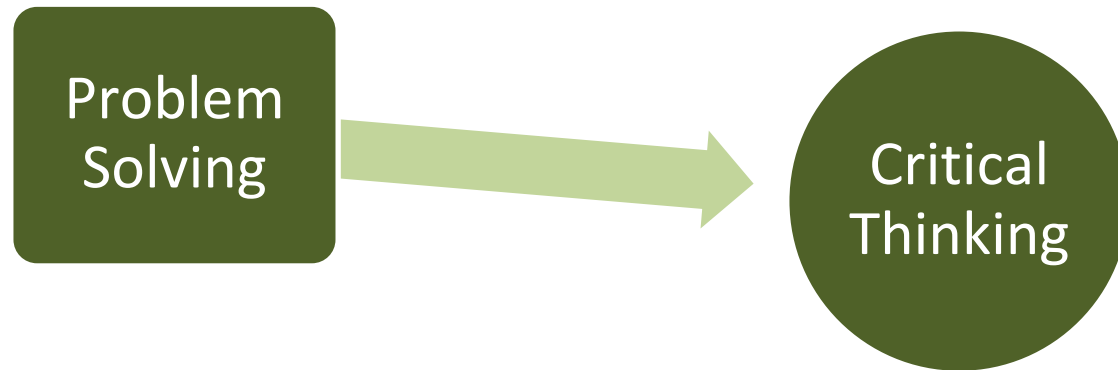
Decision making represents the courage to move forward, to continue.



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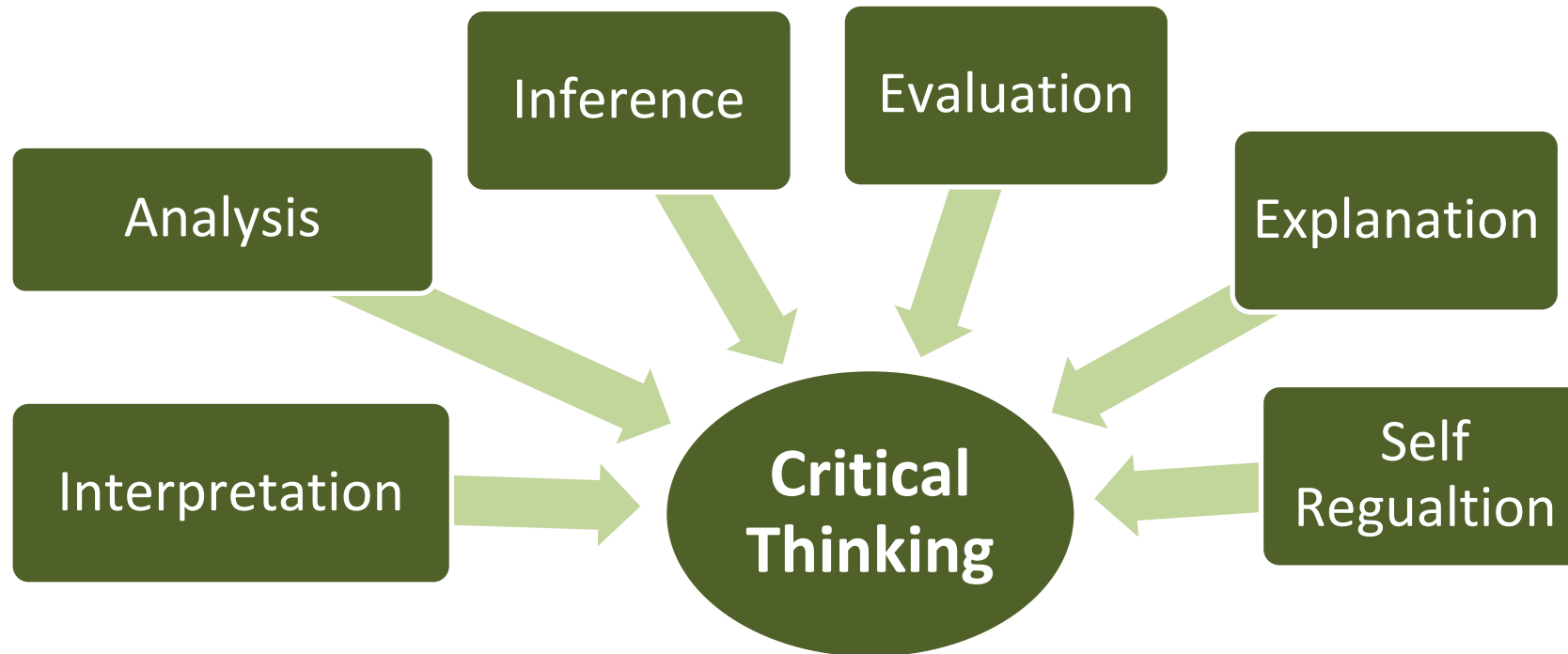
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Problem solving always occurs in business or social life. To solve a problem, the correct determination is needed to find the correct solution.

