ACTIVITY 4A: STUDENT WORKSHEET

LEARNING STYLE INVENTORY

(Sampling adapted from 7 Kinds of Smart by T. Armstrong)

1. _______ I can tell when a musical note is off key.
2. _______ I can play a musical instrument.
3. _______ I sometimes catch myself walking down the street with a television jingle or other tune running through my mind.
4. _______ If I hear a musical selection once or twice, I am usually able to sing it back fairly accurately.
5. _______ I often make tapping sounds or sing little melodies while working, studying, or learning something new.
6. _______ I’m the sort of person that people come to for advice and counsel at school or in the neighborhood.
7. _______ I prefer group sports like badminton, volleyball, or softball to solo sports such as swimming or jogging.
8. _______ When I have a problem, I’m more likely to seek out another person for help than attempt to work it out on my own.
9. _______ I consider myself a leader (or others have called me that).
10. _______ I would rather spend my evenings at a lively social gathering than stay at home alone.
11. _______ I have attended counseling sessions or personal growth seminars to learn more about myself.
12. _______ I have opinions that set me apart from the crowd.
13. _______ I have some important goals for my life that I think about on a regular basis.
14. _______ I consider myself to be strong-willed or independent minded.
15. _______ I keep a personal diary or journal to record the events in my inner life.
16. _______ Math and/or science are among my favorite subjects in school.
17. _______ I enjoy playing games or solving brainteasers that require logical thinking.
18. _______ I’m interested in new developments in science.
19. _______ I believe that almost everything has a rational explanation.
20. _______ I feel more comfortable when something has been measured, categorized, analyzed, or quantified in some way.
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21. _______ I engage in at least one sport or physical activity on a regular basis.
22. _______ My best ideas often come to me when I’m out for a long walk or a jog, or when I’m engaged in some other kind of physical activity.
23. _______ I frequently use hand gestures or other forms of body language when conversing with someone.
24. _______ I enjoy daredevil amusement rides or similar thrilling physical experiences.
25. _______ I need to practice a new skill rather than simply reading about it or seeing a video that describes it.

26. _______ I often see clear visual images when I close my eyes.
27. _______ I enjoy doing jigsaw puzzles, mazes, and other visual puzzles.
28. _______ I have vivid dreams at night.
29. _______ Geometry is easier for me than algebra.
30. _______ I prefer looking at reading material that is heavily illustrated.

31. _______ I can hear words in my head before I read, speak, or write them down.
32. _______ I show an aptitude for word games like Scrabble, Anagrams, Password, or Wheel of Fortune.
33. _______ Other people sometimes have to stop and ask me to explain the meaning of the words I use in my writing or speaking.
34. _______ English, social studies, and history are easier for me in school than math and science.
35. _______ My conversation includes frequent references to things that I’ve read or heard.

36. _______ It’s easy for me to see how living things are different from or similar to each other.
37. _______ I enjoy collecting things from nature like flowers, shells, insects, rocks, or pinecones, etc.
38. _______ I like to observe natural phenomena and try to explain what I see (moon phases, zoos, nature centers, nature shows on TV, migrations, etc.)
39. _______ I keep notes and sketches of what I observe in nature.
40. _______ Besides my cat, dog and ivy, I enjoy having different animals and plants in and around my home.