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## Command Verbs

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<b>Analyse</b>	Separate information into components and identify their characteristics.
<b>Apply</b>	Put into effect in a recognised way.
<b>Argue</b>	Present a reasoned case.
<b>Assess</b>	Make an informed judgement.
<b>Comment</b>	Present an informed opinion.
<b>Compare</b>	Identify similarities.
<b>Consider</b>	Review and respond to given information.
<b>Contrast</b>	Identify differences.
<b>Criticise</b>	Assess worth against explicit expectations.
<b>Debate</b>	Present different perspectives on an issue.
<b>Deduce</b>	Draw conclusions from information provided.
<b>Define</b>	Specify meaning.
<b>Describe</b>	Set out characteristics.
<b>Discuss</b>	Present salient points.
<b>Estimate</b>	Assign an approximate value.
<b>Evaluate</b>	Judge from available evidence.
<b>Examine</b>	Investigate closely.
<b>Explain</b>	Set out purposes or reasons.
<b>Explore</b>	Investigate without preconceptions.
<b>Illustrate</b>	Present clarifying examples.
<b>Identify</b>	Name or otherwise characterise.
<b>Justify</b>	Present a reasoned case.
<b>Interpret</b>	Translate information into recognisable form.

<b>Outline</b>	Set out main characteristics.
<b>Prove</b>	Demonstrate validity on the basis of evidence.
<b>Relate</b>	Demonstrate interconnections.
<b>Review</b>	Survey information.
<b>State</b>	Express in unequivocal terms.
<b>Summarise</b>	Present principal points without detail.