

Bloom's Taxonomy

Illustrative Action Verbs for Defining Objectives In the Cognitive Domain

TAXONOMY CATEGORIES	SAMPLE VERBS FOR STATING SPECIFIC LEARNING OUTCOMES
KNOWLEDGE	Identifies, names, defines, describes, matches, selects, outlines
COMPREHENSION	Classifies, explains, summarizes, converts, predicts, distinguishes
APPLICATION	Demonstrates, computes, solves, modifies, arranges, relates
ANALYSIS	Differentiates, diagrams, orders, estimates, separates, infers
SYNTNESIS	Combines, creates, formulates, designs, composes, constructs
EVALUATION	Judges, criticizes, compares, justifies, concludes, supports, discriminates
