

Art



Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to examine your own or someone else's artwork in detail.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you will need to explain the similarities and differences between artists' works.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to explain what you have done/are doing in your work.

Develop

If you are asked to develop your work, you need to alter, manipulate and change it as the project evolves.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to talk to others about your work.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate your work, you need to assess what you have done and why you have made those choices.

Explain

If you are asked to explain, you need to give reasons for your ideas/aims/interest.

Interpret

If you are asked to interpret an artwork, you need to explain what it means or symbolises.

Investigate

If you are asked to investigate an artist or theme, you will need to examine the artist or theme in detail.

Present

If you are asked to present something, you need to visually create an idea for others to see.

Reflect

If you are asked to reflect, you need to think carefully about something in your own or others' work.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to write a developed answer, in context, showing clear and relevant thinking. Typically, this will be five strands of logical steps to show depth of knowledge, using connectives to join the points together.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate something, you need to use mathematical skills to work out the answer.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to show your knowledge of a key term by offering a clear definition.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to typically provide five connected ideas with logical, sensible strands of thinking. You do not need to provide context within the answer.

Business Studies



Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to show a balanced argument, in context, with points in favour and against. You should structure your response with clear, logical steps using connectives, before making an overall comment/judgement in response to the question.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to make a statement answering the question, without context. You should then make two linked strands to develop the point you've raised.

Give

If you are asked to give a response, you need to provide a simple answer, showing your knowledge.

Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to select one answer from two provided and show logical strands and a clear judgement as to why you selected one option and not the other. You could include 'it depends on...' and short and/or long term outcomes.

Outline

If you are asked to outline something, you need to give a point and make one linked strand in context to the case study. This must be in context.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to provide an answer which is no more than a sentence in length which shows relevant knowledge.

Add

If you are asked to add, you are expected to join one thing to something else to increase the size, number or amount.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to bring out the essential elements or structure. You will be expected to identify parts and relationships, making sense of the information to reach conclusions.

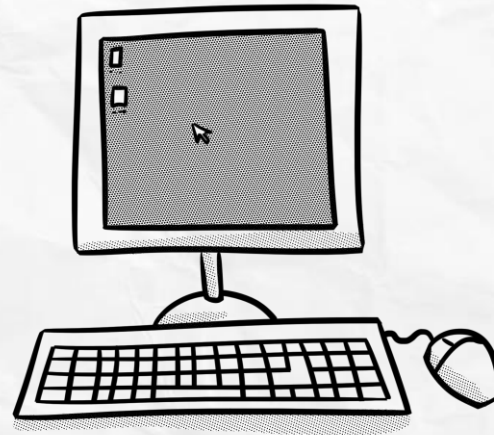
Calculate

If you are asked to calculate something, you need to get a numerical answer and show the relevant stages of your working.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to give an account of the similarities and differences between two (or more) items or situations, referring to each of them throughout.

Computer Science

**Complete**

If you are asked to complete something, you need to provide all necessary or appropriate parts.

Convert

If you are asked to convert something, you need to change the form, character or function of something.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to give the precise meaning of a word, phrase, concept or physical quantity.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to give a detailed account or picture of a situation, event, pattern or process.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to offer a considered and balanced review which includes a range of arguments, factors or hypotheses. Opinions or conclusions should be presented clearly and supported by appropriate evidence.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to assess the limitations and possible consequences/implications; make comments/judgements about ideas, work, solutions or methods in relation to selected criteria.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to give a detailed account of something, including reasons or causes.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to present information which determines the importance of an event or issue. Quite often, you will be asked to show causation.

Computer Science

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Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to provide an answer from a number of possibilities. You will need to recognise and briefly state a particular factor or feature.

Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to give valid reasons or evidence to support an answer or conclusion.

Show

If you are asked to show something, you need to give steps in a derivation or calculation.

Solve

If you are asked to solve something, you need to get the answer(s) using algebraic and/or numerical and/or graphical methods.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to give a specific name, value or other brief answer without explanation or calculation.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to separate information into components to identify their characteristics.

Apply

If you are asked to apply, you need to put something into effect in a recognised way.

Argue

If you are asked to argue, you need to present a reasoned case for something.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate, you need to work out the value of something.

