Multiple Intelligences Survey
Grades 4 - 8

Check (x) each statement that applies to you.

Verbal / Linguistic Intelligence
TOTAL = ______

____ I love books.
____ I hear words in my head, before I read, speak, or write them down.
____ I am good at word games, like Scrabble or Password.
____ I enjoy playing tongue twisters, rhymes, or puns with my friends.
____ English, social studies, and history are my best subjects.
____ I like to show off what I write.

Logical / Mathematical Intelligence
TOTAL = ______

____ I can add and subtract in my head.
____ Math and/or science is my favorite subject.
____ I enjoy brainteasers.
____ I like patterns.
____ I like to find out about new things in science.
____ I like things that are logical.

Visual / Spatial Intelligence
TOTAL = ______

____ I often see pictures when I close my eyes.
____ I am sensitive to color.
____ I enjoy doing jigsaw puzzles.
____ I like to draw or doodle.
____ I can easily imagine how something might look from overhead.
____ I prefer to read when there are pictures.

Bodily / Kinesthetic Intelligence
TOTAL = ______

____ I play at least one sport or physical activity on a regular basis.
____ I like working with my hands to build or make things
    (like carpentry, model-building, sewing, weaving).
____ I like to spend my free time outdoors.
____ I enjoy amusement rides and other thrilling experiences.
____ I am well coordinated.
____ I need to practice a new skill, not just read about it or see a video about it.
Musical / Rhythmic Intelligence

TOTAL = ______

____ I like to sing and/or have a pleasant singing voice.
____ I play a musical instrument.
____ My life would not be good without music.
____ I can keep time to music.
____ I know the tunes to many different songs and musical pieces.
____ If I hear a song a couple times, I can usually sing it fairly well.

Interpersonal Intelligence

TOTAL = ______

____ I am the sort of person that others come to talk to when they have a problem.
____ I prefer group sports (like softball) rather than individual sports (like swimming).
____ I like group games like Monopoly better than playing alone.
____ I enjoy teaching others.
____ I consider myself a leader, and others have called me a leader.
____ I like to get involved in social activities at my school, church, or community.

Intrapersonal Intelligence

TOTAL = ______

____ I like to spend time alone.
____ I have opinions that are different than others’.
____ I have a special hobby or interest that I like to do alone.
____ I have some important goals for my life.
____ I consider myself to be independent minded or strong willed.
____ I keep a personal diary / journal to write down my thoughts or feelings about life.

Naturalist

TOTAL = ______

____ I have a garden and/or like to work outdoors.
____ I really like to go backpacking and hiking.
____ I enjoy having different animals around the house (in addition to a dog or cat).
____ I have a hobby that involves nature.
____ I like to visit zoos, nature centers, or places with displays about the natural world.
____ It's easy for me to tell the differences between different plants and animals.

Areas of Strength (4 or more checks in any of the areas listed above):

What I learned about myself that I did not know before: