

Examples of action verbs at each of the levels of Bloom's taxonomy

Use to assist in developing learning objectives

Knowledge	Comprehension	Application	Analysis	Synthesis	Evaluation
LESS COMPLEX			MORE COMPLEX		
To know facts, terms, concepts, principles or theories. Remember previously learned information.	To understand, interpret, compare and contrast, explain; Management of Knowledge.	To apply knowledge to new situations, to solve problems; use of comprehension or understanding.	To identify the organizational structure of something; to identify parts, relationships, and organizing principles.	To create something, to integrate ideas into a solution, to propose an action plan, to formulate a new classification scheme; assembly of application.	To judge the quality of something based on its adequacy, value, logic, or use; appraisal of own or someone else's analysis or synthesis.
Cite Count Define Draw Identify Indicate List Match Memorize Name Point Quote Read Recite Record Repeat Select State Tabulate Tell Trace Underline	Arrange Associate Classify Compare Compute Contrast Differentiate Discuss Distinguish Estimate Explain Express Extrapolate Give examples Infer Locate Outline Paraphrase Predict Report Restate Review Suggest Summarize Tell Translate	Apply Calculate Change Classify Demonstrate Determine Discover Dramatize Employ Illustrate Interpret Investigate Locate Manipulate Operate Order Organize Practice Report Restructure Schedule Sketch Solve Use Write Translate Use	Analyze Appraise Break down Calculate Categorize Classify Compare Debate Deconstruct Determine Diagram Differentiate Distinguish Examine Experiment Identify Illustrate Inspect Inventory Outline Question Relate Select Solve Test	Arrange Assemble Categorize Collect Combine Compile Compose Construct Create Design Devise Explain Formulate Generate Manage Modify Organize Perform Plan Prepare Produce Propose Rearrange Reconstruct Relate Revise	Appraise Assess Choose Compare Conclude Contrast Criticize Decide Discriminate Estimate Evaluate Explain Grade Interpret Judge Justify Measure Rate Relate Revise Score Select Summarize Support Validate Value