

**Fill out your ScanTron with the given information for your TLC:**

<b>Your TLC</b>	<b>LAST NAME</b>	<b>ID NUMBER</b>	<b>FORM</b>	<b>SEC.</b>
Business & Society	NIU	01	A	01
Competing Global Perspectives	NIU	02	A	01
Conflict & Creativity	NIU	03	A	01
Cultural Intersections	NIU	04	A	01
Developing Champions	NIU	05	A	01
Engineering	NIU	06	A	01
Exploring Health Majors	NIU	07	A	01
Law School & You	NIU	08	A	01
Major Exploration	NIU	09	A	01
Psychology	NIU	10	A	01
Technology & Networking: CHANCE	NIU	11	A	01
Technology & Networking: CEET	NIU	12	A	01
Teachers for Social Change	NIU	13	A	01

**For #1-38, please rate the following statements according to the scale below:**

**A=Very often B=Often C=Sometimes D=Never**

**Part 1: In my learning community, I...**

1. Participate in learning community seminars or group discussions
2. Work on reading and/or writing assignments during class
3. Work with other students to solve problems or examine complex issues during class
4. Work with other students on assignments, peer reviews, or projects during class
5. Present my work, or work done as part of a group, to the class
6. Work on assignments that require integrating ideas, strategies, or skills from classes (or disciplines) included in this learning community
7. Reflect on or explain in writing or aloud how integrating ideas, strategies, and skills from classes (or disciplines) included in this learning community leads to new insights or understanding
8. Use knowledge and skills from my learning community to contribute to another class or seminar
9. Work with classmates outside of class on class assignments, homework or projects
10. Discuss ideas from classes or class readings with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.)
11. Use the ideas, strategies, and/or skills from my learning community to think through a problem or issue outside of my learning community
12. Develop friendships with peers based on common studies
13. Spend time with TLC classmates working on academic coursework
14. Spend time with TLC classmates socializing outside the classroom (i.e., eating lunch together, hanging out, etc.)

**Part 2: Teachers in my learning community...**

15. Make the goals, objectives, and vocabulary of learning communities clear to me
16. Make students feel comfortable about participating in class activities
17. Encourage me to ask questions in class
18. Encourage me to discuss assigned work in class
19. Help students establish productive working groups
20. Talk to me about my ideas

21. Encourage me to explore my ideas
22. Help me figure out how to use my background knowledge and experiences, both from other courses and life
23. Demonstrate how to integrate the concepts and skills from different classes or disciplines in a meaningful way
24. Assign work that encourages me to integrate the concepts and skills from different classes and disciplines to reach new understandings, explanations, and applications
25. Show me how to evaluate the strengths and weaknesses in my work as a basis for improvement
26. Help me make connections between what I have learned in the learning community and my other courses
27. Encourage me to seek out other resources on campus (library, math center, writing center, learning center, student services, financial aid, etc.)
28. Encourage me to plan the next steps in my education with a counselor or advisor

**Part 3: My participation in this learning community helps me to develop my ability to...**

29. Write clearly and effectively
30. Speak clearly and effectively
31. Think critically and analytically
32. Analyze quantitative problems
33. Work effectively with others to complete assignments/projects
34. Question my assumptions
35. Identify the learning strategies that are most effective for me
36. Persist when faced with academically challenging work
37. Take responsibility for my own learning
38. Connect my learning in school to problems and issues in my local community and the world
39. Be successful in other courses and programs

**For #39-43, please rate the following statements according to the scale below:**

**A=More      B=Less      C=About the same**

**Part 4: In my learning community, compared to other classes, I spend \_\_\_\_\_ amount of time...**

40. Memorizing facts and figures
41. Analyzing elements of an idea, experience, or theory
42. Synthesizing ideas, experiences, or theories
43. Evaluating information, methods, and arguments
44. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or new situations