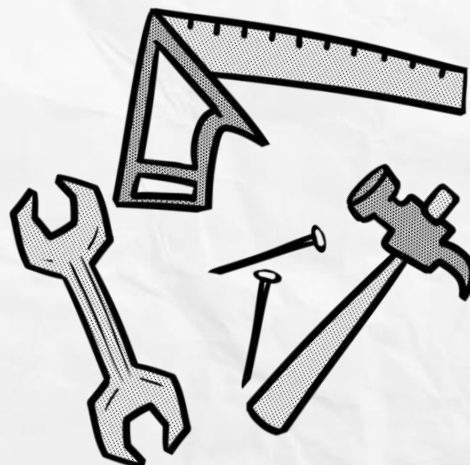
Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to identify similarities and differences between two or more things.

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Complete

If you are asked to complete, you need to finish a task by adding certain information.



Consider

If you are asked to consider something, you need to review and respond to the given information.

Contrast

If you are asked to contrast, you need to identify differences.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to provide the meaning of it.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to set out the characteristics/features of it.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss, you need to present key points about different ideas or strengths and weaknesses of an idea.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to judge it from available evidence.

Examine

If you are asked to examine something, you need to investigate it closely.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to set out the purposes and reasons for it.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to produce an answer from memory.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to name, or otherwise characterise, it.



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Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to support a case with evidence.

Name

If you are asked to name something, you need to give the correct title or term for it.

Outline

If you are asked to outline something, you need to set out the main characteristics of it.

Repeat

If you are asked to repeat something, you need to repeat a given pattern.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to express it clearly and briefly.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to examine it in great detail.

Comment

If you are asked to comment on something, you need to give an opinion or a reaction to the idea or performance concerned.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to consider the similarities and differences between ideas/performances.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to produce a detailed written or oral report of performances.

Drama



Develop

If you are asked to develop something, you need to improve upon existing work by exploring ideas in more detail.

Devise

If you are asked to devise, you need to create a new piece of work, you may draw on inspiration to do so.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to talk about a topic and consider alternative view points.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to assess the quality of work/ideas in relation to others.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to express ideas very clearly and in great detail.

Interpret

If you are asked to interpret something, you need to perform in a way which shows a personal understanding (e.g. a director's ideas/character).

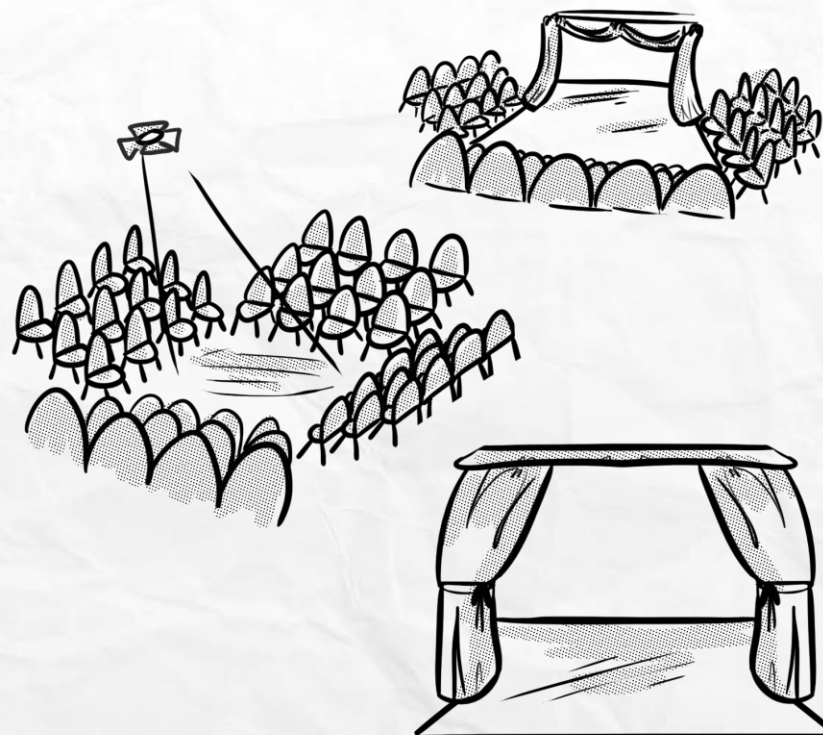
Perform

If you are asked to perform, you will need to produce and act out ideas in front of an audience.

Present

If you are asked to present something, you need to perform. This means you will need to produce and act out ideas in front of an audience.

Drama



Reflect

If you are asked to reflect, you need to review your written work/performance and consider its effectiveness.

Rehearse

If you are asked to rehearse, you need to spend time preparing a performance, based either on a script or devised piece.

