## Assessment and Evaluation

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## Purpose of Assessment and Evaluation

## Improve Student Learning

## Types of Assessment - Evidence of Learning

Assignments, Reports, Journals,
Quizzes
Tests
Projects
Presentations
Performance Tasks
Observations
Conversations

## Formative vs Summative

| Formative | Summative |
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| Not included in Final Mark Calculation. | Included in Final Mark Calculation. |
| Teachers use to gather information about student <br> learning throughout the unit. | Evaluation of Student Learning from various <br> products. |
| Share goals and success criteria. | Reports achievement near the end of a unit or <br> course. |
| Provide timely and descriptive feedback. |  |
| Students use to monitor progress, learn from their <br> mistakes. |  |

## Achievement Chart

All Assessments are Categorized in 4 areas of the Achievement Chart
Total of all areas is 100\%. The percentage is used in the final mark calculation of the semester.

Knowledge 30\%
Application 30\%
Communication 20\%
Thinking 20\%
An Assessment may include 1 or more areas of the Achievement Chart

## Mark Calculation

Each assessment is attributed a weighting or ratio relative to other assessments

Example

- Test - 100\%, Quizzes 50\%, Journals 25\%
- Report : Test : Quiz = 3:2:1

The higher the weighting the more significant the value in the mark calculation.

Formative Assessments have a weighting of 0\%

## Final Evaluation

$30 \%$ of the course mark is determined by Final Evaluation towards the end of the course

- Culminating Tasks
- Summative Tasks
- Projects
- Final Exam

