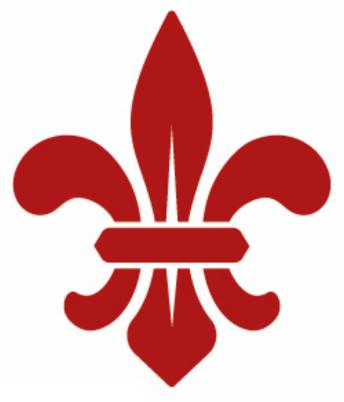
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### High Performance Learning

- The principles of HPL and why we are doing it.
- The ACPs and VAAs in general.
- How parents can help at home.





# The most important development in education in the 21<sup>st</sup> century is our growing understanding of human capability.



### We can grow minds .....





### What do we need?

- Opportunities
- Support
- Motivation to achieve
- Practice



### How ambitious should we be?



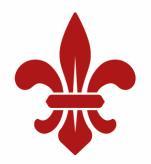
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"Talent" is grotesquely overrated. Deliberate practice is the secret to excellence.

Some take longer to reach the same point.

### High performance learning

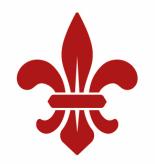
- Analysis about how "gifted" people think and learn.
- Identified characteristics that these people exhibit.
- The traits broadly fall into Behavioural Traits (VAAs) and Thinking Traits (ACPs).





## Behaviour traits .....

Values Attitudes and Attributes (VAAs)



### Meta-thinking Girl







Captain Linking



I can use my skills accurately and automatically

Major Realising

### **Thinking** traits

**Advanced Cognitive Performance Characteristics** (ACPS)

### Video of pupils



### Key principles

- High performance is a target for all.
- There are generic characteristics that all students need to develop.
- We can systematically teach students how to be 'intelligent' and how to succeed in school and life.
- Our students can all become intellectually and socially confident.



### Further reading ....