Study

If you are asked to study something, you need to independently explore, investigate and analyse a topic/idea in great detail.

Suggest

If you are asked to suggest something, you need to put forward an idea.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to look at the information provided and break it down to identify and make sense of the main points being raised.

Apply

If you are asked to apply something, you need to put something into effect in a recognized way.

Assess

If you are asked to assess something, you need to reach a sensible conclusion (judgement) about it. At A Level, you need to show accurate knowledge by providing contextualised explanations.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate something, you need to work out the value of it.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to explain its meaning.

Economics



Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to set out its characteristics.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to present key points about different ideas or strengths and weaknesses of an idea.

Draw

If you are asked to draw, you need to produce a diagram.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to form a conclusion/judgement based on the available evidence, using detailed knowledge.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to set out purposes or reasons for something, using appropriate evidence.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to name, state or characterise it.

Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to support a case with evidence.

Label

If you are asked to label something, you need to provide appropriate names on a diagram.

Recommend

If you are asked to recommend something, you need to suggest solutions or options in response to something.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to express yourself briefly and clearly.



English



Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to look closely at the language and/or structure of the extract/text to work out the writer's aims and what effects they wanted to have on their reader or audience.

Argue

If you are asked to argue for or against something, you need to try to convince someone (who may disagree with you) that something is right or wrong, using reasons and evidence.

Comment

If you are asked to comment on something, you need to consider it and offer your opinion on the topic, question focus or text.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to identify similarities and/or differences between two texts.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to explain what it means very clearly and specifically.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to give a detailed explanation by using vocabulary, imagery and specific details to create an image for your reader so they can imagine what you are describing.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to talk about it with another person or a group of people.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate, you need to decide if something is good or bad/right or wrong, based on the evidence available to you.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to give information about it, or reasons for it, which will make it easier to understand.

Infer

If you are asked to infer, you need to read the text closely to gather information that may/may not be obvious/explicit. You may use this to make a judgement about something, for example a question focus.

Plan

If you are asked to plan, you need to decide in advance what you are going to do by noting down key ideas and considering the structure and style of your writing to ensure it is appropriate/well-suited to the task.

Select

If you are asked to select, you need to choose. For example you may be asked to select information from a text, so you will need to read the text and choose the relevant/required information.

Support

If you are asked to support a point or argument, you need to use evidence/quotations to help prove what you are saying.

Ecoutez – Listen

Parlez – Talk/Speak about

Lisez – Read

Ecrivez – Write

Regardez – Look

Répétez – Repeat

Répondez – Answer

Travaillez – Work

Expliquez – Explain

Notez – Write down

Complétez – Complete

Choisissez – Choose

Cherchez – Look for

Trouvez – Find

Décrivez – Describe

Catégorisez – Categorise

Traduisez – Translate

Dans quelle mesure? – To what extent?

Justifiez – Justify

Analyser – Analyse

Traduisez en anglais – Translate into English

If you are asked to translate into English, you need to put the intended meaning of the message into correct English so that an English speaker can understand what the writer wanted to convey.

Traduisez en français – Translate into French

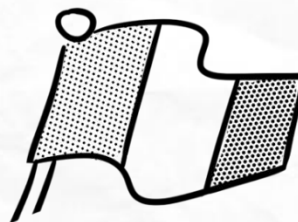
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Expliquez - Explain

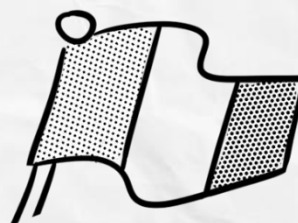
If you are asked to explain something, you need to describe very clearly and justify your points with reasons why.

Analysez - Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to look closely at the language of the extract/text to work out its meaning and what the writer is conveying to the reader and how they achieve this.



French



Décrivez - Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to give a detailed explanation by using adjectives, opinions and specific details to create an image for your reader so they can imagine what you are describing.

Choisissez - Choose

If you are asked to choose something, you need to select the appropriate answer amongst a list of possible answers. Only one is correct.

Dans quelle mesure - To what extent..?

If you are asked 'to what extent', you need to review information and then bring it together to form a judgement or conclusion, following the provision of a balanced and reasoned argument.

Justifiez - Justify

If you are asked to justify, you need to give reasons and evidence to back up your answer or point of view.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to break down the content of a topic or issue into its individual elements to provide a detailed account and show an understanding of it.

