

# TEACHING THE RIGHT BRAIN CHILD

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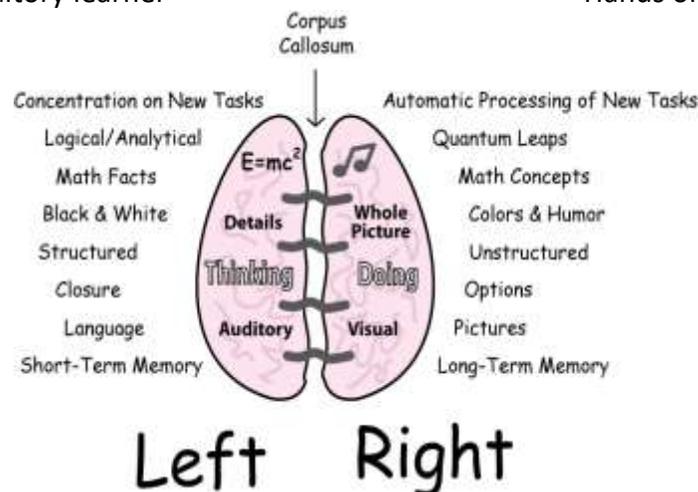
50% of the population is Right Brain dominant, and 50% is Left Brain dominant.  
We tend to marry the opposite hemisphere (or have you noticed?).

## Left Brain Learner

- \* Likes structure
- \* Mathematical (easily learns math facts)
- \* Analytical (needs all the information in order to come to a conclusion)
- \* Auditory (oral repetition of math facts and spelling words greatly helps in retention of material)
- \* Sees details more easily (likes phonics and step-by-step process required in math formulas)
- \* Learns easily in black and white
- \* Right eye dominance slightly more common
- \* "Book and workbook" auditory learner

## Right Brain Learner

- \* Spontaneous
- \* Imaginative
- \* Intuitive (understands reading material, even if he doesn't know all of the words)
- \* Visual (pictures, drawn or made mentally, make retention of material much easier)
- \* Sees the "whole picture" (gets concepts more easily than the step-by-step details; learns phonics more easily when picture and color are attached to the phonemes)
- \* Color and picture help in learning
- \* Left eye dominance more common
- \* "Hands on" learner



"Visual memory is considerably superior to auditory memory." The Brain Book, by Peter Russell

## I. Right Brain Spelling

- A. *Use spelling words as a TOOL to train your child's valuable photographic memory*
- B. *Teach your children the method that Spelling Bee Winners use...their visual memory. Place spelling words on cards that have the 'tricky' letters colored and with a story. Show them how to take 'pictures' of their words. These pictures stick, even when they are writing paragraphs!*
- C. *This method trains the photographic memory exclusively because it does not use workbooks, or phonics rules. See 3 years growth in spelling using this inexpensive, fun teaching strategy while training their photographic memory! Even the worst spellers will get this method!*

## II. Right Brain Reading Instruction

"This method is very effective for kids with Dyslexia."

- A. *Use the "Instant Success" method of teaching sight words using the child's powerful photographic memory.*
- B. *Teach phonics using the unique Right Brain method. NO rules. NO Writing. NO Memorization. Use Phonics Cards with the picture and letters IMBEDDED, so the brain can just take a picture of it for easy sound retrieval when reading!*
- C. *When your child doesn't remember what he reads...improve Reading Comprehension by helping him "make a movie in his head" for greater comprehension and retention. This fifteen minute daily training promotes perfect recall.*

## III. Strategies for Test Taking

- A. *Show your children how to take "picture notes" of a chapter or concept (grammar, geography, social studies or science) for storage in the long term memory and easier test recall.*
- B. *Teach your children to picture an entire chapter of notes, using his/her natural photographic memory for easy test taking. This technique is used at Cambridge University!*

Help your child 'feel smart' by using teaching methods that require so little energy for them to remember material!

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