

Multiple Intelligences Survey
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name: _____

date: _____

*(This is a survey, not a test, so there are no certain right or wrong answers.
Relax, you will enjoy this!)*

Directions: For each sentence, decide how strongly you agree with it . . .

For your favorite sentences which are most true about you, circle the 3.

If a sentence is true for you sometimes, or you agree with it a little, circle the 2 or the 1.

If a sentence does not describe you at all, circle the 0.

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- 3 2 1 0 A. I do well at leading a group during class, or at leading a team during PE/sports.
- 3 2 1 0 B. I prefer to play active sports like soccer, ultimate frisbee or basketball.
- 3 2 1 0 C. I enjoy drawing, so I sketch, draw or doodle a lot.
- 3 2 1 0 D. I enjoy being outside more than inside.
- 3 2 1 0 E. I'm good at counting/organizing things and/or sorting them into groups.
- 3 2 1 0 F. I can often 'hear' the words in my mind when I read or talk.
- 3 2 1 0 G. I enjoy listening to music wherever I am.
- 3 2 1 0 H. I enjoy spending quiet time in my room, outside on my own, or just sitting on the beach.

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- 3 2 1 0 A. When people ask my opinion it makes me feel good about myself.
- 3 2 1 0 B. I enjoy showing others how to do things.
- 3 2 1 0 C. I can often remember my night-time dreams. I even remember colors (or smells) sometimes.
- 3 2 1 0 D. I like walking in the rain, or when it is breezy outside.
- 3 2 1 0 E. I can recognize patterns pretty quickly, whether in pictures, math, reading or TV.
- 3 2 1 0 F. I like/enjoy books nearly as much (or more) as my other belongings.
- 3 2 1 0 G. I can play at least one musical instrument.
- 3 2 1 0 H. It is easy for me to say or write my feelings.

3

- 3 2 1 0 A. I feel comfortable in big groups like school assemblies, dances or parties.
- 3 2 1 0 B. I enjoy going on thrill rides such as roller coasters.
- 3 2 1 0 C. I can easily remember how to get to different places around town. I have a 'mental map'.
- 3 2 1 0 D. I can identify quite a few different kinds of plants, trees and/or animals.
- 3 2 1 0 E. I like to organize the stuff in my room and try to keep it neat.
- 3 2 1 0 F. I like word games like Words w/ Friends, Apples to Apples, Mad Libs, Banana-grams or Scrabble,
- 3 2 1 0 G. It is easy for me to remember the tune or rhythm to songs from the radio/ipod/cds.
- 3 2 1 0 H. I'm pretty good at keeping a journal or a diary about myself and my experiences or feelings.

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- 3 2 1 0 A. When I have a problem, I will often ask other people for advice or help.
- 3 2 1 0 B. When I do my homework I sometimes kneel, stand or move around.
- 3 2 1 0 C. I like to build things like forts, models or other hands-on projects.
- 3 2 1 0 D. I enjoy looking into the sky for birds, clouds & planes.
- 3 2 1 0 E. I'm good at making up and solving "What if. . ." questions/problems or riddles.
- 3 2 1 0 F. I enjoy using big or uncommon words when I write, speak or talk.
- 3 2 1 0 G. I enjoy humming, tapping on things or singing to myself.
- 3 2 1 0 H. It can be difficult for me to agree with my group or team because I have strong opinions.

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- 3 2 1 0 A. Having friends is very important to me.
- 3 2 1 0 B. I like using my hands for things, like building, carving, or sewing.
- 3 2 1 0 C. I have spent a lot of time playing with Legos and/or building sandcastles at the beach.
- 3 2 1 0 D. I love animals. I have (or would like to have) pets that I take care of.
- 3 2 1 0 E. It bothers me when someone (like a teacher or parent) can not explain 'why'.
- 3 2 1 0 F. I don't mind reading in front of the class or other group.
- 3 2 1 0 G. I can easily copy clapping patterns with my teacher, or tapping out the rhythm of a song.
- 3 2 1 0 H. I kind of enjoy being alone for awhile sometimes.

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To find the results of your survey, write your scores for each statement in the columns below. Add the total for each letter and write it in the "Total" box.

Scores:	<i>(red)</i>	<i>(orange)</i>	<i>(yellow)</i>	<i>(green)</i>	<i>(lt. blue)</i>	<i>(blue)</i>	<i>(purple)</i>	<i>(pink)</i>	
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	
1									
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5									
									Grand Total
Totals:									
Percents:									100%

To determine Percents. . .

1. divide each column total by the grand total amount.
2. round answer to nearest WHOLE percent
3. add percents. they MUST add to EXACTLY 100%
4. if they are NOT between 94 and 105%, you divided wrong. go back to step one...
5. if they ARE close to 100%, adjust a few of the values (up and down) to get EXACTLY 100%

Circle the column with the highest score. See below to find out what is probably your main intelligence:

- A** *Interpersonal (group)*
- B** *Bodily/Kinesthetic*
- C** *Visual/Spatial*
- D** *Naturalistic*
- E** *Logical / Mathematical*
- F** *Linguistic*
- G** *Accoustic/Rhythmic*
- H** *Intrapersonal (self)*