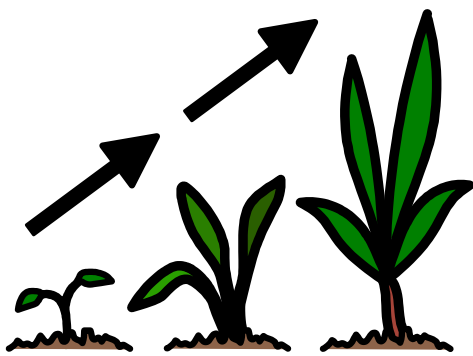
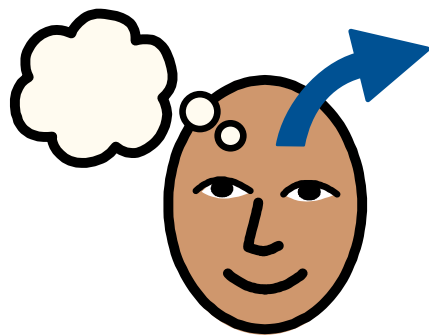


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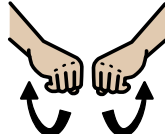
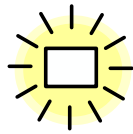
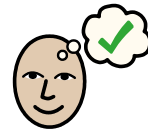
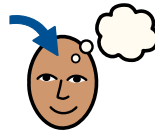
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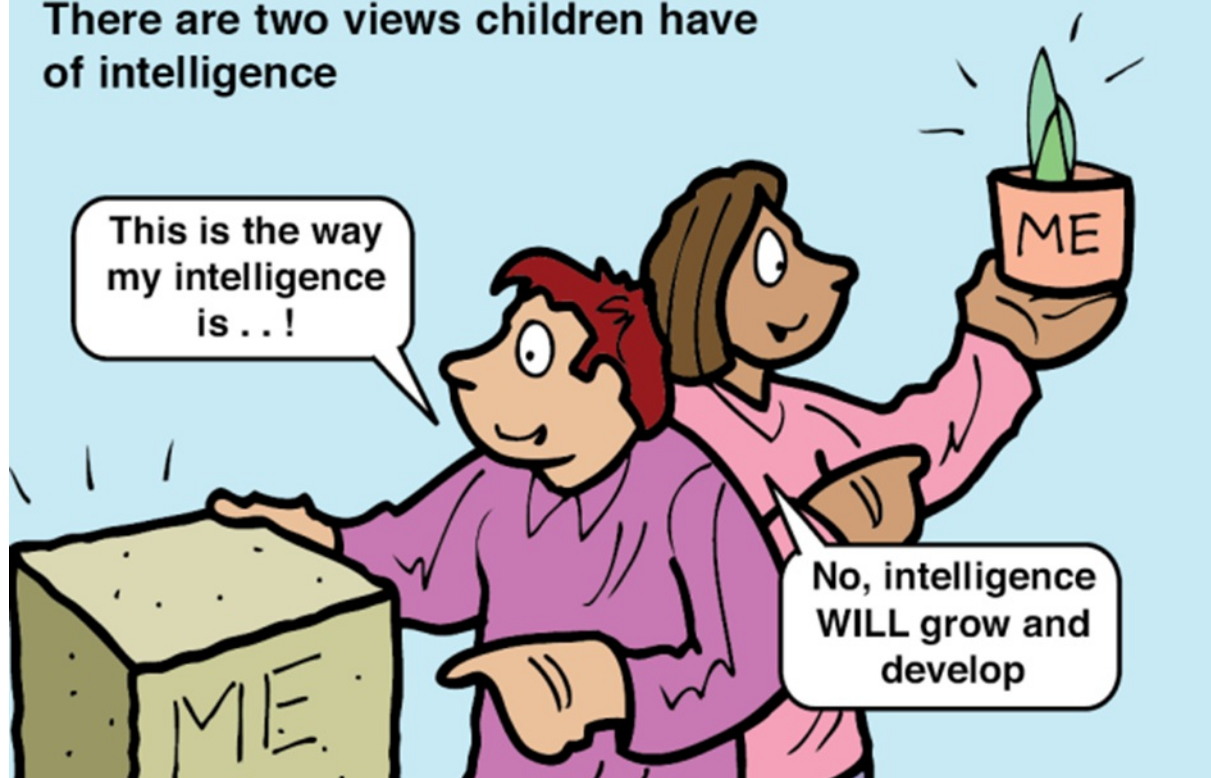
Intelligence is the ability to learn, understand

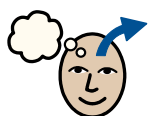
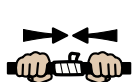


or deal with new, trying or challenging

situations.

There are two views children have of intelligence

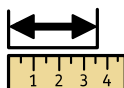




A fixed mindset believes:



- Intelligence is carved in stone.



- Scores in a test measure potential.

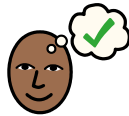
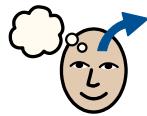
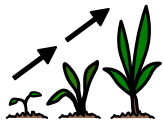


- Intelligent people shouldn't have to work hard.



- Failure reflects a lack of intelligence.

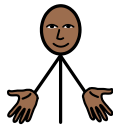




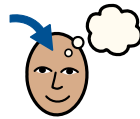
A growth mindset believes:



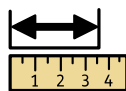
- Intelligence is malleable.



- Learning requires hard work and effort.