Annotate

If you are asked to annotate something, you will need to add to a diagram, image or graphic with a number of words that describe and/or explain features, rather than just identify them (which is labelling).

Assess

In Geography GCSE, if you are asked to assess something, you need to make an informed comment/judgement. At A Level, this may involve considering several options or arguments and weighing them up to come to a conclusion about their effectiveness or validity.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate, you need to work out the value of something.

Geography

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to identify similarities and differences.



Complete

If you are asked to complete something, you need to finish the task by adding information.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to state the precise meaning of an idea or concept.

Describe

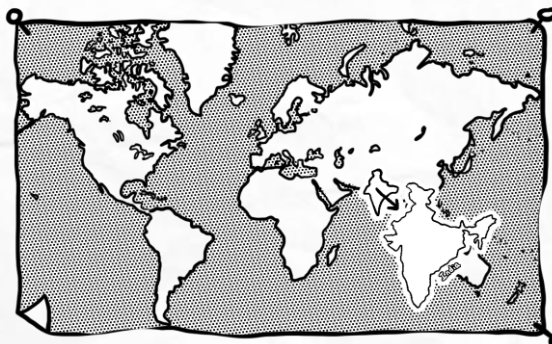
If you are asked to describe something (a feature, pattern, entity, distribution or process), you need to set out its characteristics.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to present key points about different ideas or strengths and weaknesses of an idea. At A Level, you will need to set out both sides of an argument and come to a conclusion related to the content and focus of the discussion.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate, you will need to consider the evidence or available options, ideas or arguments and come to a conclusion or judgement about their importance/success/worth.



Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to support a case with evidence. This may involve giving reasons for the validity of a view or idea about why some action should be undertaken.

Examine

If you are asked to examine something, you need to carefully consider and provide a detailed account of the given topic.

Geography

Outline

If you are asked to outline something, you need to set out its main characteristics. At A Level, this may involve providing a brief account of relevant information.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to set out purposes and reasons using information and knowledge. At A Level, you will need to set out the causes of a phenomenon and/or the factors which influence its form/nature.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to name it or otherwise characterise it.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to express it clearly.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to produce an answer from recall.

Interpret

If you are asked to interpret something, you need to give meaning to it.

Suggest

If you are asked to suggest something, you need to present a possible case/solution for something.

Hören Sie zu - **Listen**

Sprechen Sie - **Talk/Speak**

Schreiben Sie - **Write**

Beantworten Sie - **Answer**

Sehen Sie an - **Look**

Übersetzen Sie - **Translate**

Arbeiten Sie - **Work**

Erklären Sie - **Explain**

Wiederholen Sie - **Repeat**

Finden Sie - **Find**

Begründen Sie - **Justify**

Suchen Sie - **Look for**

Beschreiben Sie - **Describe**

Lesen Sie - **Read**

Wählen Sie - **Choose**

Analysieren Sie - **Analyse**

Inwiefern? - **To what extent?**

Vervollständigen Sie - **Complete**

Kategorisieren Sie - **Categorise**

Übersetzen Sie ins Englische – Translate into English

If you are asked to translate into English, you need to put the intended meaning of the message into correct English so that an English speaker can understand what the writer wanted to convey.

Übersetzen Sie ins Deutsche – Translate into German

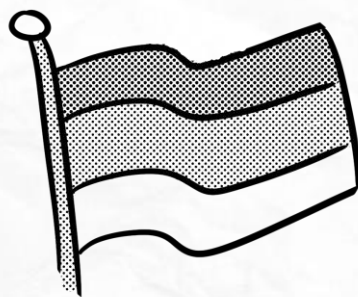
If you are asked to translate into German, you need to put the intended meaning of the message into correct German so that a German speaker can understand what the writer wanted to convey.

Erklären Sie – Explain

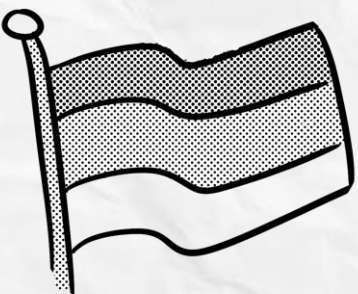
If you are asked to explain something, you need to describe very clearly and justify your points with reasons why.

Analysieren Sie – Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to look closely at the language of the extract/text to work out its meaning and what the writer is conveying to the reader and how they achieve this.



German



Beschreiben Sie – Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to give a detailed explanation by using adjectives, opinions and specific details to create an image for your reader so they can imagine what you are describing.

