

Glossary of terms used in Framework units

Theory Verb	Definition
Identify	To recognise someone or something and say or prove who or what they are
Select	To choose a small number of things, or to choose by making careful decisions
List	To make a list
State	To say or write something, especially clearly and carefully
Name	To say what someone or something's name is
Describe	To say or write what someone or something is like
Explain	To make something clear or easy to understand by describing or giving information about it
Illustrate	To show the meaning or truth of something more clearly, especially by giving examples
Define	To say what the meaning or truth of something, especially a word, is (eg defining a particular term)
Compare	1 to judge, suggest or consider that something is similar or of equal quality to something else 2 to examine or look for the difference between things which are compared
Interpret	To decide what the intended meaning of something is
Differentiate	To show or find the difference between things which are compared
Distinguish	To notice or understand the difference between two things, or to make one person or thing seem different from another
Calculate	To judge the number or amount of something by using the information that you already have, and adding, multiplying, subtracting or dividing numbers
Solve	To find an answer to a problem
Investigate	To examine a problem, statement, etc. carefully, especially to discover the truth
Manipulate	To control something using the hands
Analyse	To study or examine something in detail, in order to discover more about it
Predict	To say that an event or action will happen in the future, especially as a result of knowledge or experience
Propose	To offer or state a possible plan or action (for other people to consider)
Assess	To judge or decide the amount, value, quality or importance of something
Justify	To give or to be a good reason for
Research	A detailed study of a subject, especially in order to discover (new) information or reach a (new) understanding
Review	To examine, survey or reconsider a subject or thing
Evaluate	To judge or calculate the quality, importance, amount or value of something