

### The secret of success

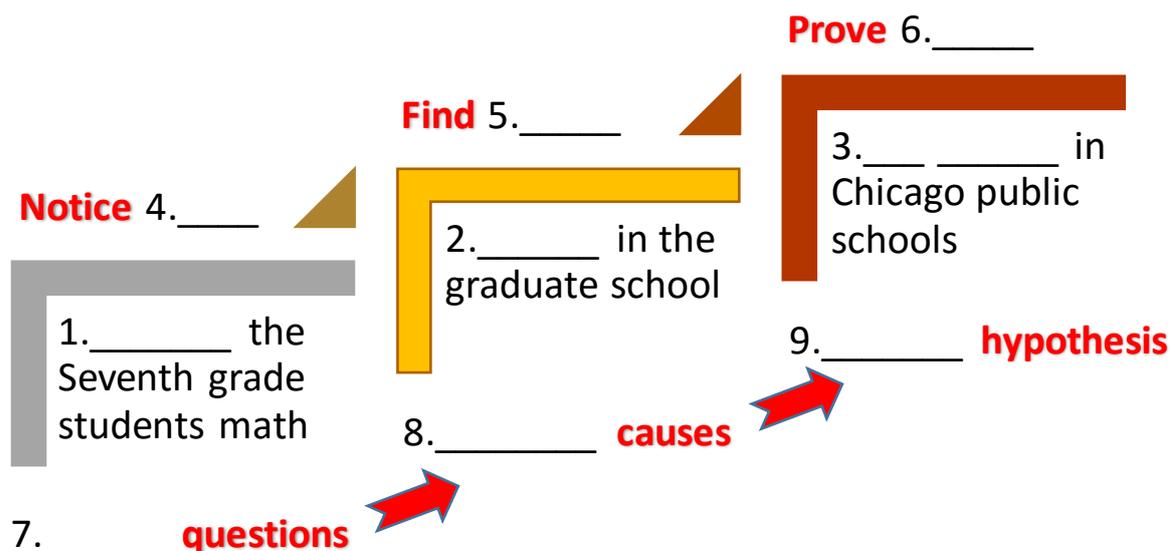
1. Read the passage and answer the following questions.

1) Rather than IQ, what can play a more important role in success?

2) Why is growth mindset important?

2. Read the passage and find out the most important points and the logic in between.

3) Fill in the blanks according to the content of the speech.



4) Write a summary of the passage.

Answers:

1) Grit

2) People with growth mindset believe that the ability to learn is not fixed, that it can change with your effort.

3) 1. Teach 2. Study 3. Do research

4. It's not IQ alone that contributed to the difference between her best and worst students.

5. Grit is a significant predictor of success.

6. Grittier students often achieved better academic performance.

7. Finding 8. Analyzing 9. Verifying

4) When teaching 7th grade math, Duckworth noticed that it's not IQ alone that contributed to the difference between her best and worst students. So she went on further study in graduate school and found grit a significant predictor of success. Afterwards, she conducted research in the Chicago public schools and proved that grittier students often achieved better academic performance. Often, people with growth mindset and willingness to take challenges are more likely to have passion and perseverance for long-term goals.