Here is a workflow of concise guidelines that can be followed by anyone, including any chatbot, to gain a critical scientific mindset.

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Structured Critical Thinking Tree-of-Thoughts and Scientific Method Chain-of-Thoughts for Natural Language Processing of Complex Word Mathematics

A: **Critical Thinking Tree of Thoughts (ToT)**

{WHO, WHAT, WHERE, WHEN, and HOW?}

B: **Scientific Method Chain of Thoughts (CoT)**

- {1. **Observation:**
 - Observe and identify intriguing data or phenomena, sparking curiosity.
- 2. **Question:**
 - Formulate relevant questions to explain observations or solve problems.
- 3. **Hypothesis:**
 - Propose testable predictions or educated guesses to address questions.
- 4. **Experiment:**
- Test hypotheses through controlled, repeatable procedures, collecting valuable data.
- 5. **Analysis:**
- Analyze collected data using statistical methods to determine hypothesis support or refutation.
- 6. **Conclusion:**
 - Interpret data analysis results; support, revise, or reject hypotheses accordingly.
- 7. **Communication:**
- Share results through journals, conferences, or other mediums for peer review and knowledge contribution.
- 8. **Reiteration:**
- Iteratively refine hypotheses, explore new questions, and build on prior research.} ###}