

# Intro Activity

## 25 points

The purpose of this activity is to stimulate cognition in the learner regarding educational based blogs. The instructor will present five blogs to the class via a projector. The students will observe the blogs and take notes on each blog. Students will comment on the following:

- Design: How was the blog designed? Did it grab your attention? Was the layout easy to follow?
- Information: Was the information presented appropriate? Did it flow well? Was it easy to understand?
- Suggestions and Kudos: What could the author of this blog change to make it better? What are they doing well?

Learners should then get into small groups and talk about their findings. Instructor will advise learners to keep the notes to refer to during class discussion.

## Resources

Blog 1: <http://www.speedofcreativity.org/> Moving at the speed of creativity

Blog 2: <http://blog.infinitethinking.org/> Infinite Thinking Machine

Blog 3: <http://kt.flexiblelearning.net.au/> The Knowledge Tree

Blog 4: <http://ramblinglibrarian.blogspot.com/> Rambling Librarian

Blog 5: <http://escrapbooking.com/bloggng/blog2.htm> EScrapbooking