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How schools kill creativity

TED Lectures

Note-taking Activity

Directions: First listen to the lecture and take notes. Then using your notes, you will answer the following questions.

1. Does the speaker believe our current education system can prepare children for the future?
2. What does the speaker believe is as important as teaching literacy?
3. Why is it important to prepare to be wrong?
4. What subjects are considered the most important to learn everywhere in the world?
5. Why were the first educational systems developed in the 19th century?
6. What is a common reason why a student is steered away or dissuaded from studying arts or music?
7. How do we generally measure intelligence?
8. Does the speaker agree with this measure of intelligence?
9. What are 3 things we know about intelligence?
10. What is the speaker implying by telling the story of the dancer Gillian Lin?