

DIVERGENT THINKING

These are the results of 1600 children given eight tests for divergent thinking.

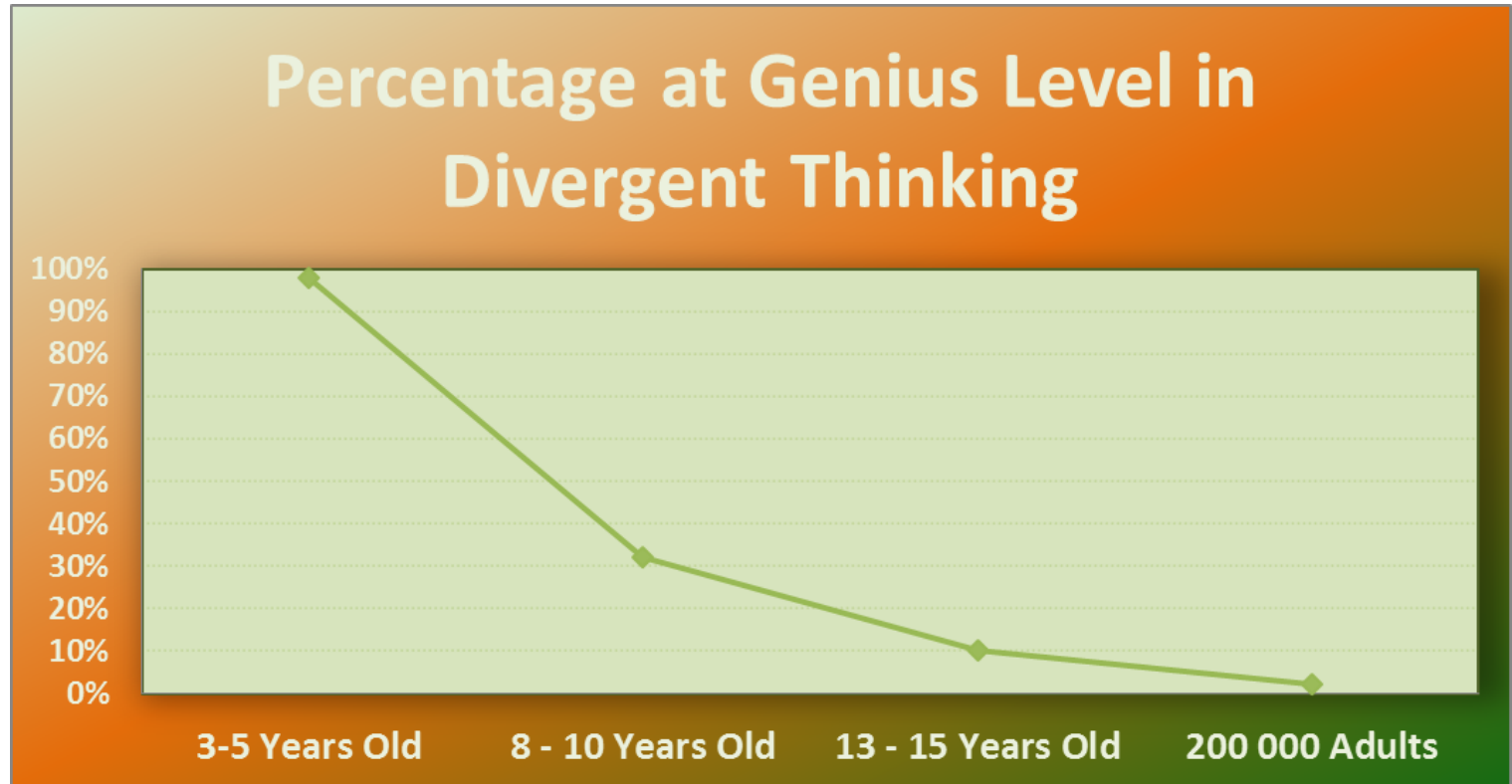
At ages 3 – 5: 98% scored in the creative genius category.

The same children 5 years later: 32% scored in the creative genius category.

The same children 5 years later: 10% scored in the creative genius category.

In tests of over 200 000 adults only 2% scored in the creative genius category.

Reference: Breakpoint and Beyond by George Land and Beth Jarman



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