Wählen Sie aus – Choose

If you are asked to choose something, you need to select the appropriate answer amongst a list of possible answers. Only one is correct.

Inwiefern – To what extent..?

If you are asked 'to what extent', you need to review information and then bring it together to form a judgement or conclusion, following the provision of a balanced and reasoned argument.

Begründen Sie – Justify

If you are asked to justify, you need to give reasons and evidence to back up your answer or point of view.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to break down ideas, issues etc. to find connections, similarities and/or differences. You should demonstrate clear and sensible thinking.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to identify and explain connections, similarities and differences.



Government and Politics

Examine

If you are asked to examine something, you need to consider an idea/concept carefully in a balanced and removed/detached way to come to a sensible conclusion.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to identify and explain connections, similarities and differences.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate, review ideas, issues and/or information to make sensible comments/judgements and draw conclusions about their importance/significance/influence.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to examine it in detail and explain it, in response to the question asked. You will need to select appropriate information. You may be asked to make a sensible conclusion (judgement) and make links.

Assess

If you are asked to assess something, you need to judge/evaluate it and use all of the available evidence to offer a clear and sensible argument and/or judgement.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to assess the similarities and/or differences between two things.

History



Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to state the meaning of it clearly and in a detailed manner.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to offer a very detailed response which answers a specific enquiry. You will need to use appropriate knowledge that is developed and detailed, by including relevant information.

Develop

If you are asked to develop something, you need to offer details and/or explain in as much depth as possible. You will often be asked to add information, more detail and sensible conclusions/comments (judgements).

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to analyse and explain it in a sensible, clear and structured manner, using appropriate information. You may need to sometimes consider other ideas/interpretations.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to assess the evidence and make sensible, logical arguments using relevant knowledge. You may also be asked to make a developed conclusion (judgement) in relation to the question or topic.

Explain

If you are asked to explain, you need to make something clear by supporting your response with relevant detailed knowledge.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to state information.



History



Interpret

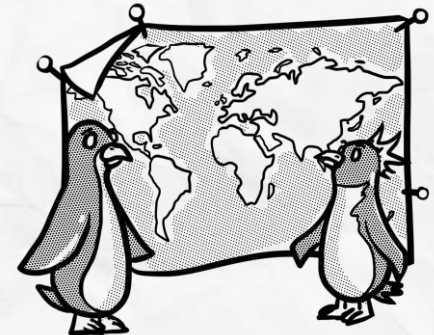
If you are asked to interpret something, you need to identify and explain its meaning.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to express it clearly.

Study

If you are asked to study something, you need to examine it in detail by looking closely at all aspects of the evidence/opinion/topic.



Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to compare or consider unique or special features of something.

Approximate

If you are asked to approximate something, you need to estimate (make an informed guess) values in order to make calculations simpler.

Assess

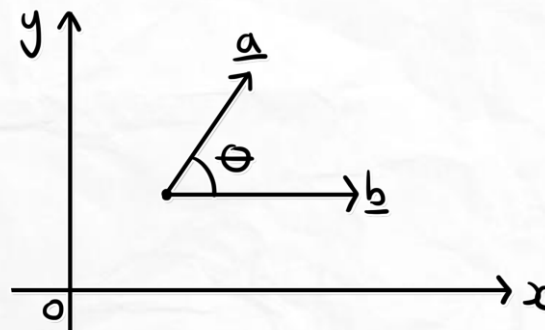
If you are asked to assess something, you need to consider/evaluate the suitability, nature or quality of something, making an informed comment/judgement on it.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate something, you need to work something out using a mathematical process/operation.

Comment

If you are asked to comment on something, you need to make a statement about the result or information.



Maths

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to look at similarities and differences between one thing and another.

Complete

If you are asked to complete something, you need to fill in the missing values.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to use its characteristics/properties to describe it.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to give an account about it, including all of the relevant characteristics, qualities or events.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to talk or write about it.

Estimate

If you are asked to estimate something, you need to approximate the value of something.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to find the amount or value of a calculation, to 'work out'.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to write a sentence to describe it and make it clear or justify it.

Interpret

If you are asked to interpret something, you need to provide its meaning. You may be asked to interpret a graph in context, for example.

