

Action Verbs for Skill Writing

Adapt
Adjust
Analyze
Apply
Appraise
Argue
Articulate
Ask
Assess
Build
Calculate
Challenge
Check
Classify
Clarify
Collect
Combine
Compare
Complete
Compute
Conclude
Conduct
Connect
Consider
Contrast
Construct
Correct
Create
Critique
Decide
Deduce
Defend
Define
Demonstrate
Derive
Describe
Design
Detect
Develop
Devise
Differentiate
Discuss

Display
Distinguish
Document
Engage
Establish
Estimate
Evaluate
Examine
Exhibit
Experiment
Explain
Explore
Express
Find
Gather (evidence, etc.)
Generalize
Give (reasons, examples, etc.)
Help
Identify
Illustrate
Incorporate
Induce
Inquire
Inspect
Instruct
Integrate
Interact
Interpret
Invent
Investigate
Judge
Justify
Label
Locate
List
Make
Model
Modify
Monitor
Organize
Participate
Perform

Plan
Predict
Present
Prioritize
Produce
Propose
Prove
Pursue
Question
Rate
Reason
Recognize
Reflect
Represent
Research
Respond
Retrieve
Review
Revise
Role-play
Search
Seek
Select
Show
Solve
Structure
Support
Synthesize
Teach
Test
Translate
Use
Utilize
Write