

Reflecting on my Evidence #1

This piece of evidence is a blog entry created for the Big Wigs site on the 20th of September, 2014. This was a partner assignment where we were tasked with researching a learning theorist, Howard Gardner, and producing a write-up detailing his work. By doing this research, I learned much about his theory of Multiple Intelligences. While I already knew of other learning styles such as Kinesetic, Visual, and Audio learning, Howard goes even deeper and divides it into 8 different learning styles. Even though this is just the beginning, this piece has already enlightened me to a whole new level of learning styles that I should be aware and begin to address as I continue to develop as an educator. The site that our partner work is attached to is also a great evidence piece as it contains blog entries submitted by other colleagues about other well known learning theorists and their work. This site makes a great stepping stone to quickly get a gist of many different theories that will guide my research in the future. This program outcome is an important piece to both an online and f2f educator. Bettering one's education skills and exchanging old tools for new ones should always be the goal of any educator. There are many ways in which to achieve this outcome: Attend a PSA, Pro-D event, search peer-reviewed works, connect with other colleagues in the field, and/or find a mentor who is already vested in the field.