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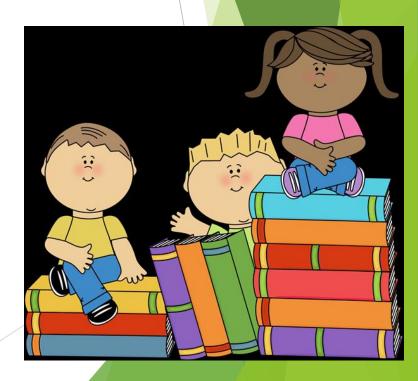
Theory of Multiple Intelligences

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- ► Theory developed in 1983 by Dr. Howard Gardner (Frames of mind);
- the traditional notion of intelligence, based on I.Q. testing, is far too limited;
- eight different intelligences to account for a broader range of human potential in children and adults;
- learning styles.

Verbal-linguistic intelligence (word smart)

- ► Well developed verbal skills and sensitivity to the sounds, meanings and rhytms of words.
- Learners like to talk, listen, read and write.



Characteristics of verbal-linguistic intelligence include

- Good at remembering written and spoken information.
- Enjoys reading and writing.
- ► Able to explain things well.
- ► Good at debating or giving speeches, interpretation and explanation of ideas (via language).

Logical-mathematical intelligence (number/reasoning smart)

► Ability to think conceptually and abstractly; capacity to discern logical and numerical patterns.



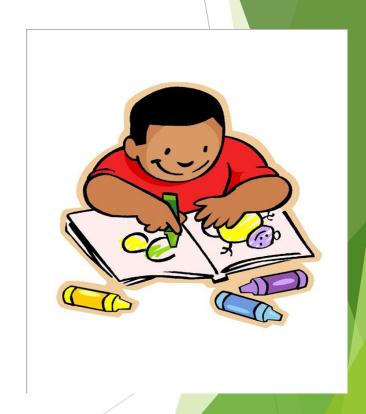


Characteristics of logical-mathematical intelligence

- Excellent at problem solving, scientific reasoning and deduction.
- Enjoys thinking about abstract ideas.
- Good at solving mathematical calculations, analysing problems.
- ▶ Likes conducting scientific experiments.

Spatial-visual intelligence (picture smart)

Capacity to think in images and pictures, to visualize accurately and abstractly.



Characteristics of spatial-visual intelligence

- Understands relationship between images and meanings.
- Good at interpreting pictures, graphs and charts.
- Good at putting puzzles together.
- ► Enjoys drawing, painting and visual arts.

Bodily-kinesthetic intelligence (body smart)

Ability to control one's body movements and handle objects skillfully.





Characteristics of bodily-kinesthetic intelligence

- Excellent physical coordination, agility and balance.
- Good at sports and dancing.
- ► Enjoys creating things with hands.
- ► Tends to remember by doing, rather than hearing or seeing.

Musical intelligence (music smart)

Ability to produce and appreciate music, sound and rhythm.



Characteristics of musical intelligence

- ► Enjoys singing and playing musical instruments.
- Recognizes musical patterns and tones easily.
- ▶ Good at remembering songs and melodies.
- ► Rich understanding of musical structure, rhythm and notes.
- Good undrestanding relationship between sound and feeling.

Interpersonal intelligence (people smart)

Capacity to detect and respond appropriately to the moods, motivations and desires of others.

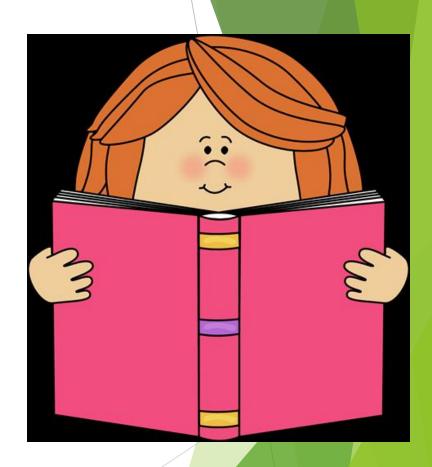


Characteristics of interpersonal intelligence

- ► Ability to relate to others.
- ► Understands the relationships between people and their situations including other people.
- ▶ Skilled at communication.
- Creates positive relationships with others.
- Sees situations from different perspectives.
- Good at resolving conflict in groups.

Intrapersonal intelligence (self smart)

Capacity to be self-aware and in tune with inner feelings, values, beliefs and thinking processes.



Characteristics of intrapersonal intelligence

- ► Good at analyzing his or her strenghts or weaknesses.
- Excellent self-awareness.
- ► Understands the basis for his or her own motivations and feelings, relationship to others and the world.
- Enjoys analyzing theories and ideas.

