

## **Identifying Sensory Preferences**

Clothi	ng Preferences		
Select	all that apply.		
I prefe	r to wear:	I prefe	r to wear:
	dark colors		short socks (ankle socks)
	bright colors		tall socks
	light colors/pastels		no socks
	no preference		no preference
I prefe	r to wear:	I prefe	r to wear:
	solids		two or more layers of clothing
	prints		single layers of clothing
	no preference		no preference
I prefe	r to wear:	I prefe	r to wear:
	tight clothing		soft textured clothes
	loose clothing		silky textured clothes
	no preference		structured clothes, such as button-
			down shirts
I prefe	r to wear:		breathable fabrics, like linen
	long sleeves		loose athletic clothing, like gym shorts
	long pants		tight athletic clothing, like leggings
	short sleeves		no texture/fabric preference
	short pants		
	no preference	I prefe	r to wear:
			boxer shorts
I prefe	r to wear:		briefs/panties
	closed toe shoes (tennis shoes/loafers)		boxer briefs/boy shorts
	dress shoes or heels		regular bra
	slip on shoes		sports bra
	shoes with laces		no bra
	sandals		a variety of undergarments
	no shoes		no undergarments
	no preference		
Comments or other clothing preferences:			

Enviro	nment Preferences	
Select	all that apply.	
I prefe	er to be:	I prefer:
	inside/indoors	$\square$ natural lighting
	outside/outdoors	<ul><li>bright lighting</li></ul>
	no preference	☐ low level lighting
		<ul><li>no preference</li></ul>
I prefe	er to be:	
	in a warm place	I prefer to have:
	in a cool place	<ul> <li>everything spread out and visible</li> </ul>
	in a neutral temperature	<ul> <li>everything tucked away, out of sight</li> </ul>
	no preference	<ul> <li>no preference</li> </ul>
I prefer:		I prefer décor that is:
	large, open spaces	<ul> <li>neutral, with muted colors</li> </ul>
	small, confined spaces	<ul><li>bright, with bold colors</li></ul>
	no preference	☐ solid colors
		□ patterns
I prefe	er to be in a:	□ no preference
	quiet place	
	place with background noises	
	place with lots of noise and activity	
	no preference	
Comm	ents or other environment preferences:	

Food/Taste/Oral Input Preferences				
Select all that apply.				
I prefer flavors that are:    bland   salty   sweet   sour   spicy   other:   no preference	I prefer to drink:  through a straw from an open cup from a squeeze sports bottle from a drink bottle or can from a spouted lid (like a sippee cup) through a bite valve (Camelbak) no preference			
I prefer textures that are:  □ chewy (like gum) □ crunchy (like chips) □ soft (like bread) □ crisp (like raw vegetables) □ hard (like suckers) □ no preference	I enjoy:  □ singing □ whistling □ humming □ making noises with my mouth □ none of the above  I enjoy chewing/mouthing non-food objects:			
I prefer food temperatures that are:  hot cold neutral no preference  I prefer to drink: ice cold drinks hot drinks	<ul> <li>pens or pencils</li> <li>straws or coffee swizzle sticks</li> <li>lips, tongue, or inside of cheeks</li> <li>nails or cuticles</li> <li>buttons or collars</li> <li>sweatshirt strings</li> <li>other:</li> <li>none of the above</li> </ul>			
□ room temperature drinks □ no preference  I prefer to drink: □ water □ sweet flavors (like iced tea) □ bitter flavors (like black coffee) □ carbonated beverages (like soda) □ caffeinated drinks (like coffee) □ no preference  Comments or other food/taste/oral input prefer	I often:  smoke clench my jaw bite my tongue take deep breaths chew gum none of the above			

