2014

EDUCATION
(Major)

Paper: 6.3

(Special Education)

Full Marks: 60
Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Choose the correct option of the following:

(a) Residential schools for exceptional children are based on which of the following techniques?
   (i) Segregation
   (ii) Interaction
   (iii) Mutual understanding
   (iv) Cooperation

(b) Children who do mistakes repeatedly in reading, writing and arithmetic may be called as
   (i) mentally retarded
   (ii) attention deficit
   (iii) learning disabled
   (iv) hearing impaired
(c) The Government of India initiated the scheme of IED in
   (i) 1954
   (ii) 1971
   (iii) 1974

(d) In aphasia, the person
   (i) can speak well but hearing disability is there
   (ii) cannot walk
   (iii) can hear quite well but cannot speak properly
   (iv) cannot see

(e) Mentally retarded child has an IQ of
   (i) 101–120
   (ii) 100
   (iii) below 70
   (iv) 121–140

(f) Lipreading is used for
   (i) visually impaired
   (ii) orthopaedically handicapped
   (iii) hearing impaired
   (iv) creative

(g) Which of the following is the most suitable test for identifying mentally retarded children?
   (i) Bayley test
   (ii) CPQ
   (iii) Seguin Form Board
   (iv) Mosaic test

2. Define special education. 2
3. What is cerebral palsy? 2
4. Write briefly about Down’s syndrome. 2
5. What are the basic principles of special education? 2
6. Answer any three questions of the following: 5×3=15
   (a) Describe briefly the psychological and behavioural characteristics of physically challenged child.
   (b) What measures could be adopted in identifying the learning disabled children in a school?
   (c) What measures could be taken in a school for effective adjustment of orthopaedically handicapped children?
   (d) What are the characteristics of emotionally disturbed children?
   (e) What measures could be taken for the education of visually impaired children?
7. Discuss the importance of special education. Trace the development of special education in India.  

Or

"The new policy will lay special emphasis on the removal of disparities and to equalise educational opportunity by attending to the specific needs of those who have been denied so far." Elucidate the statement in the light of the recommendations of National Policy on Education, 1986 on special education.

8. What are the different types of physically challenged children? What kind of educational programmes could be arranged for them?  

Or

Discuss the status of preparation of teachers in special education in your State.

9. What are the challenges and prospects of integrated education in India? Discuss.

Or

What are the characteristics of mentally retarded children? What role the family and school can play for education of mentally retarded children?

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