

Before we talk about what “gifted” is, let’s talk about what “gifted” is not.

Gifted is NOT

- A PERFECT person who always gets all “A’s;”
- A person who never makes a mistake;
- A person who is always mature;
- A person who is always polite;
- A person who walks around with a book all the time;
- A person with thick glasses and curly hair;
- A person who is terrible at sports;
- A person who thinks they are better than anyone else;
- A person who always has the “right” answer;
- A person who gets special privileges;
- A person who only thinks about school subjects;
- A person who KNOWS better

You are GIFTED!

You have been given a mind that learns differently, often faster than others your age.

You are not better or smarter than anyone else.

You are not gifted because you took a test.

You have been given the ability to see and understand things beyond your years.

You have the same responsibility as everyone else ...to develop your talents and gifts to the fullest and to utilize these gifts for the good of mankind, be that your immediate family, your community, your country, or your world.