intelligent Apresyan (En-Ru)

[in'telidʒ(ə)nt] a

1. 1) умный, разумный

intelligent child - умный /разумный/ ребёнок

intelligent question [reply] - умный /разумный/ вопрос [ответ]

to conduct oneself like an intelligent person - вести себя разумно

- 2) хорошо соображающий, сообразительный понятливый смышлёный
- 3) знающий, понимающий
- 4) вчт. интеллектуальный

intelligent data base - интеллектуальнаябаза данных

intelligent terminal - интеллектуальный терминал «тяжёлый» терминал

- 2. арх. информирующий, осведомительный
- 3. в грам. знач. сущ. редк. умный, разумный или понятливый человек

### intelligent

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

in-tel·li-gent AW BrE [ɪn'telɪdʒənt] NAmE [ɪn'telɪdʒənt] adjective

- 1. good at learning, understanding and thinking in a logical way about things; showing this ability
  - a highly intelligent child
  - to ask an intelligent question

Opp: †unintelligent

- 2. (of an animal, a being, etc.) able to understand and learn things
- · a search for intelligent life on other planets
- 3. (computing) (of a computer, program, etc.) able to store information and use it in new situations
- intelligent software/systems

Derived Word fintelligently

### Word Origin:

early 16th cent.: from Latin intelligent- 'understanding', from the verb intelligere, variant of intellegere 'understand', from inter 'between' + legere 'choose'.

## Thesaurus:

intelligent [intelligent intelligently] adj.

· He's a highly intelligent man.

bright • • brilliant • |especially AmE smart • |especially BrE, sometimes disapproving clever •

Opp: stupid

a/an intelligent/bright/brilliant/smart/clever **child/boy/girl/man/woman** a/an intelligent/brilliant/smart/clever **move/thing to do** 

#### Synonyms:

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smart • clever • brilliant • bright

These words all describe people who are good at learning, understanding and thinking about things, and the actions that show this ability.

intelligent • good at learning, understanding and thinking in a logical way about things; showing this ability: ■ He's a ■ highly intelligent ■ man. ♦ She asked a lot of intelligent questions.

**smart** • (*especially NAmE*) quick at learning and understanding things; showing the ability to make good business or personal decisions: • She's smarter than her brother.  $\diamondsuit$ = That was a smart career move.

**clever** • (sometimes disapproving *especially BrE*) quick at learning and understanding things; showing this ability: ■ How clever of you to work it out! ♦ He's ■ too clever by half ■, if you ask me.

People use **clever** in the phrase: • Cleverboy/girl! to tell a young child that they have learnt or done sth well. When used to or about an adult **clever** can be disapproving

**brilliant** • extremely intelligent or skilful: • He's a brilliant young scientist.

bright • intelligent; quick to learn: • She's probably the brightest student in the class.

**Bright** is used especially to talk about young people. Common collocations of **bright** include girl, boy, kid, student, pupil. clever/brilliant **at** sth

- $a(n)\ intelligent/smart/clever/brilliant/bright\ \textbf{child/boy/girl/man/woman}$
- a(n) intelligent/smart/clever/brilliant thing to do

### Example Bank:

- He should be able to solve the problem. He's reasonably intelligent.
- Why do otherwise intelligent people take this event so seriously?
- · a highly intelligent woman
- · He's a highly intelligent man.
- · She asked a lot of intelligent questions.

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[Word Family: noun: fintelligence, fintelligentsia, fintelligibility; advert fintelligently, fintelligibly; adjective: fintelligent ≠

# UNINTELLIGENŢ †intelligible ≠ †unintelligible]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: present participle of intelligere, intellegere 'to understand', from inter- ( printer-) + legere 'to gather, choose']

- 1. an intelligent person has a high level of mental ability and is good at understanding ideas and thinking clearly:
  - a group of highly intelligent (=very intelligent) students
  - Sontag was once famously described as the most intelligent woman in America.
- 2. an intelligent comment, question, conversation etc shows that you have thought about something carefully and understand it well:

  an intelligent question
  - You can't have an intelligent conversation with him.
- **3**. an intelligent creature is able to think and understand:
  - Are there intelligent beings on other planets?
  - forms of intelligent life
- 4. an intelligent machine, system etc is able to learn and use information
- —intelligently adverb

#### **THESAURUS**

- intelligent having a high level of mental ability, and good at thinking clearly and understanding ideas: The top universities aim to select the most intelligent students.
- **clever** especially British English, **smart** especially American English intelligent, so that you can think and learn quickly and find ways to solve problems: That was very clever of you. How did you do that? | I wasn't smart enough to be a lawyer.
- bright intelligent used especially about children and young people: He's a very bright kid. I the brightest student in the class
- brilliant extremely intelligent and good at the work you do: a brilliant scientist
- gifted a gifted child is much more intelligent than most other children: a special school for gifted children
- wise able to make good decisions and give sensible advice, especially because you have a lot of experience: a wise old man
- cunning/crafty good at using your intelligence to get what you want, often by making secret plans or tricking people: She was cunning enough to keep this latest piece of information secret. | He's a crafty old devil!
- brainy informal intelligent and good at studying: My sister is the brainy one in our family.

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