Touch	Preferences		
Select	all that apply.		
I like t	o touch others:	I enjoy	<i>r</i> :
	constantly		holding hands
	never		hugs
	when I'm in the mood		massages
	no preference		being tickled
			playing with someone's hair
I like to	o touch others:		having my hair played with
	lightly		kisses
	firmly		firm caresses
	with fingertips		gentle caresses
	with whole hand		none of the above
	with whole body		
	not at all	I enjoy	<i>'</i> :
	no preference		drumming with my fingers or
			pen/pencil
I like o	thers to touch me:		picking at my skin
	lightly		rubbing objects
	firmly		squeezing objects
	with fingertips		caressing objects lightly
	with whole hand		fidgeting with objects
	with whole body		
	not at all	I like to	o fidget with things that are:
	no preference		resistive (like a stress ball)
			moveable (like jewelry)
I prefe	r to take a:		firm and smooth (like a worry stone)
	cool shower		firm and textured (like a coin)
	warm shower		soft (like fur or minky material)
	hot shower		stretchy (like putty)
	cool bath		repetitive (like clicking a pen)
	warm bath		other:
	hot bath		I don't really fidget
	I dislike bathing/showering		
	no preference		
Comments or other touch preferences:			

Move	ment Preferences		
Select	all that apply.		
I prefe	r:	I enjoy	:
	being sedentary more than active		running/jogging
	being active more than sedentary		walking
	a balance of sedentary and active		hiking
	moving frequently throughout the day		biking
	moving intensely for a brief part of day		climbing
	(such as during a workout)		swinging
	no preference		rocking
			dancing
I prefe	r to move:		spinning
	fast; everyone else goes too slow		amusement park rides
	slow; people can be so pushy		none of the above
	somewhere in between		
	it depends on my mood	I often	:
	no preference		doodle, fidget, or do chores when watching TV or listening
I enjoy	<b>:</b>		shift or "squirm" in a chair when sitting
	yoga/pilates		tap my foot
	weight lifting/weight machines		cross my legs and bounce my top leg
	scrubbing a floor or other deep		sit on my feet
	cleaning chores		push chair back on two legs
	doing yard work or gardening		roll or pop my neck/back
	stretching		
	none of the above		
Comm	ents or other movement preferences:		

Select all that apply.  I enjoy looking at/watching:	
nature scenes	
nature scenes	
people clouds clouds clouds a fire art, such as at an art museum fast moving TV/movie scenes other: none of the above comments or other visual preferences:    Auditory Preferences   Select all that apply.   I enjoy listening to/hearing:	
animals clouds art, such as at an art museum fast moving TV/movie scenes other: none of the above final moving objects, such as a fan none of the above final moving other visual preferences:  Auditory Preferences  Select all that apply.  I enjoy listening to/hearing:	•
a fire a fish tank fast moving TV/movie scenes other: none of the above for sunrise or other visual preferences:  Auditory Preferences  Select all that apply.  I enjoy listening to/hearing:	
a fish tank	□ clouds
a sunset or sunrise other: other: none of the above of the ab	<ul><li>art, such as at an art museum</li></ul>
moving objects, such as a fan none of the above "oil and water" toys  Comments or other visual preferences:  Auditory Preferences  Select all that apply.  I enjoy listening to/hearing:	☐ fast moving TV/movie scenes
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I enjoy listening to/hearing:	
□ classical music □ vacuum cleaner	□ vacuum cleaner
□ heavy metal □ a fan	
□ hard rock □ white noise app or machine	□ white noise app or machine
□ pop music like at a coffee shop	
□ country music □ ticking clock	•
□ news/talk radio □ road noise while riding in a car	_
□ podcasts □ airplane engines	
☐ animals (meowing, barking, etc.) ☐ rain	·
☐ lawn mowers/equipment ☐ flowing water, such as a stream	•
□ heavy machinery/trucks □ other:	<del>-</del>
□ saws or other shop equipment □ none of the above	
Comments or other auditory preferences:	ences:

Smell	Preferences			
Select	all that apply.			
I enjoy	the smell of: perfumes and colognes floral scents		laundry detergent soap	
	fruity scents beachy scents woodsy scents		earth/grass food cooking/baking none of the above	
	citrus scents		no preference	
Comments or other smell preferences:				