







## Drag the correct word to its definition below.

### organized

atmosphere

routine



A system or ordered procedure.



unorganized (5) To be in disarray or a confusing state.

c) The main mood or emotional tone.

d) To be orderly or effective.



Critical thinkers have a special place to study and work at home. It doesn't have to be a whole room, a desk or table will do. The place needs to have a good light source and a quiet atmosphere. You should be ready to think when you go to your special study area.

Critical thinkers need a system to keep track of important papers. Many students use a three ring binder with special folders in it. In this binder you can keep your homework sheets, notes that need to be signed, and other



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important material that you need to save.

# Organized Scenarios

# WELL DONE!





#### **Student Scenarios**

Organized/ Unorganized

Sarah writes down her homework in her school notebook every day.

**ORGANIZED** 

Justin throws his homework assignments into his bag at the end of the day.

UNORGANIZED

Cindy keeps track of due dates on a calendar.

**ORGANIZED** 

Nathan finishes his homework before he goes to bed every night.

ORGANIZED

Kevin works on his science project late to finish it before its due the next day.

UNORGANIZED

Rachel daydreams during class and gets the homework assignment from a friend.

UNORGANIZED

Alex uses cue cards to study for a test.

ORGANIZED

Rebecca writes her assignments down in her datebook but never looks at it.

UNORGANIZED