# NSSE Shorts
# Development of Transferable Skills Module

**1. During the current school year, whether course-related or not, about how often have you done the following?**

*Response options: Very often=4, Often=3, Sometimes=2, Never=1*

a. Discussed or debated an issue of social, political, or philosophical importance [TRNdebateS]
b. Made a speech to a group [TRNspeechS]
c. Worked in a group with people who differed from you in terms of background, political orientation, points of view, etc. [TRNgroupS]
d. Discussed the ethical consequences of a course of action [TRNethicalS]
e. Evaluated the credibility of information sources [TRNcredS]
f. Discussed complex problems with others to develop a better solution [TRNcomplexS]
g. Generated multiple solutions to a problem or task [TRNsolutionS]
h. Combined dissimilar concepts to create a novel idea [TRNcreateS]
i. Adapted a previously used solution to a new situation [TRNadaptS]
j. Referred to online content (tutorial, forum, webpage, etc.) to solve a problem [TRNonlsolveS]
k. Referred to online content (tutorial, forum, webpage, etc.) to learn a new skill or procedure [TRNonlskillS]
l. Used project management tools to plan, organize, or schedule tasks [TRNprojectS]
m. Used a daily or weekly "to do" list [TRNtodoS]
n. Prioritized what tasks need to be accomplished [TRNtasksS]
o. Worked longer hours than usual to meet deadlines (i.e., after midnight, before dawn) [TRNhoursS]
p. Written something (paper, report, article, etc.) that used information from a variety of sources (books, journals, Internet, databases, etc.) [TRNwrsourceS]
q. Written something (paper, report, article, etc.) that assessed the conclusions of a published work [TRNwrassessS]
r. Written something (paper, report, article, etc.) that included ideas from more than one academic discipline [TRNwrideasS]
s. Written something (paper, report, article, etc.) that presented multiple viewpoints or perspectives [TRNwrviewsS]

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