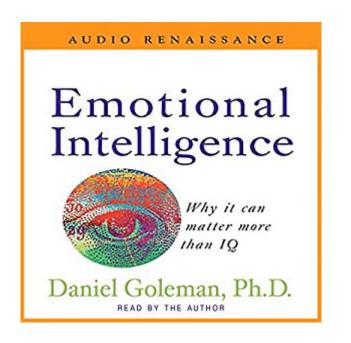


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# **Emotional Intelligence**





### Synopsis

Is IQ destiny? Not nearly as much as we think. This fascinating and persuasive program argues that our view of human intelligence is far too narrow, ignoring a crucial range of abilities that matter immensely in terms of how we do in life. Drawing on groundbreaking brain and behavioral research, Daniel Goleman shows the factors at work when people of high IQ flounder and those of modest IQ do well. These factors add up to a different way of being smart -- one he terms "emotional intelligence." This includes self-awareness and impulse control, persistence, zeal and self-motivation, empathy and social deftness. These are the qualities that mark people who excel in life, whose relationships flourish, who are stars in the workplace. Lack of emotional intelligence can sabotage the intellect and ruin careers. Perhaps the greatest toll is on children, for whom risks include depression, eating disorders, unwanted pregnancies, aggressiveness and crime. But the news is hopeful. Emotional intelligence is not fixed at birth, and the author shows how its vital qualities can be nurtured and strengthened in all of us. And because the emotional lessons a child learns actually sculpt the brain's circuitry, he provides guidance as to how parents and schools can best use this window of opportunity in childhood. The message of this eye-opening program is one we must take to heart: the true "bell curve" for a democracy must measure emotional intelligence. --This text refers to the Audio CD edition.

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#### **Customer Reviews**

Very good information, but at times hard to follow and a bit dull. Needed to 're-listen' to certain parts

in order to absorb all of the information.

I've heard about this book for some time and finally purchased it after watching an interview with Daniel Coleman on Oprah's Super Soul Sunday.Good information.

When I bought this book one of my friends asked me, "What is Emotional Intelligence?" and I replied Nobody could explain it better thanDaniel Coleman. My friend started to flip through the pages. She did not give it back until she finished reading it. When she gave it back to me she said, "That was an eye opener, Thanks"

This is the book you want to help you understand yourself and the people around you. It is exceptional psychological principles put in plain english. I enjoyed the information and this book helped me understand myself more than before. El is applicable and makes absolute sense. How people develope and how that applies to who they are or what they can be is interesting. I appreciate this book and tell you now that it gave me a great appreciation for how I was raised and what my parents taught me. You need to read this book it will become the deciding factor for how people handle things in their lives and how we can understand other so much better thatn we do today. This is a must read book.

First off, this book was purchased for my wife, she wanted to read it as she has heard good things about the book. I ended up rading it and found that I could not put it down. There are some very informative things listed in here that gave me the desire to try and understand the entire person before jumping to a conclusion based off one incident. I enjoyed it.

Purchased, Emotional Intelligence: Why it can matter more than IQ (Leading with...,to gain a better awareness and to be able to control of my emotions when interfacing with others. I wanted to be able to learn to use my emotions in a positive way instead of letting my emotions use me. In the position that I am in this technique is very important. I purchased the audio to use on my commute to and from work. Good book, recommend to others who want personal growth.

Being a huge geek, I quickly found myself lost in the first chapters of this magna opera: Goleman does an amazing job at walking the reader through the scientific basis for his analysis, and his yeoman explanation of how the various parts of our brain interact is fascinating. There are so many

ways you can read and absorb this book: you have physical, psychological, pedagogical as well as self-help sides. Personally, I enjoyed a little bit of everything. Only half negative comment: it becomes a little repetitive towards the end, and you'll predict what the next page will tell you before you get there...then again, it was never intended to be a mistery novel was it?

An excellent perspective into a needed understanding of one of the most illusive aspects of the human life, our emotional dynamic. There will be cynical critics, but truthfully knowing thyself is powerful when trying to understand other.

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