

Teaching Methods MCQs for the posts of Educators / ESE / Teachers (Set-II)

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If some students are not in a mood to study in the class, you will _____.

- (a) Force them to study
- (b) Tell those students to leave the class and enjoy
- (c) Tell them some interesting things related to their interests or your own subject
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

Child development is defined as a field of study that _____.

- (a) Examines change in human abilities.
- (b) Seeks to explain behaviour across the life span.
- (c) Accounts for the gradual evolution of the child's cognitive, social, and other capacities.
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

The term 'identical elements' is closely associated with _____.

- (a) Group instruction
- (b) Transfer of learning
- (c) Jealousy between twins
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

A person believes that nurture strongly influences the development of his child. He would not agree with the importance of _____.

- (a) Genetic factors
- (b) Exposure to peers
- (c) The types of toys at home
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

If student is too shy to participate in the class, you will _____.

- (a) Not ask questions from him
- (b) Ask only those questions from him whose answers can be given by him

- (c) Ask questions from him only when he is keen to answer them
(d) None of these

Answer: c

A good teacher will bring a hyperactive child on the right path by _____.

- (a) Making him sit in front of the class and keep a strict vigil on him
(b) Allocating a seat for him in a corner of the class
(c) Giving him tasks of watering trees, cleaning the blackboard, making toys of clay, etc.
(d) None of these

Answer: c

Knowledge of child psychology is a must for a primary teacher because _____.

- (a) It helps in making children disciplined
(b) The examination result is improved
(c) It helps the teacher in understanding the behaviour of children
(d) None of these

Answer: c

The movement of behaviour modification, wherein tokens are awarded for correct responses, is a reflection of _____.

- (a) Herbart's Five Steps
(b) Lock's Tabula rasa
(c) Thorndike's Law of Effect
(d) None of these

Answer: c

Subjects are said to be assigned randomly when _____.

- (a) They are assigned to experimental and control groups from a sample which is representative of the larger population.
(b) They each have an equal chance of being assigned to either the experimental or control group.
(c) Neither the experimenter nor the subject knows whether the subject is in the experimental or control group.
(d) None of these

Answer: b

Students who do better in high school tend to do better in college. This is an example of a _____ correlation

- (a) Negative
(b) Zero

- (c) Positive
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

Fifteen-years-old Ahsan wears the same style shirts that his teacher wears. This is called _____ behaviour.

- (a) Compensation
- (b) Transference
- (c) Identification
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

At least one third of the learning that will determine later levels of school achievement has already taken place by age six. This was said by _____.

- (a) Benjamin Bloom
- (b) Margaret Mead
- (c) Martin Mayer
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

_____ is the he most unreliable predictor of educational achievement.

- (a) Inherited biological potential for learning
- (b) Ethnic origin of parents
- (c) Family background and training
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

_____ is not an acceptable goal for dealing with behaviour problems in the classroom.

- (a) Utilizing appeals to children that have personal implications
- (b) Being impersonal and objective
- (c) Understanding the offense
- (d) None of these

Answer: d

In preparing a class to take a standardized reading test the teacher should_____.

- (a) Tell the children the test is very important and they should do the best they can
- (b) Ditto key questions from a previous test and allow the pupils to answer them
- (c) Give the pupils practice in answering questions similar to the type that will appear on the test
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

_____ is likely to cause the greatest difficulty for a child in the initial stages of reading instruction.

- (a) Confusion of left and right directionality
- (b) Possessing an IQ of 90
- (c) Having older siblings who are successful readers
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

An essential of learning called _____ is the one that takes procedure over the other.

- (a) Desire to learn
- (b) Ability to read
- (c) An intact home
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

A child from a disorganized home will experience the greatest difficulty with_____.

- (a) Well structured lessons
- (b) Independent study
- (c) Programmed instruction
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

The normal twelve-year-old child is most likely to_____.

- (a) Have difficulty with gross motor coordination
- (b) Have anxiety feelings about pleasing adults
- (c) Be eager for peer approval
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

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The peculiar characteristic of first grade children is that they are_____.

- (a) Too young to be taught classroom routines
- (b) Not yet concerned with group approval

- (c) Very concerned with adult approval
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

The evaluation of personality is best made through the use of an ____.

- (a) Inventory test
- (b) Projective test
- (c) Survey test
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

When a pupil's misbehaviour persists even after the teacher punishes the child for each infraction, the teacher is probably practicing a policy of ____.

- (a) Retribution
- (b) Corporal punishment
- (c) Negative reinforcement
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

Ayaz and Asad have the same mental age 8.0. We can conclude that ____.

- (a) They have the same potential for success in school.
- (b) They have the same IQ
- (c) Their ability to learn may be quite different
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

A child whose class is in a windowless room may have to be assigned to another class if he/she suffers from ____.

- (a) Acrophobia
- (b) Agoraphobia
- (c) Claustrophobia
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

The self-adjecive mechanism that teachers often unwittingly encourage is ____.

