

Welcome to your Demystification Survey!

Everyone has strengths and weaknesses. It's important to know your personal strengths and weaknesses. Each student is demystified during her first year at Purnell to help her understand her strengths and weaknesses and be a better learner. This survey is your first step to helping us understand who YOU are!

Please answer these questions honestly. Not everyone is good at everything, so don't be afraid to OWN your answers, whether they seem like they're "negative" or "positive."

These answers will NOT impact your grades, your learning, or your teachers' opinions of you. But, these answers WILL help us help you!

*** 1. Name**

*** 2. Grade**

*** 3. Advisor's Name**

What are your favorite and least favorite subjects?

Answer these questions to give more information about why you like and dislike certain subjects or classes in school.

*** 4. My favorite subject in school is:**

*** 5. It's my favorite subject because:**

*** 6. List some specific tasks that you're really good at, in the class where you learn your favorite subject.**

*** 7. My least favorite subject in school is:**

*** 8. It's my least favorite subject because:**

*** 9. List some specific tasks that you struggle with, in the class where you learn your least favorite subject.**

What are your learning preferences?

Answer these questions to give more information about your learning preferences in school.

*** 10. What motivates you to do well in school?**

*** 11. What motivates you to do well in activities outside of school?**

*** 12. What time of day are you most alert and able to do your best work?**

*** 13. Why do you think it's important to try hard in school?**

*** 14. What's the best thing about you?**

*** 15. What do you think you most need to work on as a student?**

Academic Tasks Ranking

Rank these academic tasks to give more information about your learning preferences.

*** 16. Check the box that best describes how much you agree with each statement.**

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
I am good at organizing my belongings.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at organizing my time.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at following steps to complete a project or solve a problem.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at understanding graphs and/or maps.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at creating graphs and/or maps.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I do my homework every night.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at prioritizing what homework to do first.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at completing big projects that last many weeks.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am a creative person.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at thinking about how one thing connects to another thing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I get nervous before a big test.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can accept help when I need it.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know what strategies can help me be the best learner I can be.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I use the strategies that I know help me be the best learner I can be.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy a challenge.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Most of the time
school is easy for me.

17. Do you have any details you'd like to add about any of your answers? Feel free to add any additional comments here.

Social Interactions Ranking

Rank these social interactions to give more information about your interpersonal preferences.

***18. Check the box that describes how much you agree with each statement.**

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
I make friends easily.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy being a leader in any group.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can easily talk to my teachers about my learning.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can easily talk to my teachers about non-school things.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy working in groups in class.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can solve conflicts with my friends.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can communicate my feelings to others.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can put myself in others' shoes.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I always know exactly how I feel and why I feel that way.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

19. Do you have any details you'd like to add about any of your answers? Feel free to add any additional comments here.

Communication Tasks Ranking

Rank these communication tasks to give more information about your preferred methods of

communication.

***20. Check the box that describes how much you agree with each statement.**

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
I enjoy free reading.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy reading to learn information for class.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy keeping a journal.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Writing an A+ essay is easy for me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy listening to lectures.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can communicate well through speaking up during in-class discussions.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can communicate well during conversations with my friends.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I understand written directions.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I understand directions when someone speaks them to me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can draw pictures to help others know what I understand.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

21. Do you have any details you'd like to add about any of your answers? Feel free to add any additional comments here.

Focusing Tasks Ranking

Rank these focusing tasks to give more information about your attention.

***22. Check the box that describes how much you agree with each statement.**

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
I can concentrate on tasks until they're done, even if they take a long time to complete.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I care about turning in high quality work, not just complete work.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I only like to turn in perfect work.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel alert and awake in class.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I fall asleep quickly at night.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I wake up alert in the morning.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I fidget or doodle in class.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am distracted when people have conversations around me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

23. Do you have any details you'd like to add about any of your answers? Feel free to add any additional comments here.

Memory Tasks Ranking

Rank these remembering tasks to give more information about your memory.

***24. Check the box that describes how much you agree with each statement.**

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
When I take a test I remember everything I studied to prepare for that test.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember things I learned last year.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember things I learned yesterday.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember the rules of writing and grammar while I'm writing an essay.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember math facts and algebraic rules while I'm solving a math problem.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember what people tell me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember what I read.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember what I see.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can remember songs or song lyrics.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

25. Do you have any details you'd like to add about any of your answers? Feel free to add any additional comments here.

Body Movement Ranking

Rank these body movements to give more information about your motor skills.

***26. Check the box that describes how much you agree with each statement.**

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
I am good at typing on a computer keyboard.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at making crafts with my hands.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at drawing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy playing team sports.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am good at playing ball sports.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am a good dancer.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy being outside.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I enjoy classes that involve hands-on activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

27. Do you have any details you'd like to add about any of your answers? Feel free to add any additional comments here.

What are your interests and affinities?

Your interests and affinities are things that you like to do or learn about. You don't necessarily have to be good at them.

28. Select all things you like to do or learn about.

Yes! I like this!

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| Acting/drama | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bicycle riding/skateboarding | <input type="radio"/> |
| Board games | <input type="radio"/> |
| Building things | <input type="radio"/> |
| Cars/motorcycles | <input type="radio"/> |
| Clubs or organized group activities | <input type="radio"/> |
| Collecting things | <input type="radio"/> |
| Cooking | <input type="radio"/> |
| Dancing | <input type="radio"/> |
| Electronic games | <input type="radio"/> |
| Fine arts (like drawing, sculpting, painting) | <input type="radio"/> |
| Fishing or hunting | <input type="radio"/> |
| Fixing or repairing things | <input type="radio"/> |
| Foreign languages | <input type="radio"/> |
| History | <input type="radio"/> |
| Horseback riding | <input type="radio"/> |
| Learning about famous people | <input type="radio"/> |
| Listening to music | <input type="radio"/> |
| Other cultures or countries | <input type="radio"/> |
| Pets/animals | <input type="radio"/> |
| Playing a musical instrument | <input type="radio"/> |
| Playing individual sports | <input type="radio"/> |
| Playing team sports | <input type="radio"/> |
| Putting together models | <input type="radio"/> |
| Politics/current events | <input type="radio"/> |
| Reading comic books | <input type="radio"/> |
| Reading literature (stories, novels) | <input type="radio"/> |

Reading magazines

Religious activities

Science

Sewing

Singing

Taking care of younger children

Using a computer for schoolwork

Using a computer for non-school activities

Watching/following sports

Writing stories/poems

Other

Do any items need more details? Put them here.