Drawing Conclusions / Synthesizing

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| Analyzing- Important information I have found out (facts) *(include sources or location in research notebook)* | Synthesis- My thinking:   * What I now understand? * What this means to me? |
| * **Basketball players sweat about 1 L every game.** (www. Athletic facts.com) * **I always see basketball players drinking fluid** *(seen on TV)* | * **They must drink a lot of water to stay hydrated** * **It must be difficult if they sweat that much** |
| * **Most players in the NBA can dunk** *(www. Bball.com)* * **There are about 1500 players in the NBA** *(sports illustrated)* | * **They must be very tall and strong** * **It must be very hard to make it to the NBA** * **Basketball is a much more challenging sport than I previously thought, I am going to have to train very hard this year if I want to make the team in high school.** |
| * **Juggling is very good for your brain** *(*[*www.superjuggling.ca*](http://www.superjuggling.ca)*)* * **You can learn to juggle in just 15 min day** *(Juggling for complete klutz book)* * **Juggling balls are very expensive** *(Amazon & ebay)* * **I don’t have very much money** | * **Juggling is something I can do. I can find a way to make my own juggling balls and maybe it will help me improve in word work** |
| * **People can grow a lot of food even just on a balcony.** *(www.rooftopgarens.com)* * **Growing you own food is very satisfying** *(my friend told me she loves it)* * **Not all apartment owners let tenants grow gardens on balconies** *(Vancouver sun, Saturday edition)* * **Rats have been seen climbing up to the 17th floor or some buildings** *(saw posted in an elevator)* | **-I never knew growing food on a balcony could cause so many problems.**  **-maybe I can save some money on groceries if I start growing food on my balcony**  **-Wow – rats are strong!** |