- (a) An attention-getting device
- (b) Daydreaming
- (c) Regression
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

When an individual repeats those learning that, in the past, proved to be highly satisfying, such behaviour can best be explained by the law of_____.

- (a) Effect
- (b) Frequency
- (c) Readiness
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

Children's attitudes toward persons of different ethnic groups are generally based upon_____.

- (a) Their parent's attitudes
- (b) The attitudes of their peer
- (c) The influence of television
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

_____ is not a sound mental hygiene practice.

- (a) Asking pupils to correct their answers after their tests have been marked
- (b) Discussing an individual pupil's test marks with the class
- (c) Asking parents to sign test papers so that that they are aware of their child's marks.
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

All of the following advanced principles of child development are closely allied to the stimulus response learning theory, except _____.

- (a) Pavlov
- (b) J. B. Watson
- (c) Gesell
- (d) None of these

Answer: d

All of the following can be signs that a child is gifted, except_____.

- (a) Early development of a sense of time
- (b) Interest in encyclopaedias and dictionaries
- (c) Uneasy relationships with peers.
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

Teacher tenure laws can best be justified because they_____.

- (a) Protect teachers whose political views differ sharply with those of the community
- (b) Provide for stability of staffing

- (c) Allow an experienced teacher to plan creatively
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

All of the following contribute to the crisis in urban schools except ____.

- (a) The rapid increase in school pollution
- (b) The disappearance of taxable property
- (c) The deterioration and decline of real property
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

Which is the incorrectly associated pair?

- (a) Joseph Lancaster-contract plan
- (b) Benjamin Franklin-academy
- (c) James B. Conant-high school
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

When parents ask teachers about their children's television habits, it is best to suggest that they ____.

- (a) Prohibit television viewing
- (b) Use television for rewards and punishments
- (c) Give children freedom to selected whatever they want to see
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

Curriculum-makers have the most difficulty when ____.

- (a) There is an inflationary cycle
- (b) The nature of the student population is changing
- (c) Parents are participants
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

A major contribution of the Jesuits to education includes all of the following except ____.

- (a) Insistence on well trained teachers
- (b) Repetition and memorization as teaching methods
- (c) Concentration on the early education of children
- (d) None of these

Answer: d

De facto school segregation is segregation primarily a result of_____.

- (a) Guidelines issued by the State Commissioner of Education
- (b) Discriminatory zoning of a local school board
- (c) Residence patterns of the community
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

_____ advanced the idea of the five formal steps in leaving.

- (a) Rousseau
- (b) Herbart
- (c) Pestalozzi
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

That the mind of an infant is a tabula rasa is the contribution of_____.

- (a) Plato
- (b) Horace Man
- (c) John Locke
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

The disadvantaged child's chances for success in school will be maximized when_____.

- (a) he/she is given a high concentration of skills subjects
- (b) His/her intellectual potential is discovered and his/her educational deficiencies are overcome
- (c) He/she is treated like any other child
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

"The individual develops through the head, the heart, and the hand", this was the educational philosophy of_____.

- (a) Herbart
- (b) Comenius
- (c) Pestalozzi
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

Of the following the statement the least educationally valid is_____.

- (a) Over-learning constitutes a waste of time
- (b) Drill periods should be brief
- (c) Study habits should be taught

(d) None of these

Answer: a

In a kindergarten class it would be unreasonable to expect a child to_____.

- (a) Care for plants
- (b) Clean up after clay work
- (c) Know when it is time to clean up
- (d) None of these

Answer: d

The trial and error method of instruction is best enhanced by_____.

- (a) Role playing
- (b) Programmed instruction
- (c) Independent study
- (d) None of these

Answer: d

A parent of a fourth grader refuses to give permission for her child to go on a class trip. The teacher should first_____.

- (a) Refer the matter to the guidance counsellor
- (b) Confer with the parent to discuss the educational purpose of the trip
- (c) Give the class a homework assignment for all parents to sign, giving reasons why each child wants to go on the trip
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

An increase in comprehension skill is most likely to result from_____.

- (a) Guided silent reading
- (b) Guided oral reading
- (c) Unstructured silent reading
- (d) None of these

Answer: a

In dealing with a class that is misbehaving, the teacher's least effective course of action is to_____.

- (a) Ask the principal to observe him/her and make recommendations
- (b) Lower the grades of pupils who create the most serious infractions
- (c) Isolate those most responsible for the misbehaviour
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

A fourth grader takes the possessions of pupils who sit near him. The teacher's best initial step is to_____.

- (a) Isolate the child in a corner of the room
- (b) Arrange a parent conference to try to determine causation
- (c) Ignore the behaviour, as it will eventually disappear
- (d) None of these

Answer: b

All of the following are appropriate areas for pupil-teacher planning except_____.

- (a) The day's schedule
- (b) The selection of committees
- (c) The sequence in a skills programme
- (d) None of these

Answer: c

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