

East Central College Institutional Student Learning Outcomes

Critical Thinking

Students will be able to integrate knowledge for creating solutions to novel challenges.

Performance Indicators

- CT.1. Differentiate among opinions, facts, and inferences
- CT.2. Apply a variety of critical and creative strategies for solving complex problems
- CT.3. Construct arguments using relevant, credible evidence
- CT.4. Employ well-designed search strategies to gather data and information
- CT.5. Create and/or organize material or information into meaningful patterns to interpret and draw inferences
- CT.6. Reflect on and evaluate their creative and critical thinking skills
- CT.7. Use a process to make an informed decision

Communication

Students will be able to effectively express ideas and exchange knowledge in multiple ways.

Performance Indicators

- CM.1. Structure communication with a clear introduction and conclusion and logically sequenced content
- CM.2. Understand the role of context, audience, and purpose when creating a communication.
- CM.3. Exchange knowledge effectively
- CM.4. Apply appropriate, discipline specific/professional standards, techniques, and procedures
- CM.5. Appraise their own and others' communication utilizing critical listening and reading skills
- CM.6. Use technology to identify, retrieve, analyze, and communicate ideas and information

Social Responsibility

Students will demonstrate an understanding of social responsibility.

Performance Indicators

- SR.1. Describe the core values and accountability of citizenship in a democratic society
- SR.2. Analyze the impact of culture and experience on one's worldview and behavior, including assumptions, biases, prejudices, and stereotypes
- SR.3. Explain how including diverse perspectives and identities strengthens communities
- SR.4. Identify the needs of the community
- SR.5. Demonstrate an understanding of global interconnectedness
- SR.6. Demonstrate effective stewardship of human, economic, and/or environmental resources
- SR.7. Engage in and reflect on civic, political, and community activities that promote diversity and inclusion
- SR.8. Analyze and reflect on the choices, actions, and consequences in ethical decision making

Personal and Professional Development

Students will take responsibility for their personal and professional development.

Performance Indicators

- PD.1. Collaborate with respect and openness
- PD.2. Identify practices associated with professional behavior
- PD.3. Practice leadership and advocacy skills to empower self and others
- PD.4. Demonstrate accountability for one's actions