Have you ever thought where critical thinking could get you? Critical thinking is taken from the Greek word “Kritikos” which means to judge and the Latin word “Criticus" which means to spread languages. Critical Thinking is the ability of someone to judge in order to solve problems or understand worldly matters and it also exceeds memorization. Thinking in general is one of the main things that differentiate between humans and other species. Critical thinking should be the way used in schools and universities to help students with their real life problems and academic life

Benefits of Critical Thinking

First of all, Critical thinking helps with the real life issues as it boosts creativity and teaches time managing. According to Che (2002), critical thinking helps people think logically about possibilities then apply them to problems in their daily life. Making personal decisions such as whom to be-friend and who to push away, it needs critical thinking. In addition, thinking helps them understand themselves and others. It also makes them less emotional. Moreover, this type of thinking helps people in being open minded and accepting other’s opinions which allow them to think ahead of them. It is essential to view subjects from a different angle and analyze the situations carefully in order not to create wrong assumptions.

Second of all, critical thinking also improves the academic life. Critical reasoning is about organized reasoning to make sound suppositions. It makes a difference because you build up your own suppositions. As a matter of fact, critical thinking helps in choosing the right college to attend or the right major to study. As said by Karakoc (2016), education aims to help one realize the abilities that exist inside him so critical thinking helps with reasoning abilities which is an essential objective of contemporary methodologies in education. In fact schools and universities should produce self directed learners so they could be ready to think their way through the challenges life will send their way. Therefore critical evaluation and analysis emerges as essential for having a satisfactory of life.

To sum up, to help students with their real life problems and academic life, critical thinking should be used. Critical thinking is a method for enhancing how you think and, in this manner, enhance the aftereffects of your reasoning. Schools should start putting a system for students to use their brainstorming and their own ideas in creating what they see best for their future.