

## **1. Critical Analysis and Logical Thought**

*Objective:* Students will learn about critical analysis and logical thought, with emphasis on disciplined inquiry, including the development of appropriate questions, the evaluation of evidence, and the formation of a reasoned conclusion or judgment.

*Objective:* Students will demonstrate the ability to read and listen critically, and to speak and write effectively.

Courses satisfying the Critical Analysis requirement examine a topic or problem in depth while addressing such academic skills as:

- Critical reading
- Critical thinking
- Clear writing
- Academic self-assessment
- Collaborative learning
- Information technology
- Oral presentation