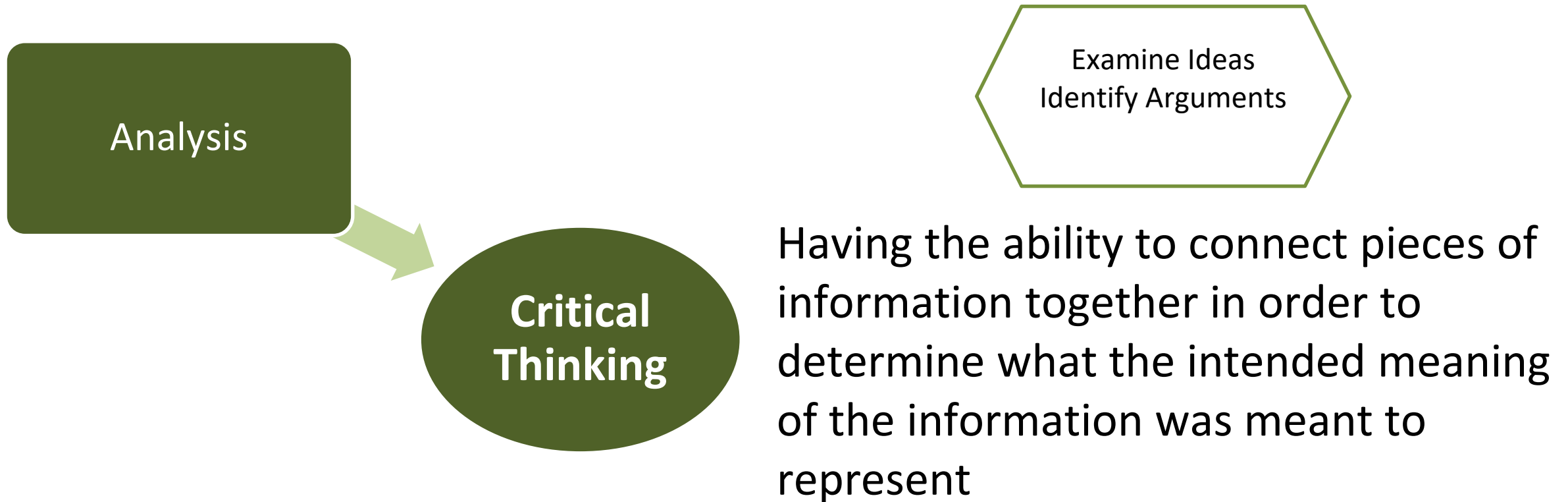


Critical Thinking Process



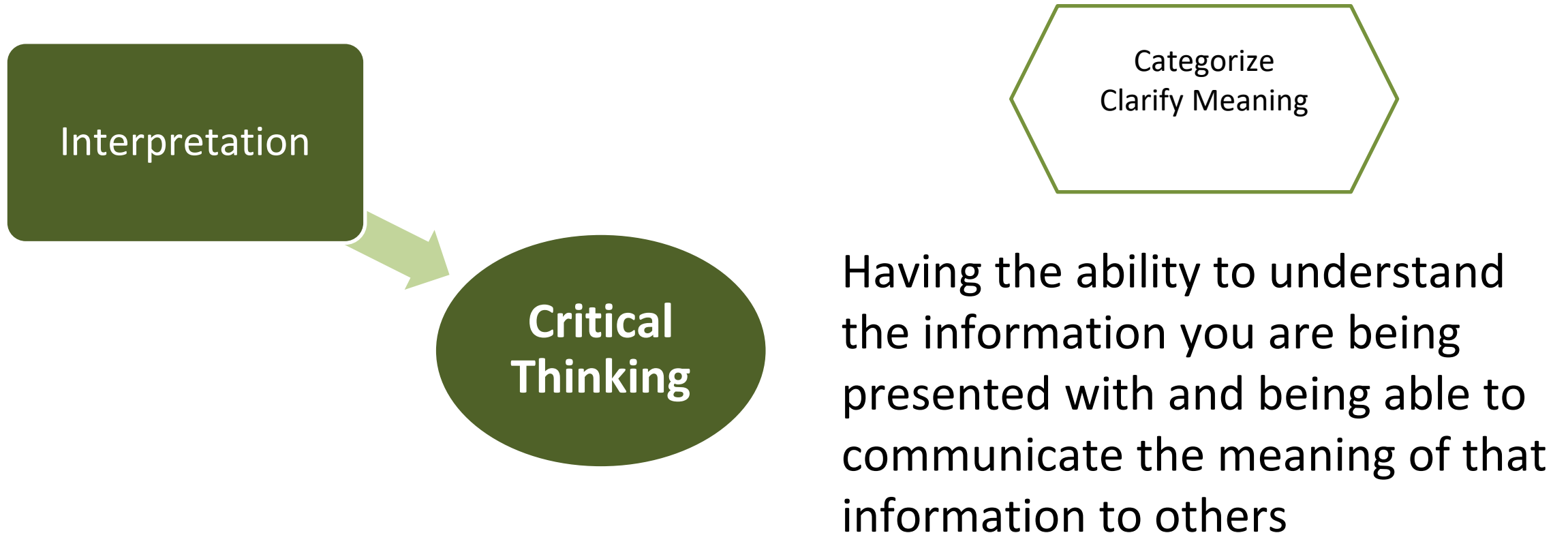


