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Aware that mice may differ from humans in this respect, scientists then interviewed over 12,000 young people aged between 14 and 22 from Glasgow, over a period of more than 20 years, and found the most significant trait shared by intelligent children is a clever mother.

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However, this doesn't mean clever mothers will necessarily bring up more intelligent children. Various studies published in recent years suggest that between 40% and 60% of a child's intelligence is inherited genetically, with the rest dependent on other "nurture"-based factors such as the environment in which he or she is raised.

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