Investigate

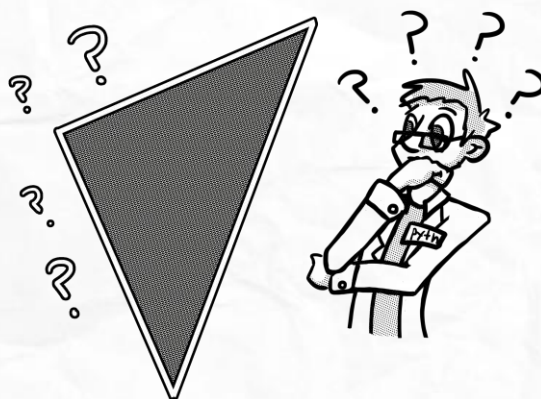
If you are asked to investigate, you need to carry out calculations or procedures to draw a conclusion(s).

Present

If you are asked to present something, you need to display information in a particular way.

Refer

If you are asked to refer to something, you need to look back at something previously calculated.



Maths

Satisfy

If you are asked to satisfy something, you need to fulfil the conditions or keep something similar (equivalent).

Show

If you are asked to show something, you need to use your working out to explain how you got to your conclusion.

Sketch

If you are asked to sketch something, you need to use your equipment (compass, protractor etc) to create a precise and accurate drawing.

State

If you are asked to state, you need to write clearly, usually involving a reason.

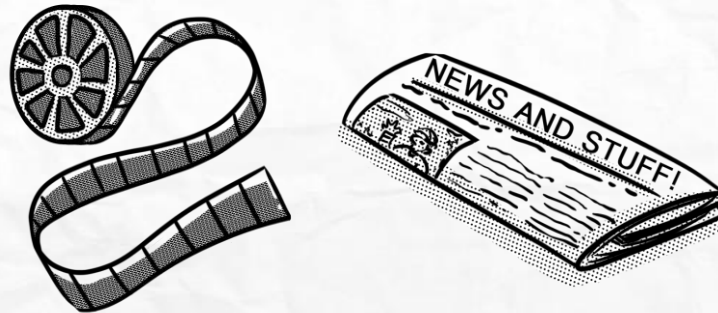
Suggest

If you are asked to suggest something, you need to make a suggestion, usually based on something you have already calculated.

Work out

If you are asked to work something out, you need to calculate it by using a mathematical process/operation.

Media Studies



Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to break the media text down into its individual parts to explore how the meaning is created.

Assess

If you are asked to assess something, you need to consider/review the information provided and draw conclusions from this.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to explore similarities and differences between media texts and/or theories.

Develop

If you are asked to develop something, you need to build on a media design by adding more defined details.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to explore both sides of a discussion point, demonstrating understanding of each viewpoint.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to review information and bring it all together to draw a conclusion, including identifying strengths and weaknesses.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to use logic/reasoning to demonstrate a clear understanding of a media concept and/or theory.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to recall information to demonstrate understanding of a topic.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to select and explore information within a media text.

Present

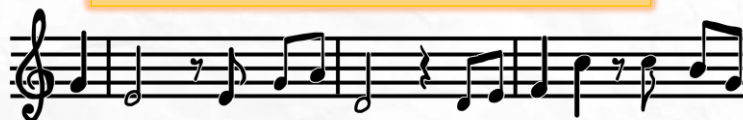
If you are asked to present something, you need to show/communicate an idea.

Sketch

If you are asked to sketch something, you need to produce a rough design of a media text.



Music



Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to examine in detail how musical elements have been used in a piece of music.

Appraise

If you are asked to appraise something, you need to analyse music by identifying techniques used by the composer.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to state the similarities and differences between pieces of music.

Compose

If you are asked to compose something, you need to create a piece of music yourself.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to explain the techniques that a composer has used.

Develop

If you are asked to develop your composition, you need to change a musical idea to make it more advanced.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to analyse music by identifying techniques used by the composer.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to establish a technique used by the composer, either by listening to a piece of music or by finding it in written music.

Name

If you are asked to name something, you need to identify it.

Notate

In music, if you are asked to notate, you need to write out a piece of music, using traditional music staff notation.

Perform

If you are asked to perform something, you need to play a piece of music.

Review

If you are asked to review something, you need to analyse music by identifying techniques used by the composer.

Select

If you are asked to select, you need to choose something in response to a question.

Suggest

If you are asked to suggest, you need to put forward an idea.



Physical Education

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse, you need to separate information into components and identify their characteristics. You will need to think about how they are related and explain how each one contributes.

Apply

If you are asked to apply, you need to put something into effect in a recognised way.

