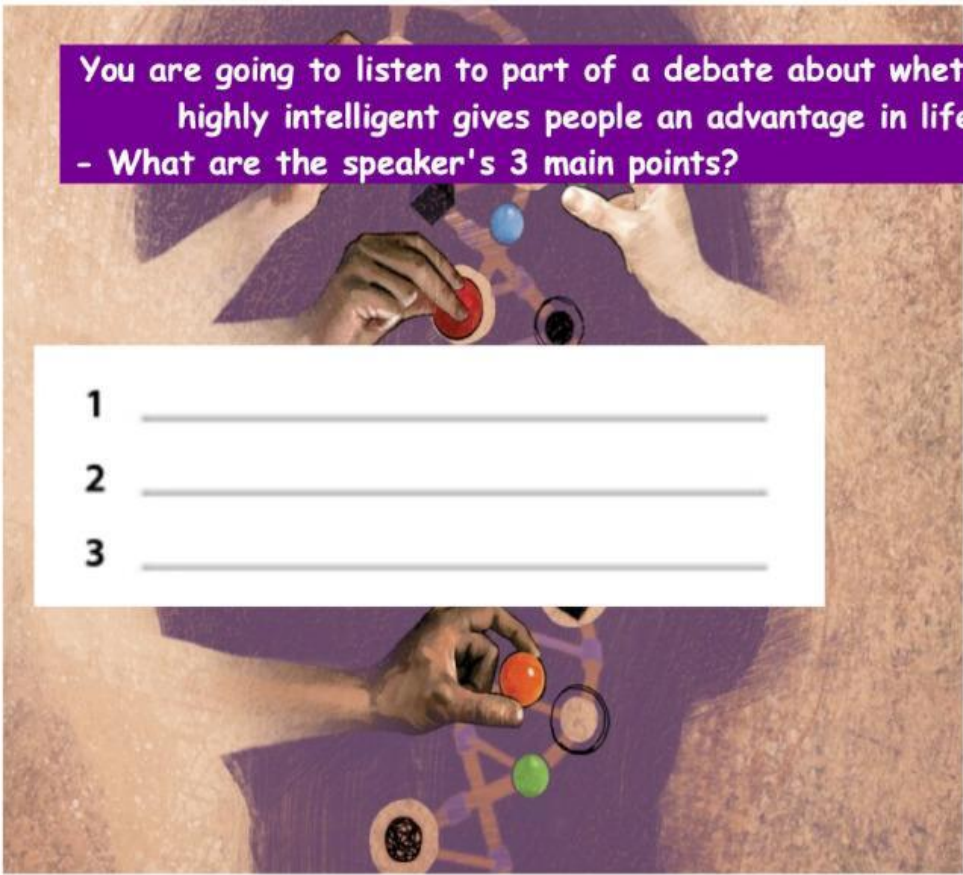


**Which one of the following gives people the biggest advantage in life?
Explain the reasons for your choice**

- ___ MONEY
- ___ INTELLIGENCE
- ___ SUPPORTIVE FAMILY
- ___ SKILLS
- ___ GOOD HEALTH
- ___ INTUITION
- ___ EDUCATION





You are going to listen to part of a debate about whether being highly intelligent gives people an advantage in life.

- What are the speaker's 3 main points?

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

partner is a genius.

Take some minutes to share ideas with the class

1. What is the "nutty professor" stereotype?
2. What mistakes do intelligent people frequently make at social events?
3. What do intelligent people sometimes do to preserve their reputation?

Let's talk about your intelligences

absent-minded common sense curious
eccentric eureka moment overthink
troubleshoot wishful thinking

- 1 Are you good at _____ or do you find it difficult to find and fix problems and faults?
- 2 Do you sometimes think about the same thing over and over again? Are you _____ things?
- 3 Do you solve problems with sudden bursts of inspiration, like a _____?
- 4 Do you like to take things apart? Are you _____ about how things work?
- 5 Do you make time in the day to organize work? Or does it seem like _____ to sit down and plan things?
- 6 Do you forget where you leave things? Are you _____?
- 7 Are you a practical person? Or do you lack _____?
- 8 Would you describe yourself as fairly conventional and similar to most people? Or are you a little _____?

Let's talk about your intelligences



SPEAKING HUB

A PREPARE Work in groups. Read the motion below and decide whether you will argue for or against it.

1. Highly intelligent people should be educated separately.
2. There is a widely held belief that IQ is a fixed figure
3. Intelligence is inherited
4. Highly Intelligent People Are Eccentric
5. High IQ is Necessary for Success
6. People are Getting More and More Intelligent
7. Intelligent people tend to overthink
8. Intelligent people battle with an inferiority complex
9. Intelligent people find it difficult to make friends
10. New generations are less critical of mistakes