



Learning Style Inventory

Directions: Read each statement below carefully, and circle "yes" if it describes you or "no" if it does not. Please respond honestly, and be sure to answer every statement. There are no right or wrong responses.

1. Making things for my studies helps me to learn.. Yes No
2. I can *write* about most of the things I know better than I can *tell* about them.. Yes No
3. When I really want to understand what I have read, I read it softly to myself. Yes No
4. I get more done when I work alone. Yes No
5. I remember what I have *read* better than what I have *heard*. Yes No
6. When I answer questions, I can *tell* someone the answer better than I can *write* it. Yes No
7. When I do math problems in my head, I say the numbers to myself. Yes No
8. I enjoy participating in class discussions. Yes No
9. I understand a math problem that is written down better than one I hear. Yes No
10. I do better when I can *write* the answer instead of having to *say* it. Yes No
11. I understand spoken directions better than written ones. Yes No
12. I like to work by myself. Yes No
13. I would rather *read* a story than *listen* to one. Yes No
14. I would rather *tell* about how a thing works than *write* about how it works.. Yes No
15. If someone gives me three numbers to add, I can usually get the answer without writing them down. Yes No
16. I prefer to work with a group when there is work to be done. Yes No
17. I understand numbers better when I see them than when I hear them.. Yes No
18. I remember things better after I have written them down.. Yes No
19. I learn better if someone reads a book to me than if I read it silently to myself. Yes No
20. I learn best when I study alone.. Yes No
21. When I have a choice between reading and listening, I usually read. Yes No
22. I would rather *tell* a story than *write* it. Yes No
23. *Saying* the multiplication tables repeatedly helps me remember them better than *writing* them. . Yes No
24. I do my best work in a group.. Yes No
25. I understand a math problem that is *written* down better than one that I *hear*. Yes No
26. In a group project, I would rather make a chart or poster than find the information that is supposed to go on it. Yes No
27. Written assignments are easy for me to follow. Yes No
28. I remember more of what I learn if I learn it alone.. Yes No
29. I do well in classes where most of the information has to be read. Yes No
30. I would enjoy giving an oral report to the class. Yes No

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- 31. I learn math better from *spoken* explanations than from *written* ones. Yes No
- 32. If I have to decide something, I ask other people for their opinions. Yes No
- 33. *Written* math problems are easier for me to do than *oral* ones.. . . . Yes No
- 34. I like to make things with my hands. Yes No
- 35. I don't mind doing written assignments. Yes No
- 36. I remember things I *hear* better than things I *read*. Yes No
- 37. I learn better by *reading* than by *listening*.. . . . Yes No
- 38. It is easy for me to tell about the things I know. Yes No
- 39. It makes it easier for me if I can say the numbers of a problem to myself as I work it out. Yes No
- 40. If I understand a problem, I like to help someone else understand it, too.. . . . Yes No
- 41. *Seeing* a number makes more sense to me than *hearing* one. Yes No
- 42. I understand things better when I am involved in making something for the project.. . . . Yes No
- 43. The things I write on paper sound better when I say them. Yes No
- 44. It is easier for me to remember what I have *heard* than what I have *read*.. . . . Yes No
- 45. It is fun to learn with classmates, but hard to study with them.. . . . Yes No

Tally Chart

In the columns below, put an "X" in front of the number if you answered "Yes" to that question in the survey. If you answered "No" to a question do not make any mark by that number. (If you did not answer some of the questions, go back and answer them now.)

Visual		Auditory		Kinesthetic	Individual	Group	Oral	Written
___ 5	___ 25	___ 3	___ 23	___ 1	___ 4	___ 8	___ 6	___ 2
___ 9	___ 27	___ 7	___ 31	___ 14	___ 12	___ 18	___ 22	___ 10
___ 13	___ 29	___ 11	___ 36	___ 26	___ 20	___ 24	___ 30	___ 18
___ 17	___ 37	___ 15	___ 39	___ 34	___ 28	___ 32	___ 38	___ 33
___ 21	___ 41	___ 19	___ 44	___ 42	___ 45	___ 40	___ 43	___ 35

Enter your totals from the above categories into the boxes on the left of each section. Then, do the math.

Total for Each Area

Shade the box that corresponds to each score.

Receptive Style				Score	10	20	30	40	50
Visual		x 5 =		→					
Auditory		x 5 =		→					
Kinesthetic		x 10 =		→					
Social Style				Score	10	20	30	40	50
Individual		x 10 =		→					
Group		x 10 =		→					
Expressive Style				Score	10	20	30	40	50
Oral		x 10 =		→					
Written		x 10 =		→					