My Profile

My name is Benjamin Brooks (s3786942, [s3786942@student.rmit.edu.au](mailto:s3786942@student.rmit.edu.au)), I was born in Sydney, Australia and currently live in Balmain East. My parents are multigenerational Australians with English, Irish and Italian ancestry. I completed my high school education in 2009, since then I have completed a Diploma of Financial Planning and am working towards a Bachelor of Business. I speak English but would love to learn another language at some point in the future (maybe a programming language). My interests include exercise, sports, philosophy, meditation and travel.

Interest in IT

My interest in IT is based on my current lack of technological knowledge. I want to be able to participate effectively and make use of advancing technologies. I am a Wealth Consultant at Westpac and use role specific programs, I can use basic programs like Word, Power Point etc. and use a number of social media platforms. I chose to study at RMIT as I want to pursue a career in finance, in particular financial analysis. Having a strong understanding of Information Technology will be very useful, as using data and presenting data will be a key function in finance.

Ideal Job

<https://www.seek.com.au/job/39857420?searchrequesttoken=ec234109-df92-4e0d-ab62-98cf9ea578b7&type=promoted>

Investment Analyst/Fund Manager providing investment recommendations based on research and knowledge of micro/macroeconomic factors.

The role would involve researching different businesses and economic trends with the goal of recommending either the sale or purchase of investment opportunities. Roles like this interest me as you can be directly compensated for your performance in the role and it involves continuous learning and understanding of the wider economy. The key skills include financial modelling, data analysis, accounting and numeracy and literacy skills. I personally think the ability to concentrate for long periods of time will be essential. Currently, these are all skills that I need to develop and I will need to build experience in junior roles. My plan is to complete my Bachelor’s degree with a Financial Planning major, then start a Certified Financial Analyst Program. In addition, as I am working for Westpac, I will be looking for internal opportunities to gain exposure to this type of role.

Personal Profile

LEARNING STYLE

# What's Your Learning Style? The Results

**Benjamin Brooks' scores:**

* Auditory: 35%
* Visual: 45%
* Tactile: 20%

You are a **Visual** learner! Check out the information below, or [view all of the learning styles](http://www.educationplanner.org/students/self-assessments/learning-styles-styles.shtml).

## Visual

If you are a visual learner, you learn by reading or seeing pictures. You understand and remember things by sight. You can picture what you are learning in your head, and you learn best by using methods that are primarily visual. You like to see what you are learning.

As a visual learner, you are usually neat and clean. You often close your eyes to visualize or remember something, and you will find something to watch if you become bored. You may have difficulty with spoken directions and may be easily distracted by sounds. You are attracted to color and to spoken language (like stories) that is rich in imagery.

Here are some things that visual learners like you can do to learn better:

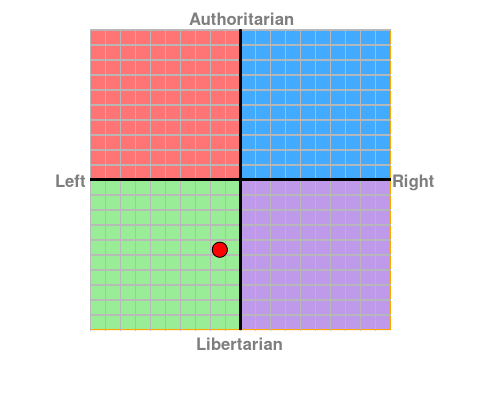
* Sit near the front of the classroom. (It won't mean you're the teacher's pet!)
* Have your eyesight checked on a regular basis.
* Use flashcards to learn new words.
* Try to visualize things that you hear or things that are read to you.
* Write down key words, ideas, or instructions.
* Draw pictures to help explain new concepts and then explain the pictures.
* Color code things.
* Avoid distractions during study times.

Remember that you need to **see** things, not just hear things, to learn well.



## Your Political Compass

## Economic Left/Right: -1.38 Social Libertarian/Authoritarian: -4.67



## Your test results

Thank you for completing our personality test! Here is a copy of your results:

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| |  | | --- | |  | | |  | | --- | | **Personality type:** [**“The Protagonist”** (ENFJ-T)](https://www.16personalities.com/enfj-personality) **Individual traits:** Extraverted – 74%, Intuitive – 58%, Feeling – 67%, Judging – 58%, Turbulent – 63% **Role:** Diplomat **Strategy:** Social Engagement | |