Intellectual Engagement Inventory (1-7 scale, disagree strongly to agree strongly)

Investment/ Devaluing

Being good at academics is an important part of whom I am. ® I always feel good about myself when I do well on an academic test. ® Doing well on intellectual tasks is very important to me. ® I care a great deal about performing well on tests of my intellectual ability. ® It usually doesn't matter to me one way or the other how I do in school.

Diagnosticity/ Discounting

I feel that standard achievement tests are fair tests of my abilities. ® In general, I feel that standardized achievement tests are a good measure of my intelligence. ® Most intelligence tests do not really measure what they are supposed to. I feel that standardized achievement tests are definitely biased against me.

Disengagement

I really don't care what tests say about my intelligence. No intelligence test will ever change my opinion of how intelligent I am. How I do intellectually has little relation to who I am.

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