

DEALING WITH DIVERSITY IN EDUCATION; AUTISM SPECTRUM DIAGNOSIS

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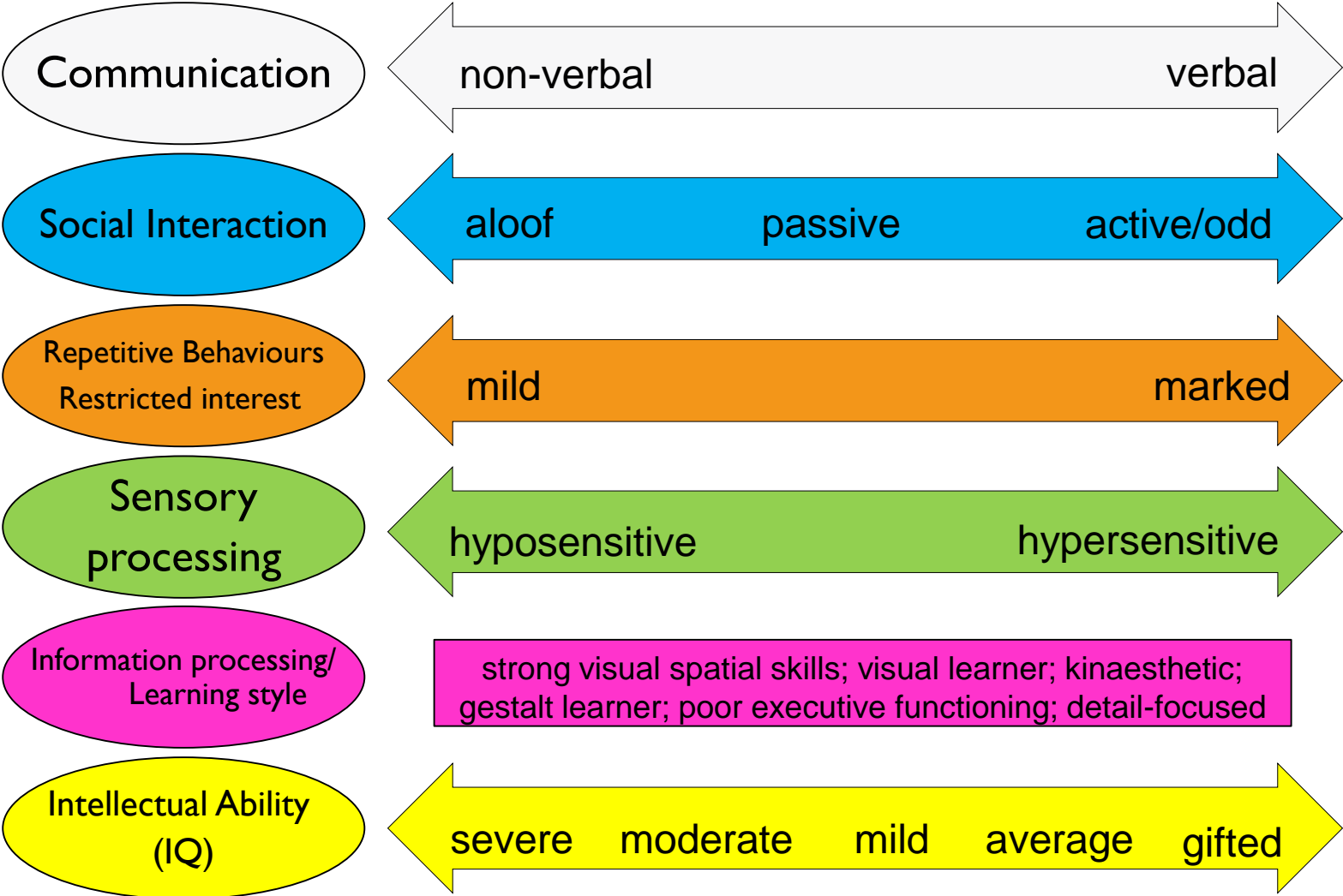
Autism Consultants - Lucy Hunt and Kate Taylor

ASD-10 Things You May Not Know About Autism



<https://youtu.be/DZXjJVrm1Jw>

CHARACTERISTICS AND DIVERSITY OF AUTISM



LEARNING STRENGTHS

- Memory -take in chunks of information quickly
- Remember information for a long time
- Use visual information meaningfully when taught in meaningful ways
- Attention to detail but may not get the gist (context/bigger picture)
- Understand and use concrete, context free information and rules
- Frank and logical
- Concentrate on topics of interest

Janzen, J. *Understanding the Nature of Autism*, Hammill Institute, 2003

USEFUL LINKS AND RESOURCES

✓ Positive Partnerships

<http://www.positivepartnerships.com.au> – webinars, learning resources and fact sheets, videos, current Australian Federally funded website

National Australian Cooperative Research Centre

<https://www.autismcrc.com.au> —resources developed and shared, videos of practice and summaries of research underway

<https://youtu.be/DZXijVrmIJw>

Australian-telethon kids institute | 10 things you should know

<https://youtu.be/ejpWWPIHNGQ>

Rosie King “My Autism and Me” video

<https://youtu.be/LahN-zYjXLU>

“Amazing Things Happen” video

https://youtu.be/ITMLzXzgB_s

“heartfelt advice from students”

<https://youtu.be/x5m5vqrFZpc>

“10 things you should know” one person’s viewpoint

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DIG5ssZIVUw>

what is sensory processing from child's perspective

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K2P4Ed6G3gw>

sensory overload video cartoon



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