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|  | Myths about Gifted Students<https://www.nagc.org/myths-about-gifted-students> |
| Myth: | **Gifted Students Don’t Need Help; They’ll Do Fine On Their Own** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Teachers Challenge All The Students, So Gifted Kids Will Be Fine In The Regular Classroom** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Gifted Students Make Everyone Else In The Class Smarter By Providing A Role Model Or A Challenge** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **All Children Are Gifted** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Acceleration Placement Options Are Socially Harmful For Gifted Students** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Gifted Education Programs Are Elitist** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **That Student Can't Be Gifted, He Is Receiving Poor Grades** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Gifted Students Are Happy, Popular, And Well Adjusted In School** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **This Child Can't Be Gifted, He Has A Disability** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Our District Has A Gifted And Talented Program: We Have AP Courses** |
| *Truth:* |  |
| Myth: | **Gifted Education Requires an Abundance of Resources** |
| *Truth:* |  |