

Shopping list: Different kinds of Cognition from Bloom's Taxonomy

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1 When planning your lessons or units of work, ask yourself 'How often am I asking my students to do these kinds of cognitive tasks?'

1 Assessing	28 Illustrating
2 Calculating	29 Integrating
3 Changing	30 Interpreting
4 Classifying	31 Inventing
5 Collecting	32 Judging
6 Combining	33 Labelling
7 Comparing	34 Linking
8 Completing	35 Listing
9 Composing	36 Measuring
10 Concluding	37 Modifying
11 Contrasting	38 Planning
12 Creating	39 Predicting
13 Deciding	40 Preparing
14 Defining	41 Quoting
15 Describing	42 Ranking
16 Designing	43 Re-arranging
17 Differentiating	44 Recommending
18 Discovering	45 Relating
19 Discussing	46 Rewriting
20 Estimating	47 Selecting
21 Examining	48 Showing
22 Experimenting	49 Solving
23 Explaining	50 Substituting
24 Formulating	51 Summarising
25 Generalising	52 Telling
26 Grading	53 Testing
27 Identifying	54 What if?

2 Can you think of some activities for each kind of cognition?