



Argument Synopsis Year-1 Material

What is critical thinking?

Jenny: It is an argument.

It is about argument. Critical thinking is not an argument. In fact critical thinking has many features. Argument is the most important component of critical thinking.

What is the proper way to present an argument?

Chi: Premises and conclusion.

Correct, so once an argument is properly presented with premise and conclusion, how many steps are required to analyse this argument?

Jenny: two steps

Name the 2 steps

Jenny: syntax and semantics

What is another word for syntax?

Chi/Tammy: Logic

Name some features of semantics.

Chi: Meaning, background knowledge, true of false.

Good, class dismissed