

CLUES	LEARNING TIPS
Visual Learners Usually:	Visual Learners Should:
Need to see it to know it.	Use graphics to reinforce learning; films, slides, illustrations, diagrams and doodles.
Have a strong sense of color; may have artistic ability.	Color code to organize notes and possessions.
Often have difficulty with spoken directions; may over-react to sounds.	Ask for written directions.
May have trouble following directions, lectures.	Use flow charts and diagrams for note taking.
Often misinterprets words.	Visualize spelling of words or facts to be memorized.
Auditory Learners Usually:	Auditory Learners Should:
Prefer to get information by listening-needs to hear it to know it.	Use of tapes for reading and for class and lecture notes.
May have difficulty following written directions.	Learning by interviewing or by participating in discussions.
Difficulty with reading; problems with writing; inability to read body language and facial expressions.	Have test questions or directions placed on tape or read aloud.
Kinesthetic learners Usually:	Kinesthetic Learners Should:
Prefer hands on learning; often can assemble parts without reading directions; have trouble sitting still.	Engage in experiential learning (making models, doing lab work, and role playing.); take frequent breaks in study periods.
Learn better when physical activity is involved.	Trace letters and words to learn spelling and remember facts; use computer to reinforce learning through sense of touch; memorize or drill while walking or exercising.
May be very well coordinated and have athletic ability.	Express abilities through dance, drama, or gymnastics.