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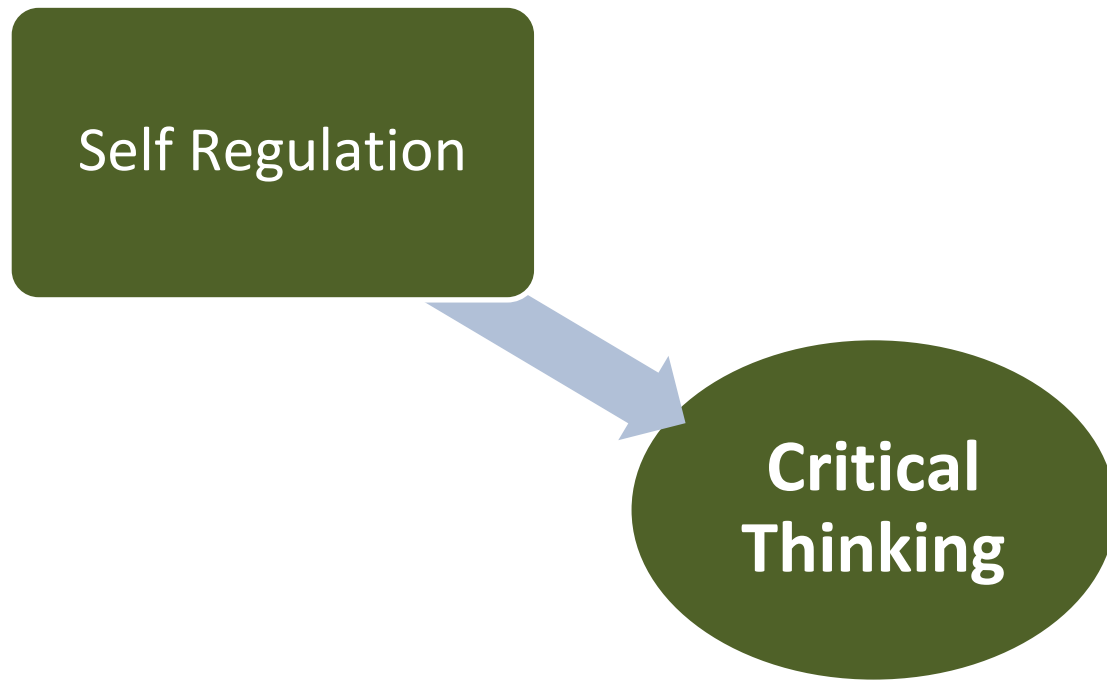