- All individuals can learn and improve.



- We cannot measure a person's potential.

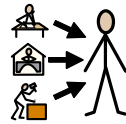




Learning is not about:



- tests



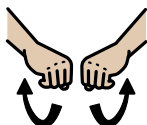
- getting a good job



- getting everything right



- comparing yourself to others



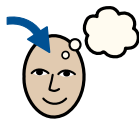
- trying to be better than others



Learning is about:



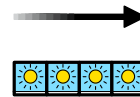
- a change in your behaviour, attitude or



knowledge



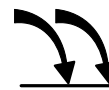
- improving your performance and future learning



- increasing your potential



- making mistakes and trying again.

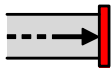




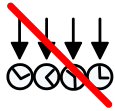
Doing your best learning is not:



- Only doing things you are good at



- Finishing your work quickly



- Never making a mistake

- Giving up



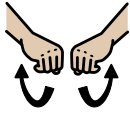
- Doing things that are easy for you



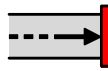
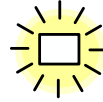
- Always asking the teacher for help



Doing your best learning is:



- Trying (or at least attempting) new things.



- Being determined to finish a task even when it

challenging.



- Using resources and equipment to help you

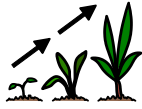


when you are stuck before asking an adult.

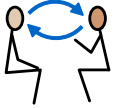


- Getting things wrong and having another go (sometimes

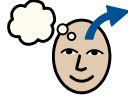
multiple times).



We can grow our intelligence by:



Discussing;



Reflecting;



Questioning;



Sharing;



Risking;



collaborating;



trying;



doing



difficult things

and



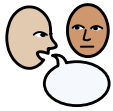
having fun!



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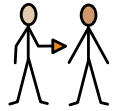
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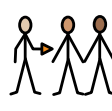
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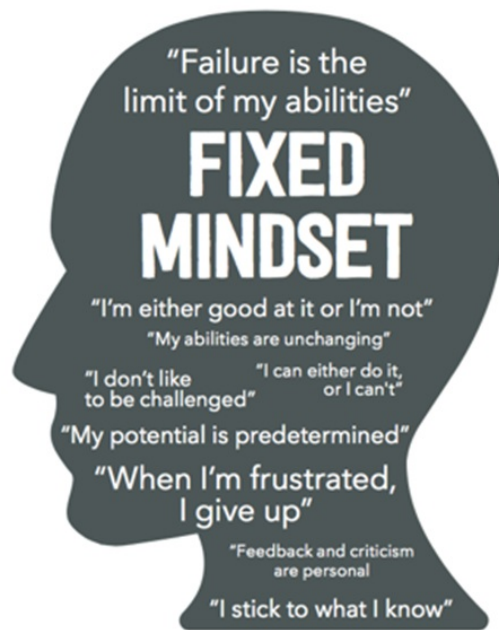


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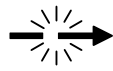


others.





Intelligence is developed at every stage in life.



Learning happens inside, outside, at home and in school.

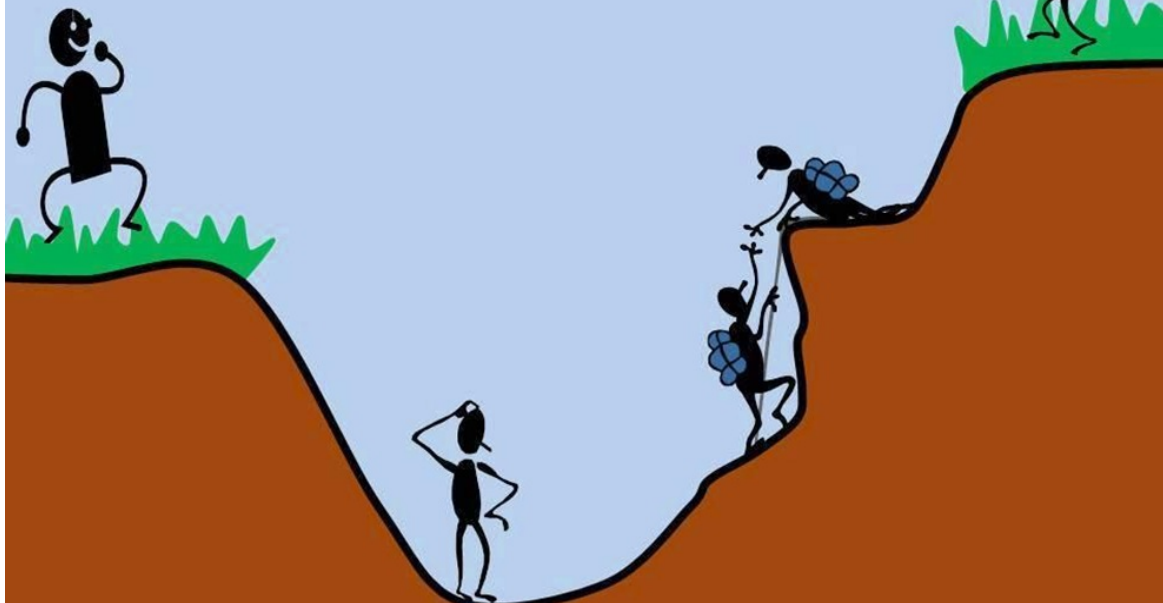


View learning and life as a series of challenges and



opportunities for improving.

The Learning Pit



Good learners go into the PIT!

