

Child as a problem solver and a 'scientific investigator MCQ

Question 1: What term refers to the ability of children to explore their environment, ask questions, and seek solutions to problems? a) Curiosity b) Intelligence c) Creativity d) Memory

Answer: a) Curiosity

Question 2: What is the term for the process of exploring, investigating, and discovering solutions to problems through hands-on activities? a) Problem-solving b) Inquiry-based learning c) Critical thinking d) Metacognition

Answer: b) Inquiry-based learning

Question 3: What approach to learning involves asking open-ended questions, conducting experiments, and drawing conclusions based on evidence? a) Rote learning b) Direct instruction c) Constructivist approach d) Behaviorist approach

Answer: c) Constructivist approach

Question 4: In Piaget's theory, what term refers to the process of adjusting existing mental structures to incorporate new experiences? a) Assimilation b) Accommodation c) Equilibrium d) Disequilibrium

Answer: b) Accommodation

Question 5: What is the term for the ability to think logically and systematically about concrete events and objects? a) Concrete thinking b) Formal operational thinking c) Preoperational thinking d) Sensory-motor thinking

Answer: a) Concrete thinking

Question 6: Which of the following is an example of a metacognitive strategy used by children? a) Memorizing information b) Repeating information aloud c) Reflecting on their own thinking process d) Following instructions step by step

Answer: c) Reflecting on their own thinking process

Question 7: What term refers to the process of using evidence to support conclusions and decisions? a) Problem-solving b) Inquiry c) Critical thinking d) Scientific investigation

Answer: c) Critical thinking

Question 8: According to Vygotsky, what is the term for the difference between what a child can do with help and what they can do independently? a) Assimilation b) Accommodation c) Scaffolding d) Zone of proximal development

Answer: d) Zone of proximal development

Question 9: What is the term for a systematic approach to investigating phenomena, gathering evidence, and drawing conclusions? a) Scientific investigation b) Inquiry-based learning c) Problem-solving d) Memorization

Answer: a) Scientific investigation

Question 10: Which stage of Piaget's cognitive development theory involves logical reasoning but limited abstract thinking? a) Sensorimotor stage b) Preoperational stage c) Concrete operational stage d) Formal operational stage

Answer: c) Concrete operational stage

Question 11: What is the term for the mental process of actively and strategically selecting, organizing, and interpreting information? a) Learning b) Cognition c) Intelligence d) Perception

Answer: b) Cognition

Question 12: What term refers to the process of fitting new information into existing cognitive structures? a) Assimilation b) Accommodation c) Equilibrium d) Scaffolding

Answer: a) Assimilation

Question 13: Which of the following is a key component of the scientific investigation process? a) Rote memorization b) Observing patterns c) Avoiding curiosity d) Following instructions without questioning

Answer: b) Observing patterns

Question 14: What term refers to the mental processes of acquiring and using knowledge, including problem-solving and memory? a) Learning b) Cognition c) Intelligence d) Thinking

Answer: b) Cognition

Question 15: What is the term for the process of using evidence to make informed decisions or reach conclusions? a) Problem-solving b) Inquiry c) Critical thinking d) Decision-making

Answer: d) Decision-making

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Answer: c) Equilibrium

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Answer: b) Formal operational thinking

Question 19: What term refers to the ability to adjust one's thinking to match the requirements of a task? a) Cognitive flexibility b) Cognitive development c) Cognitive load d) Cognitive schema

Answer: a) Cognitive flexibility

Question 20: In Vygotsky's sociocultural theory, what term refers to the range of tasks that a learner can perform with assistance? a) Assimilation b) Zone of proximal development c) Scaffolding d) Accommodation

Answer: b) Zone of proximal development

Question 21: Which learning theory emphasizes the role of intrinsic motivation and the need for personal growth in the learning process? a) Behaviorism b) Constructivism c) Cognitivism d) Humanism

Answer: d) Humanism

Question 22: According to Piaget, what term refers to the process of reorganizing or modifying existing schemas in response to new experiences? a) Assimilation b) Accommodation c) Equilibrium d) Scaffolding

Answer: b) Accommodation

Question 23: What term refers to the ability to generate and manipulate mental images of objects and scenarios? a) Perception b) Visualization c) Comprehension d) Memory

Answer: b) Visualization

Question 24: In Vygotsky's sociocultural theory, what term refers to the cognitive processes that an individual can perform independently? a) Assimilation b) Zone of proximal development c) Scaffolding d) Accommodation

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Question 25: What term refers to the process of using previously learned information to solve new problems? a) Recall b) Reasoning c) Comprehension d) Learning

Answer: b) Reasoning

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Question 27: What term refers to the ability to think about one's own thinking and to understand and control cognitive processes? a) Metacognition b) Cognition c) Intelligence d) Memory

Answer: a) Metacognition

Question 28: Which theory suggests that learning occurs through observing, imitating, and modeling the behaviors, attitudes, and emotional reactions of others? a) Behaviorism b) Social learning theory c) Cognitivism d) Humanism

Answer: b) Social learning theory

Question 29: What is the term for a mental process that involves using knowledge and thinking skills to deal with new situations? a) Learning b) Cognition c) Intelligence d) Thinking

Answer: d) Thinking

Question 30: What term refers to a change in behavior or potential behavior that results from experience or practice? a) Intelligence b) Memory c) Learning d) Perception

Answer: c) Learning

Question 31: What term refers to the process of extracting meaning from a sequence of words or symbols? a) Memory b) Comprehension c) Problem-solving d) Perception

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