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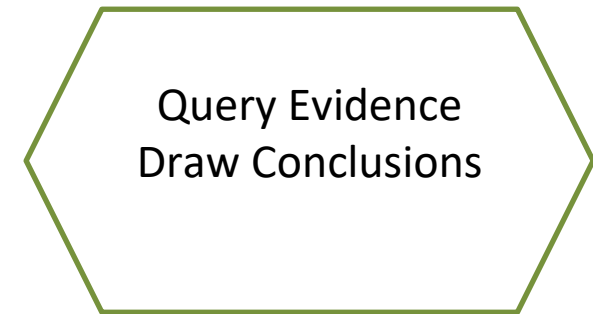
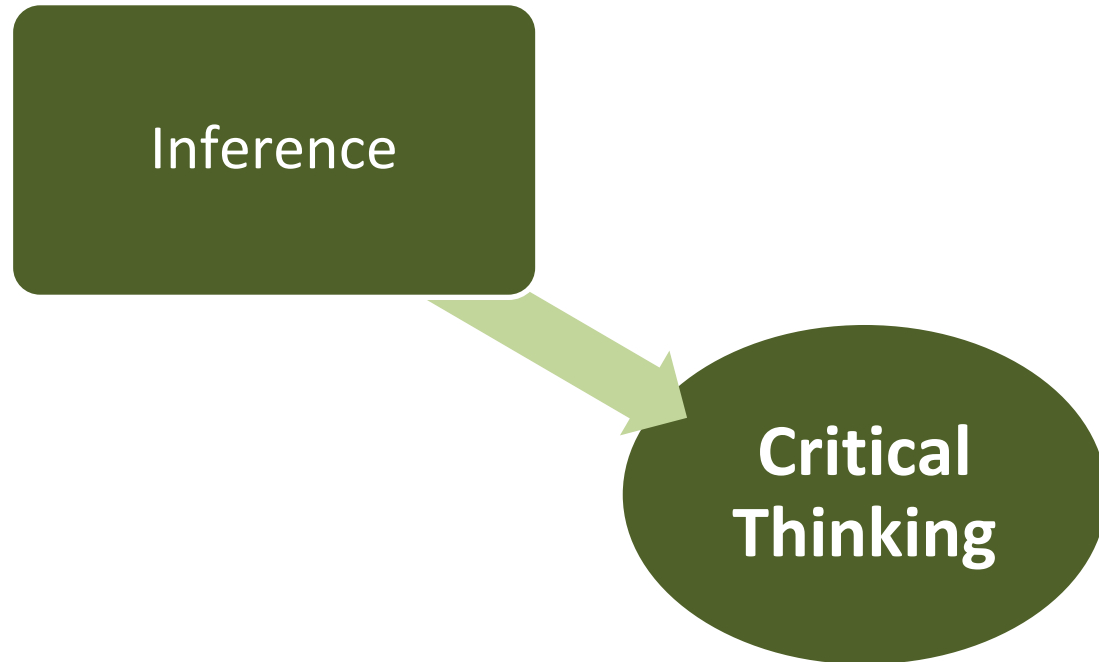
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Having the awareness of your own thinking abilities and the elements that you are using to find results.



