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Grit: The Power of Passion and Perseverance Angela Duckworth

Before:

Before you watch, tell me what “grit” means. (Have you ever heard someone use that word to describe you or someone else? If not, what do you think it means when someone describes another person as having “grit”?)

When was this talk filmed?

How many views has it had?

During:

What are Angela Duckworth’s credentials?

What is the topic of this TED Talk?

You were asked to define grit before you started the video. How does the speaker define grit?

What does the speaker say about grit vs. intelligence?

The speaker cites research conducted on the topic of grit in her talk. Choose one example from the video and summarize the research findings.

According to the speaker, is it possible to learn “grit”? What does the speaker say about learning and/or building grit?

What is “growth mindset”?

Do you agree with the argument presented in this TED talk? Explain.

What questions and/or concerns do you have about this TED talk?

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Hashtag this TED Talk:

After:

Do you think you have “grit”? Why or why not?

Think of someone you know who has “grit.” Briefly describe a situation in which this person exhibited “grit.”