

1 Developing Personal Reflection

As we learn in any environment, such as school, workplace, or life, we are effected by specific individuals who will (negatively or positively) impact our learning habits and skills. Take a few minutes to think about yourself learning in different environments and those individuals in there.

1.1 Objective Questions

1. Name a teacher you will never forget. What did you learn from that teacher? How did you learn from this person?
2. Is there another individual in your life that you will never forget? What did you learn from this individual? How did you learn from this individual?

1.2 Reflective Questions

Now, go beyond the usual category of teachers being in an educational environment.

1. Who are the individuals you think (or dialogue with) when you need help or inspiration?
2. What do you find yourself copying or learning from these people?
3. Could you be one of these people for yourself?

1.3 Interpretive Questions

1. What are some the elements of their success?
2. What is it that enables them to be effective?
3. What did they do to develop these qualities?

1.4 Decisional Questions

1. What can you do to increase your own effectiveness as a learner?
2. What can a teacher do to develop the effectiveness of students as human beings?

Write a response paper, single spaced and maximum length being three pages, to the questions I have proposed.