

CLASSROOM LEXICON SERIES

CRITICAL THINKING

posters

Mix and match 12 designs
to fit your space!

- ✓ Includes 8.5x11in & 11x17in sizes
- ✓ Pop into frames or mat onto cardstock and laminate
- ✓ Print on white or colored paper
- ✓ Perfect for your whiteboards, doorway, blank wall, or cabinets!

ANALYZE

VERB /an-l-ahyz /

TO EXAMINE THE PARTS
OF SOMETHING CLOSELY
AND CRITICALLY TO BETTER
UNDERSTAND IT AS WHOLE

Color
coordinate
with your
existing
classroom!

Print on
colored
paper or use
to mat your
posters

CITE

VERB /sahyt /

TO QUOTE OR DESCRIBE
A SOURCE THAT
SUPPORTS YOUR CLAIM,
ESPECIALLY ONE OF
AUTHORITY

EVIDENCE

NOUN /ev-i-duhns /

A CREDIBLE AND SPECIFIC
SOURCE, FACT, OR
STATISTIC THAT SUPPORTS
YOUR CLAIM

CLAIM

NOUN /kleym /

A CONFIDENT STATEMENT
OF TRUTH, IDEALLY
FOLLOWED BY COMPELLING
EVIDENCE IN SUPPORT OF IT

COMPARE

VERB /kuhm-pair /

TO CLOSELY NOTE
SPECIFIC SIMILARITIES
AND DIFFERENCES
BETWEEN THINGS

EVALUATE

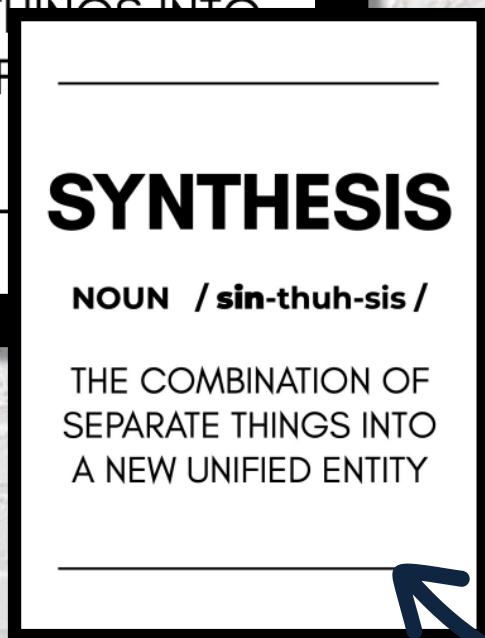
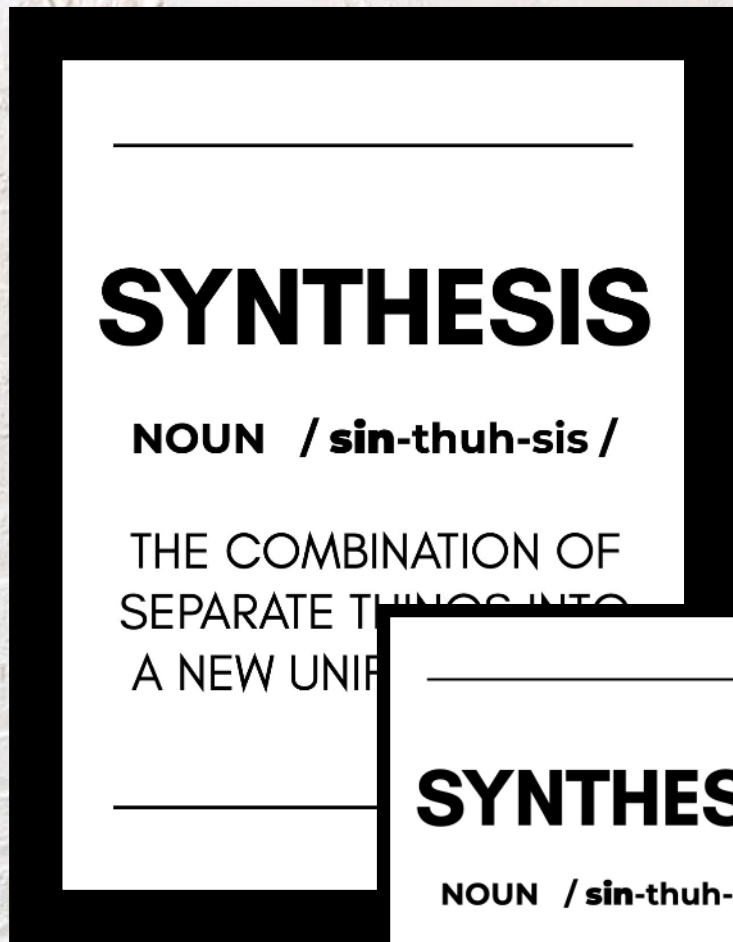
VERB /ih-val-yoo-yet /

TO DECIDE THE OVERALL
QUALITY AND VALUE OF
SOMETHING, TO CAPTURE ITS
ESSENCE AND WORTH IN A
FEW WORDS

CONCLUDE

VERB /kuhn-klood /

TO BRING TO A
SATISFYING CLOSURE
OR FINAL DECISION



11x17 size fits beautifully underneath or above your whiteboards

Use front-loading frames!

✓ Inexpensive

✓ Lightweight

✓ Minimalist look

Print and trim to fit 8x10in or 11x14in frames; hang with Command® strips

Uncluttered, calming environments have been proven to increase student learning and focus.

MORE IDEAS



- ✓ Place faux or real plants around the room
- ✓ Use lamps to create soft lighting
- ✓ Leave room on your walls for “breathing” space
- ✓ Stick to only a few colors
- ✓ If you have colored walls, stick to black-and-white posters

Create your

PERFECT SPACE