

# Review: Overview of 21st Century Skills

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**Your Turn** Answer the questions below.

1. What fact about the brain do you find the most surprising and why?

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2. What are some of the essential differences between critical and creative thinking?

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3. Which of the problem-solving steps below require critical thinking (CT), and which require creative thinking (CR)? Label them accordingly.

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| ■ Analyze the problem.   | _____ | ■ Critique the solution.  | _____ |
| ■ Brainstorm solutions.  | _____ | ■ Improve the solution.   | _____ |
| ■ Evaluate solutions.    | _____ | ■ Implement the solution. | _____ |
| ■ Innovate the solution. | _____ |                           |       |

4. Name and define the five parts of a communication situation.

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| a. _____ | d. _____ |
| b. _____ | e. _____ |
| c. _____ |          |

5. What is a deductive argument?

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6. To achieve financial literacy, what types of skills do you need? Name two.

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**Reflect:** What does this Confucius quote mean to you? “Learning without thought is labor lost.”