

DOK Question Stems

DOK 1 • Can you recall ____? • When did ____ happen? • Who was ____? • How can you recognize ____? • What is ____? • How can you find the meaning of ____? • Can you recall ____? • Can you select ____? • How would you write ____? • What might you include on a list about ____? • Who discovered ____? • What is the formula for ____? • Can you identify ____? • How would you describe ____?	DOK 2 • Can you explain how ____ affected ____? • How would you apply what you learned to develop ____? • How would you compare ____? • Contrast ____? • How would you classify ____? • How are ____ alike? Different? • How would you classify the type of ____? • What can you say about ____? • How would you summarize ____? • How would you summarize ____? • What steps are needed to edit ____? • When would you use an outline to ____? • How would you estimate ____? • How could you organize ____? • What would you use to classify ____? • What do you notice about ____?
DOK 3 • How is ____ related to ____? • What conclusions can you draw ____? • How would you adapt ____ to create a different ____? • How would you test ____? • Can you predict the outcome if ____? • What is the best answer? Why? • What conclusion can be drawn from these three texts? • What is your interpretation of this text? Support your rationale. • How would you describe the sequence of ____? • What facts would you select to support ____? • Can you elaborate on the reason ____? • What would happen if ____? • Can you formulate a theory for ____? • How would you test ____? • Can you elaborate on the reason ____?	DOK 4 • Write a thesis, drawing conclusions from multiple sources. • Design and conduct an experiment. Gather information to develop alternative explanations for the results of an experiment. • Write a research paper on a topic. • Apply information from one text to another text to develop a persuasive argument. • What information can you gather to support your idea about ____? • DOK 4 would most likely be the writing of a research paper or applying information from one text to another text to develop a persuasive argument. • DOK 4 requires time for extended thinking.