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## **LEARNING CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS**

Critical Thinking is a skill set that we can all learn. Identify what you already know and then apply explorative questions to discover what was not initially obvious. In 1956, Benjamin Bloom led a group of educational psychologists in a study on intellectual behavior used by learners. The result is known as Bloom's Taxonomy. According to his original research, learners move up through six levels of critical thinking skills: 1) Knowledge 2) Comprehension 3) Application 4) Analysis 5) Synthesis 6) Evaluation. In the 1990's, Lorin Anderson, a cognitive psychologist, changed the terms and order, demonstrating that multiple viewpoints exist on how we learn and how we view learning. Having said that, the following adheres to Bloom's original taxonomy as I see it. Read the full Article and learn the skills at <http://kudospress.com/serendipity/index.php?/archives>

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