

Definition of Gifted Students

This definition was taken directly from the Arkansas Department of Education Gifted and Talented Program Approval Standards.

“Gifted and talented children and youth are those of high potential or ability whose learning characteristics and educational needs require qualitatively differentiated educational experiences and/or services.

Possession of these talents and gifts, or the potential for their development, will be evidenced through an interaction of above average intellectual ability, task commitment and /or motivation, and creative ability.”