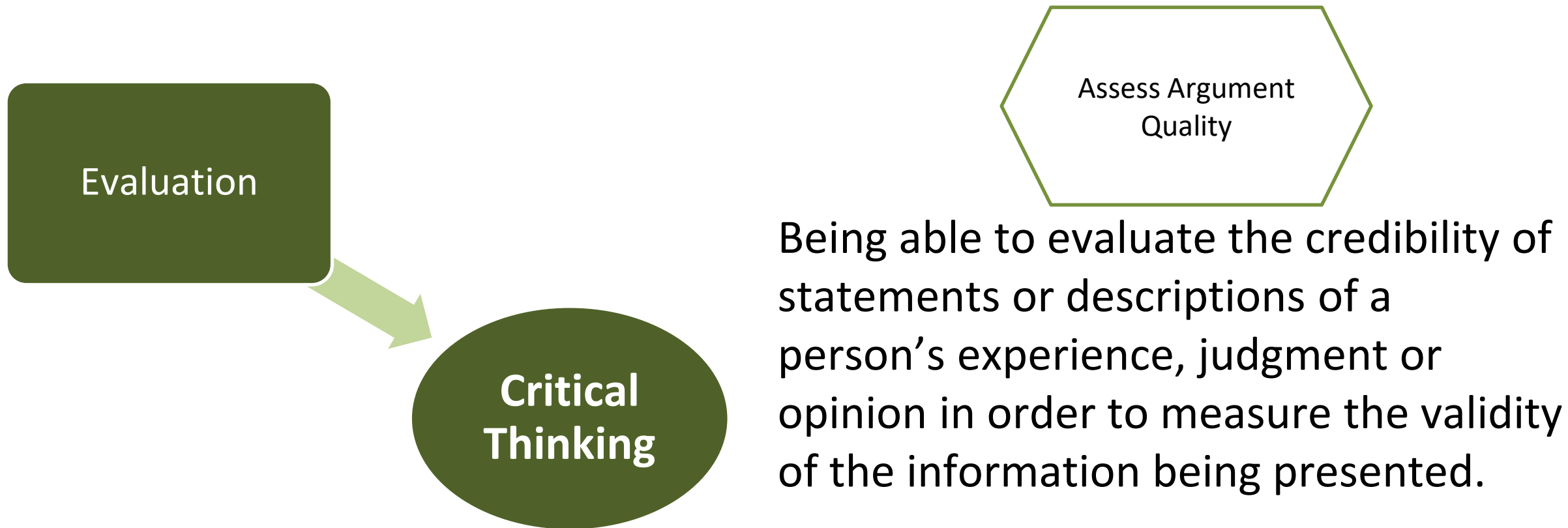
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Having the ability to understand and recognize what elements you will need in order to determine an accurate conclusion or hypothesis from the information you have at your disposal.

