

Last Term English Test

PART ONE:READING

(14 points)

A.COMPREHENSION

(07points)

Read the text carefully then do the activities.

In education, feelings and emotions play a crucial role in shaping the learning experience and overall well-being of students. While traditionally, education has focused primarily on intellectual development, there is a growing recognition of the importance of emotional intelligence and the impact of feelings on learning.

Emotions can significantly influence students' motivation, engagement, and ability to learn. When students feel positive emotions such as curiosity, excitement, and interest, they are more likely to be actively engaged in their learning process. On the other hand, negative emotions such as anxiety, fear, or frustration can hinder learning and impair cognitive functions.

Teachers play a vital role in creating a supportive emotional environment in the classroom. They can help students recognize and manage their emotions, cultivate empathy and understanding towards others, and create a sense of belonging and safety.

Integrating emotions into education can enhance learning outcomes and promote holistic development. By acknowledging and addressing students' feelings, educators can create a more inclusive and empathetic learning environment where students feel valued, understood, and motivated to learn.

In conclusion, emotions are an integral part of the learning process and should be given due attention in education. By fostering emotional intelligence and creating a supportive emotional environment, educators can help students thrive academically, socially, and emotionally.

Source: Pekrun, R., & Linnenbrink-Garcia, L. (2014). Emotions in education:

1. Choose the best answer.

a. Which of the following is true about emotions in education?

- a) They have no impact on learning. b) They can influence motivation and engagement.
c) They only affect students outside the classroom.

b. What role do teachers play in creating a supportive emotional environment?

- a) Minimal role b) No role c) Crucial role

c. Emotional intelligence is:

- a) Not important for students to develop b) A valuable skill for students to develop
c) Only relevant for teachers to develop

2. Say whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F) according to the text .

- a. Emotions have no impact on students' learning outcomes.
b. Teachers play a minimal role in creating a supportive emotional environment in the classroom.
c. Integrating emotions into education can hinder students' academic performance.
d. Emotional intelligence is not a valuable skill for students to develop.

3. Answer these questions according to the text

- a. How do positive emotions such as curiosity and excitement impact students' learning experience?
b. What role do teachers play in creating a supportive emotional environment in the classroom?
c. Why is it important to integrate emotions into education, according to the text?

4. In which paragraph is mentioned that: integrating emotions into education can lead to better learning outcomes ,highlighting its value in creating inclusive learning environments.

5. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text ?

they(\$2)

Their(\$3)

Where(\$4)

TEXT EXPLORATION

(07 Points)

1-Find in the text words that have the same meaning with:

- a. Total (§1) b. involvement (l§2) c. compassion (§2) d.raising (§3)

2-Complete the following table:

Verbs	Nouns	Adjectives
To <u>Acknowledge</u>	 Feeling	
.....		Supportive

3-Combine the following pairs of sentences using the words between brackets. Make necessary changes.

- a-Education will develop. All parts of society stand together. (provided that)
b- The test was challenging. Most students performed well. (despite)
c- The weather was terrible. We decided to go for a walk. (unless)

4- Ask the questions which the underlined words answer.

- a. Waiting for the punch line focuses attention on the speaker.
b. For maximum effect, humour should be employed deliberately.

5-Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of their final /s/

studies– collects -educators – catches

/S/	/Z/	/IZ/

6-Re-order the following sentences to make a meaningful paragraph

- a) Teachers play a vital role in creating a supportive emotional environment in the classroom.
b) Emotions can significantly influence students' motivation, engagement, and ability to learn.
c) Integrating emotions into education can enhance learning outcomes and promote holistic development.
d) While traditionally, education has focused primarily on intellectual development, there is a growing recognition of the importance of emotional intelligence and the impact of feelings on learning.

PART TWO .WRITTEN EXPRESSION

(06Points)

Choose one of the following topics:

Topic one : . In recent years, there has been a shift towards recognizing the importance of emotional intelligence and understanding the impact of feelings on the learning process.

In no more than 120 words write a composition about the crucial role of emotions in the field of education,

Use the following notes

- influencing students' motivation and engagement
- Need for a holistic approach to education that acknowledges and addresses students' emotions
- Role of teachers
- Impact of positive and negative emotions on learning outcomes.

Topic two: what advice and recommendations should you give to final examination students to overcome stress and anxiety? