

Listening & Thinking Notes

Direction: As you continually examine the provided or selected source, adopt note-taking strategies to identify and remember what you determine are important points.

Level 2 Common Keywords

Compare
Contrast
Classify/Organize
Explain Why
Analyze
Assumptions
Inferences

Level 3 Common Keywords

Evaluate
Judge
If... Then...
Predict
Imagine
Hypothesize
In your opinion...

Directions: Fill in the space below with the following types of information: Dates, Facts, Important People/Events/Things, Turning Points, Cause and Effect Realizations, Firsts, The Extraordinary, etc.

Excellent – Completely Full, Good – Mostly Full, Average – Over Half Full, Needs Improvement – About Half Full, Keep Trying – Less than half full.

Ask 5 Level 2 or Level 3 Questions inspired by the source:

- Example Level 1: What was the name of the source
- Example Level 2: Explain what you learned from the source.
- Example Level 3: Did you like the source? Explain.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Circle things you like or dislike as you observe the source:

Like / Dislike: _____

Like / Dislike: _____

Like / Dislike: _____

Like / Dislike: _____

Like / Dislike: _____

On the back: What's the most important thing you learned -or- Did you enjoy today's source? Explain.
(Try to answer in 50+ words using facts and details from the source)