

Gifted or Not?



Bright Child vs. Gifted Learner

- Always knows the answers
- Bright Child

● Asks the
questions

● Gifted Learner

● Is highly
curious

● Gifted learner

● Is attentive

● Bright Child

◎ Works hard

◎ Bright Child

- Is mentally and physically involved
- Gifted Learner

● Has wild and
silly ideas

● Gifted Learner

● 6-8 repetitions
for mastery

● Bright Child

● Plays around, yet tests well

● Gifted Learner

● Is highly curious

● Gifted Learner

● Creates new designs

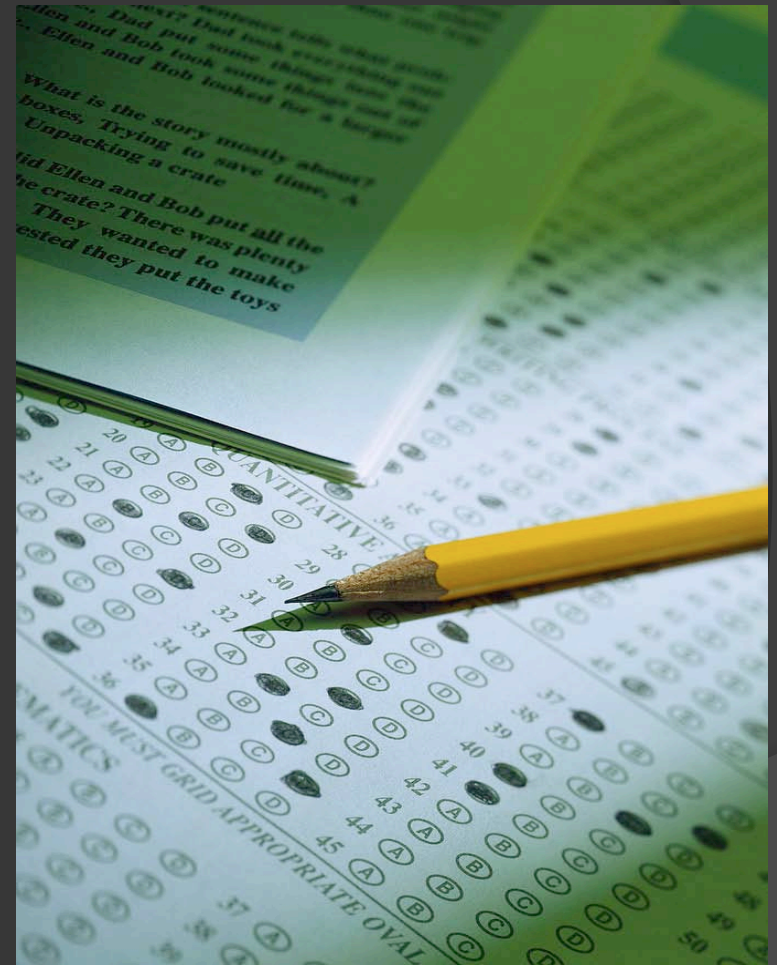
● Gifted Learner

● Top group

● Bright Child

Gifted Eligibility

- COGAT & ITBS
- Gifted Referral Team
- Motivation
- Creativity



Gifted Models: How do we serve our gifted students?

- Resource classes
- Advanced content classes
- Gifted cluster classes
- Enrichment Classes



Motivating High Achievers

- Enrich or extend the essential curriculum
- Challenge the abilities of highly able students
- Provide alternative activities that address the differing abilities, interests, or learning styles of students
- Allow choice

Motivating High Achievers

- ① Target specific learning activities for an individual or small group
- ① Promote higher level thinking skills
- ① Encourage the development of independent accepted wisdom

Questions?