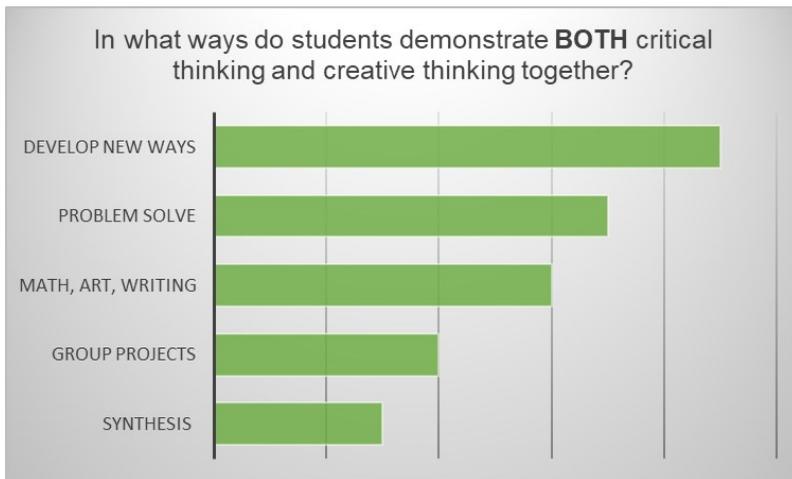
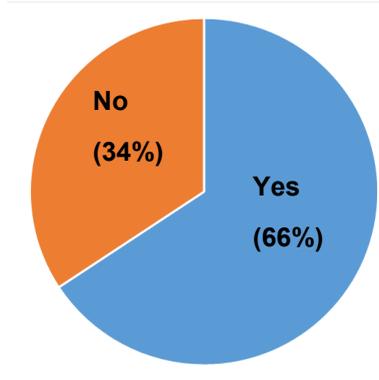


Observations from Data

Do you believe it is possible that creative thinking and critical thinking are **independent** of each other?



Complete survey data can be found at the link below:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/results/SM-86K7WYFY7/>

Resources

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All faculty members have been enrolled into Blackboard's Assignment Central Organization

Rubrics, reports, and other Core Ability information can be found on Assignment Central

Additional information is also available on the CAFE website at scfacultycafe.org



Core Ability Survey Results

Exploring Demonstrate Creative and Critical Thinking

What is this?

In April 2019, we had invited all faculty to participate in a discussion and we asked them to complete a survey regarding the Core Ability Demonstrate Creative and Critical Thinking. The intent of the survey was to get additional input from faculty, to provide an opportunity to read some academic literature prior to doing the survey, and to allow faculty to share their own thoughts and strategies.

To review the literature again, please visit

<https://www.scfacultycafe.org/core-abilities>

Survey administered April 2019

2019 Welcome Back Core Ability Update

As we are all returning this semester, we can be proud of your dedication to ensuring that students are learning. You are what makes a difference in our students' success. As part of our ongoing assessments and quality improvement, the Core Ability Team is always seeking input from faculty to improve on the process of assessment.

The following information presents the top 5 results of the faculty survey for your evaluation and input. Please complete the following steps to be a part of the ongoing improvements in our assessment of Core Abilities.

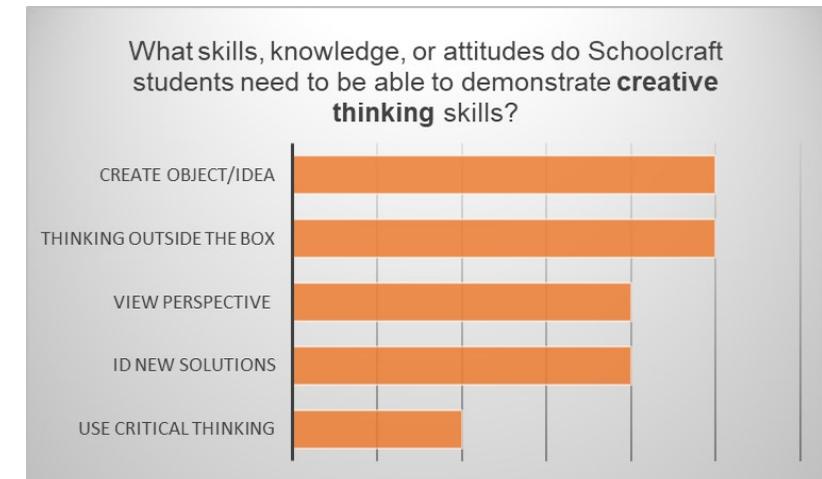
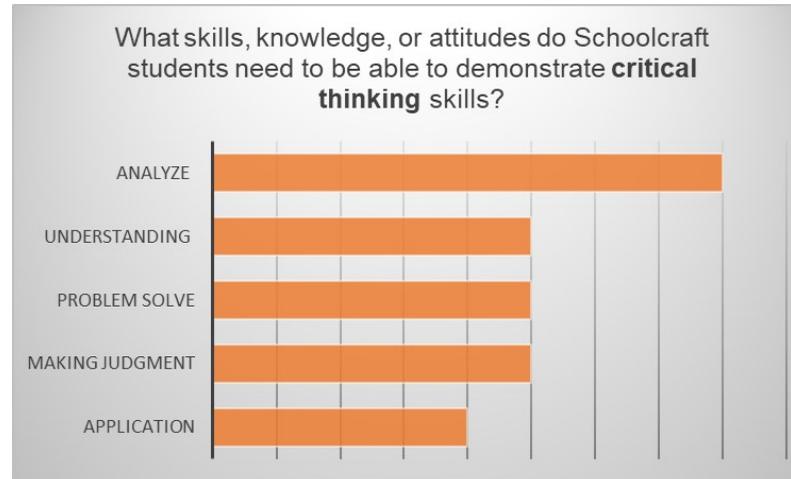
What should I do with this?

1. Compare and Contrast the top 5 results from the survey
 - a. What similarities do you see?
 - b. What differences?
 - c. What conclusions might you draw from your observations?
2. Explore the overall management of the Core Ability
 - a. Evaluate the findings regarding the separateness of creative and critical thinking with this new insight
 - b. Consider what assignments you might develop to achieve each individually or separately.

Next Steps

1. Discuss your observations with one other faculty member, if desired
 - a. What did you find in common?
 - b. What did you disagree on?
2. Share your observations with your department chair and representative
 - a. What are the holistic thoughts about this Core Ability?
 - b. What direction would your department want this Core Ability to go?
3. Share your observations within a survey
 - a. Survey to be delivered in early-September

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