

# Review:

## Overview of 21st Century Skills

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Answer the following questions.

- Name three activities that a creative thinker is likely to engage in. (Answers will vary.)
  - imagining
  - producing
  - gathering
- Name three activities that a critical thinker is likely to engage in. (Answers will vary.)
  - sorting
  - studying
  - organizing
- Which of the following is not a communication skill?
  - Writing essays and reports
  - Conducting an interview
  - Getting an A
  - Replying to an email
  - Making a speech
- Which of the following are parts of the communication situation?
  - Form
  - Audience
  - Purpose
  - Topic
  - All of these
- What does “collaborating” mean? Collaborating literally means “laboring with others” or working together as a team.
- Name three technologies that help you collaborate with someone far away. (Answers will vary.)
  - texting
  - emailing
  - phoning
- Explain the difference between an opinion and a fact. An opinion is a personal view or belief that cannot be directly proved or disproved. A fact is an objective statement that can be directly proved to be true or false.
- What questions should you ask about a source of information before you believe what it says?
  - Who created the source?
  - What is the source’s purpose?
  - How accurate is the information?
  - How current is the information?
- True or  false? Reading for fun will not help you become a strong reader.
- True or false? When you read, thinking and writing can help you understand the material.

**Reflect:** “A well-prepared student takes control of his or her learning.” What does this statement mean to you? Write your thoughts in a short paragraph. Then discuss your ideas with a classmate.