

Lesson C:

Talents and Abilities

Listening

Listen to the conversations. Decide if the sentences are affirmative or negative. Choose the correct option.



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Reading

Human talents and abilities are diverse and unique. Read the text to explore the various types of talents and skills that people possess, and then answer the questions.

A World of Talents



Everyone has different talents and abilities. Talents are special skills that we have naturally. Abilities are skills that we can develop through practice and learning.

Artistic Talents: Some people have a natural ability to create art. They can paint, draw, or design. Artistic talents help express feelings and ideas in beautiful ways.

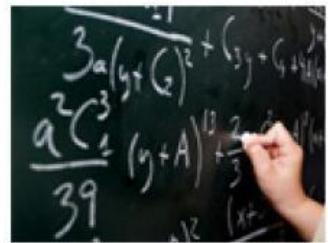


Athletic Abilities: Some people excel in sports. They are fast runners, skilled soccer players, or great swimmers. Athletic abilities often come from practice and physical training.



Musical Talents: Many individuals can sing or play instruments. Musical talents include understanding rhythms and melodies. These skills bring joy to others through music.

Academic Skills: Certain students have a talent for subjects like math or science. They can solve problems quickly and understand complex ideas. These abilities are important for learning.



<p>1. What are talents?</p> <p>A) Skills we can learn easily B) Special skills we have naturally C) Skills that everyone has D) Abilities that need no practice</p>	<p>2. True or False: Musical talents include the ability to understand rhythms and melodies.</p> <p>A) True B) False C) Sometimes true D) Not mentioned</p>
<p>3. Which type of skills helps students in subjects like math or science?</p> <p>A) Athletic Skills B) Artistic Talents C) Academic Skills D) Musical Talents</p>	<p>4. Which type of talent involves creating art?</p> <p>A) Athletic Talents B) Musical Talents C) Artistic Talents D) Academic Skills</p>



<p>5. True or False: Everyone has the same talents and abilities.</p> <p>A) True B) False C) Sometimes true D) Not mentioned</p>	<p>6. What can artistic talents help express?</p> <p>A) Feelings and ideas B) Physical strength C) Musical rhythm D) Academic knowledge</p>
<p>7. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a type of talent in the text?</p> <p>A) Athletic Talents B) Scientific Talents C) Musical Talents D) Artistic Talents</p>	<p>8. What do athletic abilities often come from?</p> <p>A) Natural talent only B) Practice and physical training C) Learning in school D) Playing instruments</p>

Speaking

Answer the following questions to talk about your talents and abilities

1.	What can you do very well?	 <p>play soccer</p>
2.	What can you do at home?	
3.	What languages can you speak?	
4.	What things you can't do?	
5.	What sports can you practice or play?	
6.	What foods can you cook?	
7.	What instruments can you play?	





Wrap-up

Tell your classmates about your favorite sports using the simple present tense and the things you can do very well.