Assess

If you are asked to assess, you need to present a careful consideration of varied factors or events that apply to a scientific situation or identifies those which are the most important or relevant to arrive at a conclusion.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate, you need to work out the value of something.

Classify

If you are asked to classify, you need to group or place on a scale, based on characteristics/analysis of characteristics..

Compare

If are asked to compare, you need to identify similarities or differences.

Complete

If you are asked to complete something, you need to add information based on a stimulus/resource. This could be to complete a table, graph, chart or missing word from a statement.

Consider

If you are asked to consider, you need to review and respond to given information.

Define

If you are asked to define, you need to give the meaning of a word/term.

Describe

If you are asked to describe, you need to give an account, or details, about something.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to explore the issue/situation/problem that is being assessed in the question context, articulating different or contrasting viewpoints. For example, advantages or disadvantages to something.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to review information before bringing it together to form a conclusion or come to a supported judgement of a subject's qualities in relation to its context, drawing on evidence: strengths, weaknesses, alternative actions, relevant data or information.

Examine

If you are asked to examine something, you need to provide a justification/exemplification of a point based on some analysis or evaluation within the response.



Physical Education

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to provide a justification/exemplification of a point. The answer must contain some linked reasoning.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to recall a fact or an example, based on the given stimulus.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to select something from a given stimulus or resource. For example, from a multiple choice question or analysis of data from source material such as a graph.

Illustrate

If you are asked to illustrate something, you need to present clarifying examples of it.

Interpret

If you are asked to interpret something, you need to translate information into recognisable form.

Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to give reasons for answers.

Label

If you are asked to label something, you need to add named structures or features to a diagram.

Outline

If you are asked to outline something, you need to set out the main characteristics of it.

Select

If you are asked to select, you need to make a choice based on an evaluation of information from a given stimulus/resource.

State

If you are asked to state, you need to recall a fact. For example, to state a benefit of exercise. It can also be used to find out a students' grasp or information when used in relation to context. For example, in a data analysis question.

Suggest

If you are asked to suggest something, you need to present a possible case/solution.

'To what extent...'

If you are asked 'to what extent', you need to review information and then bring it together to form a judgement or conclusion, following the provision of a balanced and reasoned argument.

'Using an example, ...'

If you are asked to use an example, you need to use information to show the point being made. This is often used with explain or describe questions.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to separate information into individual parts and identify their characteristics. You will also need to discuss the advantages and disadvantages of a topic or argument and make a clear and relevant comment.

Assess

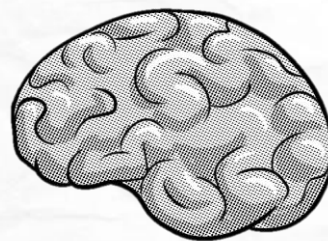
If you are asked to assess something, you need to offer a sensible comment (judgement) on the standard/quality of situation/skills, informed by relevant facts.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate, you need to work out the value of something.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to identify the similarities and/or differences between one thing and another.



Psychology

Consider

If you are asked to consider something, you need to review and respond to the given information.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to give a definition of it.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to give an account of it.

Design

If you are asked to design something, you need to plan a presentation of ideas to show the layout, function, workings, object, system and/or process of it.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to present key points about different ideas or strengths and weaknesses of an idea.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to form a conclusion/judgement based on the available evidence.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to set out the purposes or reasons for it. If you are asked to explain how, you need to give a detailed account of a process or way of doing something.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to name or otherwise characterise it.

Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to support a case with evidence.

Label

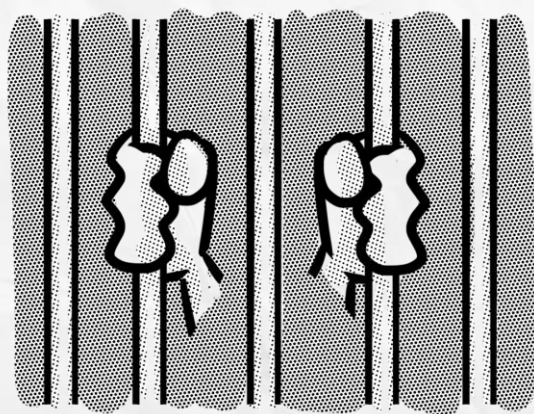
If you are asked to label something, you need to provide appropriate names on a diagram.

Name

If you are asked to name something, you need to identify it, using a recognised technical term.



