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Continuous Internal Assessment Test I - September 2025
SEMESTER IV

Class : II B.Ed.Spl.Ed.(VI/II)

Time: 2 Hrs.
Max. Marks: 60

23BDSC08 - Early Childhood Care and Education

Course Outcomes:

- CO1: Know the fundamentals of early childhood education
CO2: Work in interdisciplinary teams as a resourceful special educator
CO3: Practice the early education pedagogy in inclusive set ups
CO4: Study the children scientifically
CO5: Develop net work for care and education of the children

PART - A

6 x 1 = 6

Answer All questions
Choose the correct answer

1. The ability of neurons to modify the strength of existing synapses, as well as form new synaptic connections, is called
a. Adaptability skills
b. Communication skills
c. Language skills
d. Neural plasticity
CO 1 K1
2. Windows of opportunities is the concept prescribed by
a. Maria Montessori
b. Samuel Kirk
c. Pavlov
d. Skinner
CO 1 K1
3. In the context of stages of development, what is the stage from 2 to 6 years called?
a. Early childhood
b. Middle childhood
c. Infancy
d. adolescence
CO2 K2
4. _____ happens when your child starts to use objects to represent other objects
a. Play
b. Symbolic play
c. Group play
d. Team work
CO2 K2
5. The name of Mariya Montessori's first school was
a. University of Rome
b. Casa dei Montessori
c. Casa dei
d. Montessori school
CO3 K1
6. Shanthinikethan is a model school designed by
a. Friedrich Frobel
b. Rabindranath Tagore
c. Gijubai Badheka
d. Montessori
CO3 K1

PART – B

3 x 6 = 18

Answer ALL questions

Answer should not exceed 400 words or two pages

7. a. What is the importance of ECCE? CO1 K2
(or)
7. b. Development during 0-6 years is crucial. Why? CO1 K5
8. a. What is child tracking? CO2 K3
(or)
8. b. Write a note on Guralnick CO2 K2
9. a. Natural environments foster inclusion. Justify CO3 K6
(or)
9. b. What are the skills to be developed through curricular activities? CO3 K4

PART – C

3 x 12 = 36

Answer ALL questions

Answer should not exceed 800 words or four pages

10. a. What do you mean by learning timelines of development? CO1 K2
(or)
10. b. Discuss the common facts about early childhood learning. CO1 K4
11. a. Write a note on symbolic play CO2 K4
(or)
11. b. What do you mean by emergent literacy? How will you develop it? CO2 K5
12. a. Write a note on creativity. Suggest ways to foster creativity CO3 K4
(or)
12. b. Explain the principles of Universal Design of Learning(UDL) CO3 K5

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