

National Institute of Open Schooling
Secondary Course: Psychology
Lesson 7: Thinking and Problem Solving
Worksheet-7

1. Define cognition. Name some of the cognitive processes. Discuss which part of the human body controls these cognitive processes.
2. What is thinking? Explain with an example how thinking is a constructive process.
3. Differentiate between what is thinking and what is not thinking. How is information for thinking collected? Discuss the mental activities involved in thinking.
4. Explain concepts with the help of an example.
5. Define reasoning. Describe the two types of reasoning.
6. Define problem solving. Explain the role of Mental Set in problem solving.
7. Discuss the elements of problem solving. Discuss the methods which are used in problem solving.
8. What is creativity? Discuss the characteristics of a creative person.
9. Discuss the stages of creative thinking.
10. Differentiate between decision making and judgment.