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B.Ed. Special Education (VI / HI) Degree Examination – March 2021
I Semester

Class: I B.Ed. Special Education (HI)

Time : 3 Hours
Max. Marks : 100

18BDSEH1 Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) I: Augmentative and Alternative Communication

Part A
Choose the Correct Answer

10 x 1 = 10

1. _____ can be a very powerful part of an AAC intervention.
a. Parents b. Teachers c. Friends d. Peers
2. Picture exchange communication system is an example of
a. no tech b. low tech c. light tech d. high tech
3. Synthesized speech is
a. digitized speech b. recorded speech
c. computerized speech d. projected speech
4. AAC strategies need to be _____ to the person.
a. changed b. tailored c. corrected d. prepared
5. Very often one of the modes of communication in an AAC program is
a. natural speech b. directed speech c. facial expressions d. gestures
6. Supported typing is also known as _____ communication.
a. facilitated b. alternate c. direct d. enhanced
7. Unaided AAC strategies does not include
a. gestures b. vocalisations c. pointing d. schedules
8. No single intervention plan, symbol system, AAC device or teaching program will work for _____ disabilities.
a. sensory b. motor
c. cognitive d. all the above
9. AAC can be useful for _____ communication needs.
a. short term b. long term c. temporary d. both a and b
10. This is an indirect selection technique, that can be used by people who use AAC.
a. Skimming b. Scanning c. Tracking d. Tracing

Part B

5 x 6 = 30

Answer ALL questions

Each answer should not exceed 400 words or two pages

11. a. Describe situational communication.
(or)
11. b. Decide the factors that influence language.
12. a. How will you use symbolic expression?
(or)
12. b. Enumerate the social competence.
- 13.a. Give a report on scanning.
(or)
13.b. Categorize the sensory areas.
- 14.a. Describe the competency development.
(or)
14.b. Summarize the communication skills.
- 15.a. How will you facilitate no technology for communication?
(or)
15.b. Discriminate the levels of communication in children.

Part C

5 x 12 = 60

Answer ALL questions

Each answer should not exceed 800 words or four pages

16. a. Criticize the development of independent communication.
(or)
16. b. Correlate normal development of speech, language and communication.
- 17.a. Evaluate the challenges in the development of AAC.
(or)
17.b. Classify the types of competencies.
- 18.a. Associate motor planning and control.
(or)
18.b. Estimate the areas of AAC assessment.
- 19.a. Differentiate linguistic and operational competence.
(or)
19.b. Point out the basic principles of AAC intervention.
- 20.a. Write the important factors in selection of AAC devices.
(or)
20.b. Develop communication charts in AAC.
