

### Learning Styles Inventory

**\*Choose the first answer that comes to mind.**

**Write either a, b, or c on your paper.\***

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1. When you study for a test, would you rather...
  - a. read notes, read headings in a book, and look at diagrams and illustrations.
  - b. have someone ask you questions, or repeat facts silently to yourself.
  - c. write things out on index cards and make models or diagrams.
2. Which of these do you do when you listen to music?
  - a. daydream (see things that go with the music)
  - b. hum along
  - c. move with the music, tap your foot, etc.
3. When you work at solving a problem do you...
  - a. make a list, organize the steps, and check them off as they are done.
  - b. make a few phone calls and talk to friends or experts.
  - c. make a model of the problem or walk through all the steps in your mind.
4. When you read for fun, do you prefer...
  - a. a travel book with a lot of pictures in it.
  - b. a mystery book with a lot of conversation in it.
  - c. a book where you answer questions and solve problems.
5. To learn how a computer works, would you rather...
  - a. watch a movie about it.
  - b. listen to someone explain it.
  - c. take the computer apart and try to figure it out for yourself.
6. You have just entered a science museum, what will you do first?
  - a. look around and find a map showing the locations of the various exhibits
  - b. talk to a museum guide and ask about exhibits
  - c. go into the first exhibit that looks interesting, and read directions later
7. What kind of restaurant would you rather not go to?
  - a. one with the lights too bright
  - b. one with the music too loud
  - c. one with uncomfortable chairs
8. Would you rather go to...
  - a. an art class.
  - b. a music class.
  - c. a physical education class.
9. Which are you most likely to do when you are happy?
  - a. grin
  - b. shout with joy
  - c. jump with joy
10. If you were at a party, what would you be most likely to remember the next day?
  - a. the faces of the people there, but not the names
  - b. the names but not the faces
  - c. the things you did and said while you were there
11. When you see the word "d-o-g", what do you do first?
  - a. think of a picture of a particular dog
  - b. say the word "dog" to yourself silently
  - c. sense the feeling of being with a dog (petting it, running with it, etc.)
12. When you tell a story, would you rather...
  - a. write it.
  - b. tell it out loud.
  - c. act it out.
13. What is most distracting for you when you are trying to concentrate?
  - a. visual distraction
  - b. noises
  - c. other sensations like, hunger, tight shoes, or worry
14. What are you most likely to do when you are angry?
  - a. scowl
  - b. shout or "blow up"
  - c. stomp off and slam doors
15. When you aren't sure how to spell a word, which of these are you most likely to do?
  - a. write it out to see if it looks right
  - b. sound it out
  - c. write it out to see if it feels right
16. Which are you most likely to do when standing in a long line at the movies?
  - a. look at posters advertising other movies
  - b. talk to the person next to you
  - c. tap your foot or move around in some way