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2. DMIT is not based on scientific evidence.
3. DMIT is not useful for intelligence testing, brain lobe function testing, and predicting future behavior.
4. IPS urges parents and schools to stay away from such ill-founded practices.

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