

Critical Thinking Questions

- 1. If I could solve one world problem, what would it be and why?**
 - How would I go about solving this problem?
 - Who would I need to help me solve this problem, and why?
- 2. Imagine I'm a detective solving a mystery. What steps would I take to solve it?**
 - What clues would I look for?
 - How would I decide which suspects to question?
- 3. If I could invent something to make life easier, what would it be?**
 - How would my invention work?
 - Who would benefit most from my invention?
- 4. Think of a time when I had a disagreement with a friend. How did I resolve it?**
 - What could I have done differently?
 - How did the resolution affect my relationship with my friend?
- 5. If I found a wallet on the ground, what would I do?**
 - How would I decide the best course of action?
 - What would I do if I couldn't find the owner?
- 6. How would I plan a surprise party for your dad?**
 - What steps would I need to take to keep it a surprise?
 - How would I ensure that the party is something he would enjoy?
- 7. If you could change one rule at my school, what would it be and why?**
 - How would the change benefit students?
 - Can I think of any negative consequences of my change?

8. **Imagine I'm an astronaut exploring a new planet. What do I hope to find?**
 - How would I prepare for my journey?
 - What challenges do I think I would face?
9. **If I could talk to animals, which animal would I talk to first and why?**
 - What questions would I ask the animal?
 - How do I think this ability would change my perspective on animals?
10. **I'm designing a city of the future. What features would it have?**
 - How would it be different from cities today?
 - What technologies would I incorporate to improve people's lives?
11. **If I could design a new school subject, what would it be and why?**
 - What skills or knowledge would students gain from this subject?
 - How would it benefit them in their daily lives and future careers?
12. **Imagine I've discovered a new planet. What is the most surprising thing about it?**
 - Describe the creatures that live there. How do they interact with their environment?
 - What kind of weather does my planet have, and how do the inhabitants adapt to it?
13. **If I could create a new holiday, what would it celebrate and how?**
 - What traditions or activities would people do on this day?
 - How would my holiday promote positive values or behaviors?

14. **Think of an invention that could help protect the environment. What is it and how does it work?**
 - Who would use my invention, and how would it change their habits?
 - What challenges might I face in convincing people to use my invention?
15. **If I had the power to change one law of nature, what would it be and what effects would it have?**
 - How would animals, plants, and humans adapt to this new law?
 - Could there be any unintended consequences of this change?
16. **Design a game that teaches players about kindness. What are the rules?**
 - How do players win, and what do they learn in the process?
 - Can I think of a way to include players who typically have a hard time in competitive games?
17. **Imagine a world where everyone has the same dream at night. What is the dream about?**
 - How would this shared dream experience affect society and relationships?
 - Would people interpret the dream differently? Why or why not?
18. **If I could communicate with plants, what would I ask them?**
 - What do I think plants would want to tell humans?
 - How could this ability change the way we care for our environment?
19. **Create a superhero whose main power is empathy. What adventures do they go on?**
 - How does their power help them solve problems?

- What challenges do they face, and how do they overcome them?

20. **If I could build a machine that does one chore for me, what would it do and how would it work?**

- Why is this chore important, and how would having it done