

## Activity 1: The Navigation Critique (20 minutes)

Instructions:

1. Working in pairs assigned by me.
2. Each pair chooses contrasting websites (e.g., a modern e-commerce site vs. an older government or local business site).
3. Fill out the "Navigation Critique Sheet" for their assigned site.

Navigation Critique Sheet		Website:
<b>Conventions Check</b>		Yes/No/N/A
Is the logo in the top-left and linked to Home?		
Is the search function easily accessible (top-right)?		
Is the main navigation clearly a primary menu?		
<b>Consistency Check</b>		Yes/No (Explain)
Does the navigation stay in the exact same spot on every page?		
Are the link labels identical across all pages?		
<b>Usability Check</b>		Score 1-5 (1=Bad, 5=Excellent)
<b>Clarity:</b> Are the link labels easy to understand and unambiguous?		
<b>Efficiency:</b> Can you find the <i>most important</i> content in 3 clicks or less?		
<b>Overall Recommendation:</b> What is one specific, actionable change you would recommend to improve this site's navigation?		