

# EVIDENCES OF GIFTEDNESS

## Unusual Curiosity

- Asks questions repeatedly
- Takes objects apart
- Repeats activities to do them differently

## Usual Sensitivity

- Notices things that other children do not

## Advanced Conceptualization

- Ability to think abstractly, do analogies, use more attributes

## Unusual Ability to Comprehend and Utilize Various Symbol Systems

- Speaks more than one language
- Reads early
- Understand numeral, letter, or musical systems

## Unusual Memory and Avid Interest in a Variety of Topics

- Becomes expert in a single topic before moving on

## Unusual Degree of Independence in Thought or Action

- Wants to do things on his/her own without help

## Unusual Task Commitment or Persistence – A Drive to Be Perfect

- Stays with an activity for a long time
- Satisfied only with own standards

## Unusual Leadership Ability

- Organizes and leads activities
- Prefers company of adults

## Unusual Sense of Humor

- Sees humor in situations that others do not
- Enjoys puns and riddles and play on words

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