

get sussed: smart learning

There are three main types of learner

I'm a visual learner!

- I write down things I want to learn - that's how I remember them best.
- I sit at the front of the classroom so I can see my teacher's body language and facial expressions.
- I use diagrams, illustrated textbooks, videos, handouts and visual displays to aid my learning.
- I write detailed notes so I can absorb the information my teacher gives - sometimes I make sure I'm given extra time to do this.
- When I'm working at home, I study in a quiet place on my own
- I use bright highlighter pens or markers to draw attention to important areas in my notes or work.
- Because I am good at written communication, I could have a career as a journalist, writer or poet.

I'm a auditory learner!

- I read written information aloud or ask the teacher to do this. This helps me remember and understand it.
- I discuss topics with my friends both in and out of class. I like to talk things through and listen to what others have to say.
- I ask my teachers to use group and discussion work in class.
- I listen closely to my teachers when they are speaking.
- Sometimes I tape lessons so I can listen to them to help me revise.
- Because I am a good speaker I may have a career as a teacher, lawyer, politician, translator

I'm a kinaesthetic learner!

- I take a hands-on approach to learning. I ask to see practical demonstrations of ideas.
- I make sure my teachers show me how things work.
- I volunteer to do demonstrations in class. This helps me to understand and remember an activity or idea.
- When studying at home, I don't sit at a desk. I like to learn in a relaxed position, lying on my back or stomach.
- I play music quietly in the background and take frequent study-breaks so I don't get tired.
- I remember lessons best if I walk around my room and say important words aloud.
- Because I am skilled in touch and movement, I may have a career as an athlete, PE teacher, dancer, actor or firefighter.