Multiple Intelligences

Howard Gardner's Theory of Multiple Intelligences are widely used in educational practice. The basic idea is that teachers should build into their teaching practice learning activities that reflect the diversity of learning faculties that vary in combination from person to person. See here: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Theory_of_multiple_intelligences

Gardner has subsequently added "Existential Intelligence" which more or less corresponds in Orthodox terms to the operation of the nous or spiritual faculty whereby we perceive, connect, and are transformed by God. This "Intelligence" could be said to underpin all the other intelligences as being aspects of our created human nature with its faculties.

Multiple intelligences and their associated learning styles can be applied to either adult or child education.



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