Psychology



Outline

If you are asked to outline something, you need to set out the main characteristics of it.

Refer

If you are asked to refer to something, you need to mention or allude (hint) to it.

Sketch

If you are asked to sketch something, you need to draw something approximately.

State

If you are asked to state something, you need to express it clearly.

Suggest

If you are asked to suggest, you may need to give possible alternatives, produce an idea, put forward a plan or present a possible case/solution to something.

Assess

If you are asked to assess something, you need to weigh up more than one point of view and reach a reasonable conclusion.



Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to write a clear and detailed account of a topic, exploring underlying reasons for it.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to state similarities and differences between two or more ideas or beliefs.

Religious Studies

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to state the response briefly.

Discuss

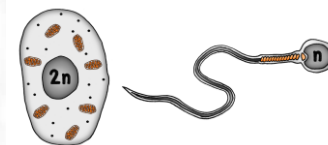
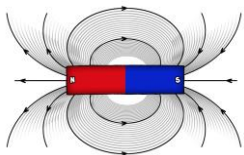
If you are asked to discuss something, you need to explain different points of view, supporting with evidence.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, consider different viewpoints and arrive at a sensible conclusion/judgement.

Why

If you are asked 'why', your response needs to give a sensible/reasoned consideration of a single point of view through a clear and developed structure/logical chain of reasoning.



Assess

If you are asked to assess something, you need to identify the important information in the question to come to a conclusion about it.

Calculate

If you are asked to calculate something, you need to use the numbers given in the question to work out the answer and include units.

Comment

If you are asked to comment on something, you need to look at information or data and decide what it shows.

Compare

If you are asked to compare, you need to describe similarities and/or differences. If you are asked to compare and contrast, you will need to give similarities and differences.

Complete

If you are asked to complete something, you need to add values to a table or diagram.

Science

Deduce

If you are asked to deduce something, you need to come to a decision, based on the information you have been given.

Define

If you are asked to define something, you need to state the meaning of it.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to recall facts, events or processes.

Design

If you are asked to design something, you need to set out how it will be done.

Determine

If you are asked to determine something, you need to use data or information to obtain an answer.

Devise

If you are asked to devise something, you need to plan a method.

Discuss

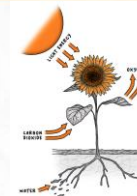
If you are asked to discuss something, you need to explore the situation or argument in the question and come to a conclusion.

Draw

If you are asked to draw something, you need to produce or add to a diagram.

Estimate

If you are asked to estimate something, you need to find a rough value from the information given.



Science

Estimate

If you are asked to estimate something, you need to find a rough value from the information given.

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to use information and your own knowledge to consider evidence for and against.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to state how or why something happens.

Give

If you are asked to give, you need to recall one or more pieces of information.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to choose key details from the information given.

Justify

If you are asked to justify something, you need to use evidence from the question to support your answer.

Label

If you are asked to label something, you need to name or show something on a diagram, graph or table.

Measure

If you are asked to measure something, you need to find an item of data for a given quantity.

Name

If you are asked to name something, you need to recall one or more pieces of information.

Plan

If you are asked to plan something, you need to write a method.

Plot

If you are asked to plot something, you need to mark points on a graph using data given and draw a line of best fit.

Predict

If you are asked to predict, you need to say what you think will happen, based on the information given and your own knowledge.

Show

If you are asked to show something, you need to prove the statement is correct by using evidence.

Sketch

If you are asked to sketch something, you need to draw approximately, without using a ruler.

Suggest

If you are asked to suggest something, you need to apply your knowledge and understanding to a new situation.

Analyse

If you are asked to analyse something, you need to separate the information into individual parts/topics and identify their characteristics.

Define

In sociology, if you are asked to define something, you need to explain the meaning of it.

Describe

If you are asked to describe something, you need to set out its characteristics. For example, this may be about theories, concepts etc.

Discuss

If you are asked to discuss something, you need to present the key points about different ideas or strengths and weaknesses of an idea.

Sociology

Evaluate

If you are asked to evaluate something, you need to judge from the available information and evidence.

Examine

If you are asked to examine something, you need to investigate it closely, drawing conclusions/making judgements.

Explain

If you are asked to explain something, you need to set out purposes or reasons for it. If you are asked to briefly explain, you need to give a brief account of it.

Identify

If you are asked to identify something, you need to name or otherwise characterise it.

Outline

If you are asked to outline something, you need to set out its main characteristics and develop these purposes or reasons.

