

I strongly agree that learning styles affect how we learn! I am a very hands on visual learner. I learn the best when I'm alone teaching myself how to do things. My whole life I have retained nothing from reading and work that isn't hands on. However I believe learning styles can be overcome. Anyone can learn anything if they are willing to put their whole effort into it. I was always the type of person that couldn't take a math class because it just wasn't my thing. Junior year I took a harder level math class and put my whole mind into it and succeeded. Although the outcome of my junior year math was good, it was a huge struggle I had to overcome. There were many days I would come to school early, get tutor help, leave school late, and study all night. I believe challenging yourself to learn in a way that isn't comfortable for your learning style is a helpful skill. Being able to adapt to your surroundings and excel in any situations is where I believe true intelligence lies.