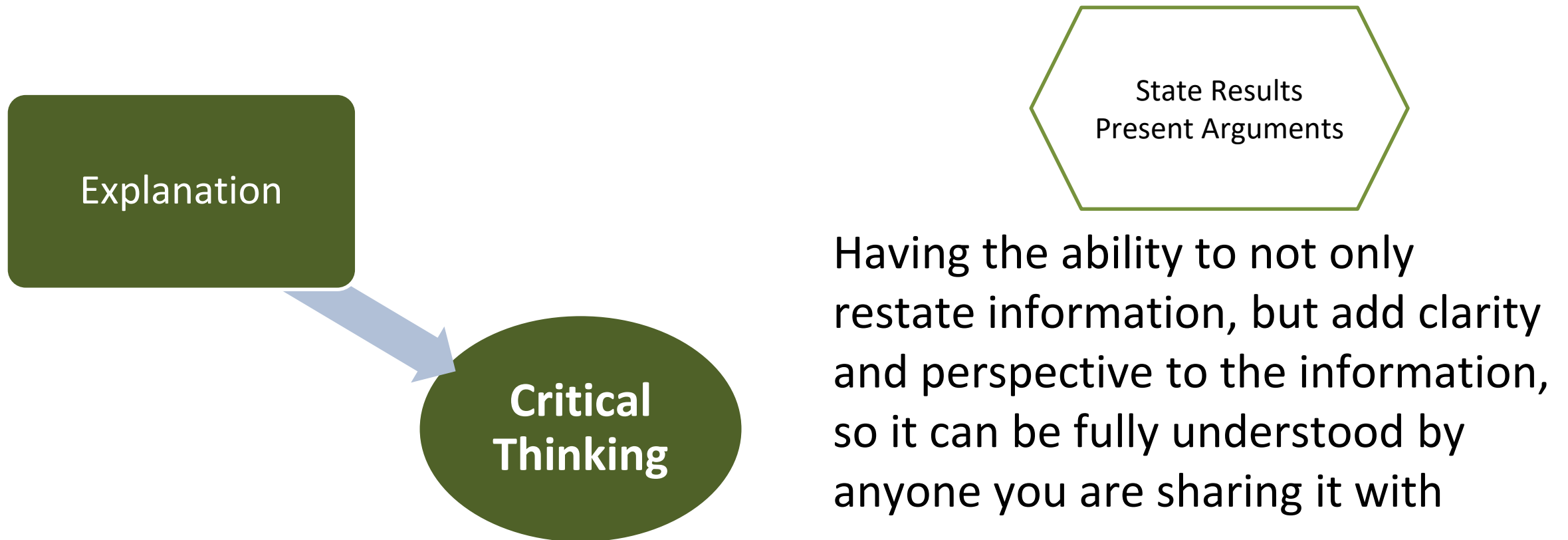


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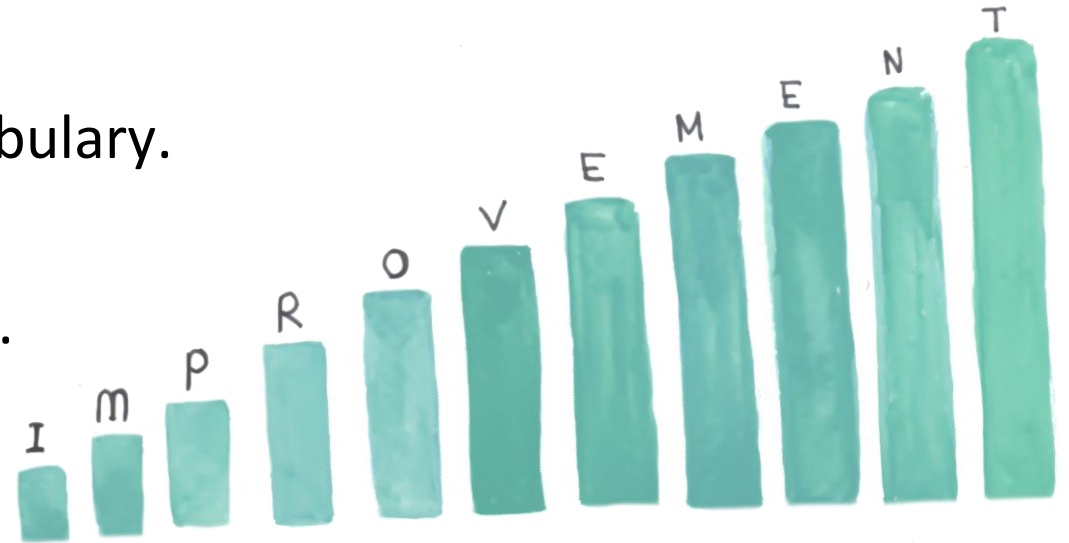
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How to Improve the Critical Thinking Skill?

- Playing strategy games to sharpen the brain.
- Reading more to improve imagination and vocabulary.
- Engage in debates.
- Look for inconsistencies and errors in reasoning.
- Try to see the Forest instead of the Trees.





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Group Discussion

The Situation

It is found out that the field can not be irrigated anymore.

Now, it is your turn to process your Critical Thinking skills



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Questions

Critical thinking is the analysis of facts to form a judgment. Critical thinking is self-directed, self-disciplined, self-monitored, and self-corrective thinking.

1- Is the definition of the Critical Thinking above
True or False?

A) True

B) False





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Questions

2- What are Critical Thinking skills?

- A) Open-minded; Problem Finding; Decision Making; Analysing
- B) Open-minded; Problem Solving; Decision Making; Analysing
- C) Analysing; Decision Making; Problem Solving; Determination
- D) Analysing; Decision Making; Problem Solving





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Questions

3- Which is included in the Critical Thinking Process?

- A) Interpretation
- B) Inference
- C) Evaluation
- D) All





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Answers

1) A

2) B

3) D



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Individual Study

What would be your first action step
to develop your Critical Thinking skill?



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