Critical Thinking in Everyday Life

Name	Date				
ABOUT ME					
1. I am years old.	4. Birthdate (MM/DD/YY)				
2. I have been in 4-H for years.	5. How do you describe yourself? (check one)				
	☐ African – American, not of Hispanic origin				
3. Check one:	 American Indian or Alaskan Native 				
I am girl.	☐ Asian/Pacific Islander				
I am boy.	Hispanic				
	□ White, not of Hispanic origin				
	Other- please specify				

Instructions: The following statements describe how you might think about certain things in your daily life. Circle the answer that corresponds to how often you have done what is described in the <u>last 30 days</u>. For example, if you circle 5 under "always" for an item that means you regularly do what is described in the statement. You always do it.

WHEN I THINK . . .

WHEN I THINK	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Always
1. I think of possible results before I take action.	1	2	3	4	5
2. I get ideas from other people when having a task to do.	1	2	3	4	5
3. I develop my ideas by gathering information.	1	2	3	4	5
4. When facing a problem, I identify options.	1	2	3	4	5
5. I can easily express my thoughts on a problem.	1	2	3	4	5
6. I am able to give reasons for my opinions.	1	2	3	4	5
7. It is important for me to get information to support my opinions.	1	2	3	4	5
8. I usually have more than one source of information before making a decision.	1	2	3	4	5
9. I plan where to get information on a topic.	1	2	3	4	5
10. I plan how to get information on a topic.	1	2	3	4	5
11. I put my ideas in order by importance.	1	2	3	4	5
12. I back my decisions by the information I got.	1	2	3	4	5

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Always
13. I listen to the ideas of others even if I disagree with them.	1	2	3	4	5
14. I compare ideas when thinking about a topic.	1	2	3	4	5
15. I keep my mind open to different ideas when planning to make a decision.	1	2	3	4	5
16. I am aware that sometimes there are no right or wrong answers to a question.	1	2	3	4	5
17. I develop a checklist to help me think about an issue.	1	2	3	4	5
18. I can easily tell what I did was right or wrong.	1	2	3	4	5
19. I am able to tell the best way of handling a problem.	1	2	3	4	5
20. I make sure the information I use is correct.	1	2	3	4	5

THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE THIS SURVEY!