

Discussion Questions for Chapter 7: Popular ideas about language learning revisited

- 1 Choose two statements about language learning that you agreed with before reading this book. Review the information that you found in the book to either support or to raise questions about your views. Write a paragraph indicating how you might respond to colleagues if you heard them make these statements. How would you respond to parents whose children are in your class or, if you teach adults, to those adult students?
- 2 Choose two statements that you either disagreed with or felt uncertain about when you first read them. Review the information in the book that has either led you to change your mind or strengthened your opinion. Write a paragraph indicating how you might respond to colleagues if you heard them make these statements. How would you respond to parents whose children are in your class or, if you teach adults, to those adult students?