

GT Student Interest, Needs, and Abilities

Student Questionnaire

Name:

School:

Grade:

Directions: Complete this form and return to your school level GT liaison.

Students: As you answer the questions below, think of your answer as it relates to school, but also how you would answer the questions about yourself in other locations, such as at home, or in social settings.

What are your greatest strengths?

What interests you most?

What frustrates you most?

How do you feel about school? Be honest.

Think about how you learn **best**. Circle any of the methods listed here that are your **preferred** ways of learning:

Group work	Listening	Working alone
Discussions/Debates Presentations	Projects	Research
Performing/Movement	Using technology	Hands-On
Watching/Observing	Writing	Other:

Give some thought to your goals (again, not just school, but personally, too.)

1. What are your personal goals?
2. What do you hope to accomplish in school?
3. What are your future goals?

"Giftedness is not what you do or how hard you work. It is who you are. You think differently. You experience life intensely. You care about injustice. You seek meaning. You appreciate and strive for the exquisite. You are painfully sensitive. You are extremely complex. You cherish integrity. Your truth-telling has gotten you in trouble. Should 98% of the population find you odd, seek the company of those who love you just the way you are. You are not broken. You do not need to be fixed. You are utterly fascinating."

- Dr. Linda Silverman