

Multiple Intelligence Learning Activities

Linguistic Intelligence

- lectures
- large and small group discussions
- books
- worksheets
- manuals
- BRAINSTORMING
- writing activities
- word games
- sharing time
- student speeches
- STORYTELLING
- talking books and cassette
- extemporaneous speaking
- debates
- JOURNAL KEEPING
- choral reading
- individualized reading
- memorizing linguistic facts
- PUBLISHING

Naturalistic Intelligence

- nature walk
- recycling projects
- caring for animals
- planting
- horticultural
- environmental awareness
- outdoor classroom learning

Spatial Intelligence

- charts
- VISUALIZATION
- photography
- videos, slides, and movies
- visual puzzles and mazes
- 3-D construction kits
- art appreciation
- imaginative storytelling
- painting, collage, and other visual arts
- GRAPHIC SYMBOLS
- computer graphics software
- optical illusions
- telescopes, microphones, and binoculars

Musical Intelligence

- MUSICAL CONCEPTS
- singing, humming, or whistling
- playing recorded music
- playing live music on piano, guitar, or other instruments
- group singing
- MOOD MUSIC
- music appreciation
- using background music
- linking old tunes with concepts
- music software
- RHYTHMS, SONGS, RAPS, AND CHANTS

Bodily-Kinesthetic Intelligence

- creative movement
- HANDS-ON THINKING
- field trips
- mime
- THE CLASSROOM TEACHER
- competitive and cooperative games
- hands-on activities of all kinds
- crafts
- cooking, gardening, and other “messy” activities
- manipulatives
- physical education activities
- using body language/hand signals to communicate
- tactile materials and experiences
- physical relaxation exercises

Interpersonal Intelligence

- COOPERATIVE GROUPS
- interpersonal interaction
- conflict mediation
- peer teaching
- BOARD GAMES
- Community involvement
- SIMULATIONS
- academic clubs
- interactive software
- parties or social gatherings as context for learning

Logical-Mathematical Intelligence

- mathematical problems on the board
- SCIENCE THINKING
- scientific demonstrations
- logical problem-solving exercises
- CLASSIFICATIONS AND CATEGORIZATIONS
- creating codes
- logic puzzles and games
- computer programming languages
- logical-sequential presentation of subject matter

Intrapersonal Intelligence

- independent study
- self-paced instruction
- individualized projects and games
- private spaces for study
- ONE-MINUTE REFLECTION PERIODS
- options for homework
- self-esteem activities
- journal keeping
- self-teaching programmed instruction
- GOAL-SETTING SESSIONS