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Family Life

Inherited and Acquired Traits

Traits are the physical characteristics or qualities (mental, emotional and social) that make a person special. Traits can be inherited and acquired. Inherited traits are passed on to individuals from their parents e.g. the ability to play a musical instrument. Acquired traits are characteristics that people develop as a result of life experiences and engaging in activities over time. Individual interests, skills and talents make a person unique or different from others.