## **GT/ELL Characteristics**

ELL students may show their giftedness by being able to:

- Acquire language at an accelerated rate
- Add details
- Understand jokes
- Compare ideas
- Put new twists on traditional ideas
- Be highly regarded by their ethnic peers
- Be very adaptable and flexible
- Learn content and language simultaneously
- Become deeply involved in learning
- Make models or draw pictures to communicate
- Understand idioms