PAPER-2

DEVELOPMENT OF LEARNER AND TEACHING -LEARNING PROCESS

Objectives:

Student teachers...

- 1. Acquire knowledge and understanding of stages of human development with special reference to adolescent learners.
- 2. Develop understanding of the process of children learning in the context of various theories of learning and teaching.
- 3. Understanding intelligence, aptitude, personality, creativity, motivation and various types of exceptional children.
- 4. Develop skill of effective teaching-learning process and use of psychological tests.
- 5. Understand the principles and techniques of attitudinal and behaviour modification.

Unit-I Concept and Features of Learner

- A. Concept and difference between growth and development.
- B. Stages of development (with reference to adolescence)
 - Types of development: Physical, Emotional, Motor, Mental and Social (with reference to adolescence)
- C. Sex Education: Concept, Content, Necessity, Precautions of imparting sex education.
- D. Adolescence in Indian Context: Problems of adolescents, their needs and solutions.
- E. Role of teacher as a counsellor for adolescents.
- F. Some behavioral disorders: Truancy, Theft, Eve-Teasing, Aggression, Isolation.
- G. Individual Differences-Challenged Learners:
 - Meaning, Factors affecting individual differences and its educational implications.
 - Meaning & Types of challenged learners: Gifted, Mentally Retarded, Slow Learners and Orthopedically disabled.
 - Characteristics, Problems of different Exceptional learners and educational implications.

Unit-II Learning Process

- A. Concept and nature of learning.
- B. Learning Theories:
 - Classical Conditioning
 - Operant Conditioning
 - Learning through Insight
 - Robert Gagne's Theory of Learning: Learning outcomes, Learning conditions, Learning process Educational Implication of these theories.
- C. Factors affecting learning.

Unit-III Teaching Process

- A. Concept of Teaching
- B. Models of Teaching:
 - Concept Attainment Model (J.Bruner)
 - Self-control Model (B.F.Skinner)
 - Stress Reduction Model (Rimur and Masters)

C. Flanders's analysis of classroom interaction.

Unit - IV Psychological Measurement (in the context of Gujarat)

- A. Personality, Intelligence, Aptitude: Concept, Types of Tests, Uses, Implications.
- B. Creativity: Concept, Types of Tests, Uses, Implications, Characteristics of a creative person.

Unit-V Factors Facilitating Learning

- A. Adjustment: Concept
- B. Defense Mechanism
- C. Mental Health: Concept, Factors Affecting Mental Health and Characteristics of Mentally Healthy Learner.
- D. Motivation: Meaning, Types and Techniques of enhancing learner motivation and its implications
- E. Maslow's theory of Motivation.
- F. Characteristics of achievement oriented person.

Unit-VI Basic Statistics

- 1. Importance
- 2. Frequency distribution
- 3. Measures of central tendency
- 4. S.D.
- 5. Graphical Presentation of Data:
 - Pie Graph
 - Bar Graph
 - Histrograph

Unit-VII Practicum

- 1. Visit a school and prepare a report of the challenged students.
- 2. Collect the tests and administer them. Analyse scores.
- 3. Study the defense mechanism of the students who remain absent in the school.
- 4. Analyse of classroom teaching of two teachers using Flanders's Classroom Interaction Analysis.
- 5. Collect information about Indian Psychologists.

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