

Inherited and acquired traits

Grade 3 Science Worksheet

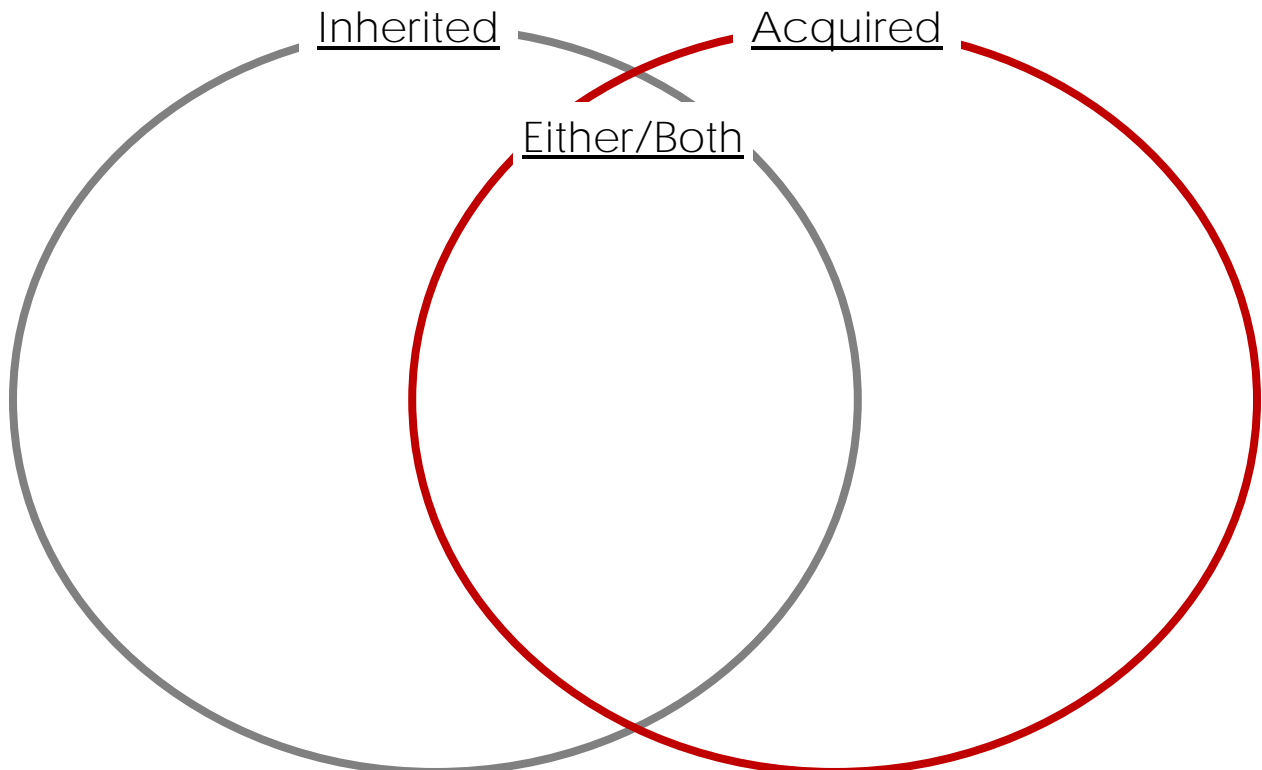
Hair color is an inherited trait. People inherit the genes for their natural hair color from their parents. But people can also dye their hair! That would be an acquired trait.



So, a trait can be *inherited* or *acquired* depending on where it comes from.

Write each trait in the Venn diagram.

hair color eye color skin tone ear shape
scars freckles height weight
language spoken being a good reader
playing guitar ear piercings



Answers

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scars	freckles	height	weight
language spoken		being a good reader	
playing guitar		ear piercings	

