

CORE 1 RUBRIC

ASSESSED OUTCOME: CORE 1- Critical Thinking Acuity: Divine Word College graduates will have gained proficiency in the intellectual skills necessary to explore issues, ideas, artifacts, and events, before making a decision, accepting or formulating an opinion, or reaching a conclusion.

Evaluation Criterion	4 = Exceeds Expectations	3 = Meets Expectations	2 = Meets Most Expectations	1 = Meets Some Expectations	0 = Failure to Meet Expectations
Ability to explore an issue, idea, artifact, or event by using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Excellent</i> exploration of an issue, idea, artifact, or event using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Adequate</i> exploration of an issue, idea, artifact, or event using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Fair</i> exploration of an issue, idea, artifact, or event using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Little</i> exploration of an issue, idea, artifact, or event using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Inadequate or no</i> exploration of an issue, idea, artifact, or event using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking
Ability to articulate an opinion about an issue, idea, artifact, or event by using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Excellent</i> articulation of an opinion about an issue, idea, artifact, or event using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Adequate</i> articulation of social and multicultural interactions with examples and demonstration of impact of interactions	<i>Fair</i> articulation of social and multicultural interactions with examples and demonstration of impact of interactions	<i>Little</i> articulation of social and multicultural interactions with no examples and demonstration of impact of interactions	<i>Inadequate or no</i> articulation of social and multicultural interactions
Ability to justify a decision or conclusion by using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Excellent</i> justification of a decision or conclusion using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Adequate</i> justification of a decision or conclusion using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Fair</i> justification of a decision or conclusion using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Little</i> justification of a decision or conclusion using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking	<i>Inadequate or no</i> justification of a decision or conclusion using intellectual skills associated with critical thinking