Spokane Falls Community College COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES

Prefix and Course Number:	PHIL 115
Course Title:	Introduction to Critical Thinking
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Course Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:

1. Apply the many different kinds of reasoning, including deductive and inductive reasoning, the circumstances in which they are used, and the methods used to evaluate them.

2. Distinguish and perform different kinds of inductive reasoning, including analogical, statistical and hypothetical reasoning, etc. and the methods used to evaluate them.

3. Evaluate informal fallacies, including question-begging, equivocation, and straw men, etc.

4. General Outcome: Students will develop skills to identify, classify, and evaluate different forms of reasoning in a variety of contexts.