Naturalist intelligence (nature smart)

Ability to recognize and categorize plants, animals and other objects in nature.







Characteristics of naturalistic intelligence

- Good at categorizing and cataloging information easily.
- Interested in subjects such as botany, biology and zoology.
- May enjoy hiking, camping, gardening and exploring the outdoors.
- ► Does not enjoy learning unfamiliar topics that have no connection to nature.

WE LEARN

- ▶ 10 % OF WHAT WE READ
- ▶ 20 % OF WHAT WE HEAR
- ▶ 30 % OF WHAT WE SEE
- ▶ 50 % OF WHAT WE SEE AND HEAR
- ▶ 70 % OF WHAT WE DISCUSS
- ▶ 80 % OF WHAT WE EXPERIENCE
- ▶ 95 % OF WHAT WE TEACH OTHERS

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Verbal-linguistic intelligence

- Write instructions.
- Write poems.
- Keep a personal jurnal.
- Read stories to other.
- Write stories, articles, responses to articles.
- Write a leter to state representative about an issue of your concern.
- Create crossword puzzle or complete one.

- Use digital resources such as electronic libraries, desk top publishing, word games, and word processing.
- Create poems for a class poetry book.
- Listen to a storyteller.
- Study the habits of good speakers.
- Tell a story to the class.
- Participate in debates.

Logical-mathematical intelligence

- Create a time line.
- Compare, contrast ideas.
- Design a map.
- Create patterns.
- Design a game show.

- Play math games like dominoes, chess, checkers, and Monopoly.
- Conduct experiments to demonstrate science concepts.
- Use science tool kits for science programs.

Visual-spatial intelligence

- Create a poster.
- Draw a map.
- Create visual diagrams.
- Draw from different perspectives.
- Create a comic strip.
- Graph results of a survey.
- ► Take photographs for assignments.
- Use clay or play dough to make objects or represent concepts from content-area lessons.

- Use pictorial models such as flow charts, visual maps, and timelines to connect new material to known information.
- Taking notes using mind mapping.
- Use puppets to act out and reinforce concepts learned in class.
- Use maps to study geographical locations discussed in class.
- Illustrate poems for the class poetry book by drawing or using computer software.
- Use virtual-reality system software.

Bodily-kinesthetic intelligence

- Make up a cooperative game.
- Practice a physical education conduct hands-on experiments.
- Construct a model or representation.
- Create costumes for role-playing, skits, or simulations.
- Performe skits or act out scenes from books or key historical events.
- Desig props for plays and skits.
- Play games like Twister and Simon Says.

- Use charades to act out characters in a book, vocabulary words, animals, or other contentarea topics.
- Participate in scavenger hunts, search for items related to a theme or unit.
- Act out concepts. For example, "student planets" circle around a "student sun" or students line up appropriately to demonstrate events in a history time line.
- Participate in movement breaks during the day.
- Build objects using blocks, cubes, or Legos to represent concepts from content-area lessons.
- Use electronic motion-simulation games and hands-on construction kits that interface with computers.

Musical intelligence

- Write to music.
- Play musical instruments.
- ► Teach dance steps.
- Make up sound and sound effects.
- Create raps.
- Write a jingle, a song or music about content-area topics...
- Set a poem to music, and then perform it for the class.

- Listen to music from different historical periods.
- Tape recording a poem over "appropriate" background music (i.e. soft music if describing a kitten, loud music if they are mad about pollution).
- Use rhythm and clapping to memorize math facts and other content-area information.
- Listen to CDs that teach concepts like the alphabet, parts of speech, and states and capitals (i.e. Schoolhouse Rock!).

Interpersonal intelligence

- ► Tell stories.
- Teach a cooperative game.
- Role play situation.
- Discuss and come to conclusion.
- Survey or interview others.

- Work in cooperative groups to design and complete projects.
- Work in pairs to learn math facts.
- Tutor younger students or classmates.
- Use puppets to put on a puppet show.

Intrapersonal intelligence

- Keep a personal journal.
- Write about personal experiences.
- Think about a plan.
- Review or visualize.
- How would it feel to...
- Imagine and write about the future.

- Write essays from the perspective of a bool character.
- Keep journals or logs throughout the year.
- Make a scrapbook for poems, papers, and reflections.

Naturalist intelligence

- Collect and catogorize data, materials or ideas.
- Discover or experiment.
- Take a field trip.
- Study means or survival.
- Adapt materials to new use.
- Lable and classify.

- Research animal habitats.
- Observ natural surroundings.
- Organize or participate in park/playground clean-ups, recycling drives, and beautification projects.

