CRITERIA: CRITICAL THINKING

Considering:

self and peer evaluation
response and application of constructive criticism
personal reflection and evaluation of themes and issues

Level of achievement	Descriptor
(E)	The student • does not reach a standard described by any of the descriptors below
1-2 (D)	 gives only basic evaluations of own and others' work. reacts to constructive criticism with only minimal response. provides little evidence of personal reflection and evaluation of the themes and issues arising in class debate and in general class work undertaken.
3-4 (C)	 gives simple, but sometimes useful, evaluations of own and others' work. attempts to respond to constructive criticism, though not always successfully. provides evidence of personal reflection and evaluation of themes and issues arising in class debate and in general class work undertaken.
5-6 (B)	 gives useful evaluations of own and others' work. responds with some understanding to constructive criticism and acts upon it. demonstrates some insight and analytical ability in the reflection and evaluation of themes and issues arising in class debate and in general class work undertaken.
7-8 (A)	 constructively evaluates own and others' work. responds with understanding to constructive criticism and acts upon it with success. demonstrates insight and analytical ability in the reflection and evaluation of themes and issues arising in class debate and in general class work undertaken.
9-10 (A+)	 constructively evaluates own and others' work with perception. responds with considerable understanding to constructive criticism and acts upon it with success. demonstrates considerable insight and analytical ability in the reflection and evaluation of themes and issues arising in class debate and in general class work undertaken.