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*Does Personality Have a “Major” Impact?*

I attend Denver School of the Arts in Denver, CO. It is a magnet school for kids who are talented in 11 various art majors (Theater, Tech, Dance, Visual Arts, Creative Writing, Video Cinema Arts, Band, Orchestra, Vocal, Guitar, and Piano). Every student who attends DSA auditioned to get in and has been specially selected by the major teachers to be there. As a student at Denver School of the Arts, I noticed that students from each major seem to have similar personalities. I was wondering if there was any connection between the majors of students at DSA and their personalities. I administered a Multiple Intelligence survey, and observed in which of the eight categories the kids from each major had the highest score. After testing, I learned that in fact each major was correlated with one of the Multiple Intelligence areas. Overall, most majors scored highest on the “Interpersonal” area.