

McNair Writing Attitude Survey

This writing attitude survey aims to understand your general attitudes towards writing. Please consider all the different types of writing you engage in and answer the following questions based on your experiences and preferences.

Consider the different types of writing you do including both purpose (e.g. personal, school, professionally) and style (e.g. persuasive, narrative, descriptive)

* This form will record your name, please fill your name.

1. I like writing.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

2. I like telling stories.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

3. I like creating visual arts (e.g. pictures, video, sculpture).

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

4. I like to read.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

5. Writing is important.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

6. Writing is fun.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

7. Writing is boring.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

8. Writing is difficult.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

9. I am a good writer.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

10. I often seek help or guidance from others when working on a writing project.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

11. I appreciate receiving feedback on my writing.

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

12. I am confident in my ability to use technology for writing (e.g., word processors, online platforms).

- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Very disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

13. Please specify the types of writing you currently engage in and briefly describe the topics you have written about.

14. Is writing important to you? Why or why not?

15. What do you find to be the **least** difficult part of writing? Why?

16. What do you find to be the **most** difficult part of writing? Why?

17. What do you find is the **least** pleasurable about writing? Why?

18. What do you find is the **most** pleasurable about writing? Why?

19. What piece of writing are you most proud of? Why?

20. What improvements would you like to make in your writing? Why?

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