**A second look at Fractured Mirror…**

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1. **What is the author’s purpose? Remember PIE? Is it to Persuade, Inform or Entertain? How do you know?**
2. **How would you describe the feeling (tone) of the author’s writing? What word choices does he/she use that make you feel this way?**
3. **Choose two of the following quotes and Agree or disagree. Support your answer.**

**“To start off, intelligence is immense and innumerable and therefore is impossible to be evaluated by a single test.”**

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**“…the IQ test is preparable and the IQs are crucially influenced by the environment. In other words, children living in a studious environment with ample support will unquestionably have a higher IQ-- which demolishes the purpose of IQ tests.”**

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**“Do you think it’s fair if your child fails to attend one of the selective schools due to his/her low IQ but then receives a high enough IQ qualifying for those school a couple years later?”**

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**“Imagine your 4-year-old child taking these futile exams when they should be having their own fun-- they should be playing with blocks instead of arranging them into specific sequences.”**

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