Student Handout

Bottles, Pins, and Horseshoes: Analyzing Artifacts Using Bloom's Taxonomy

Thinking Level	Cue Words	Artifact Question
KNOWLEDGE	define, recall, list, memorize	What is an artifact? What is <u>this</u> artifact?
COMPREHENSION	recognize, generalize	What is (was) this artifact generally used for?
APPLICATION	illustrate, apply, show	What else could this artifact be used for?
ANALYSIS	relate, differentiate	Name one thing that could be substituted for this artifact?
SYNTHESIS	invent, imagine, formulate	What might be used in the future in place of this artifact?
EVALUATION	compare, rate, justify, value	Which artifact is better, this one or the one you named as its substitute? Explain.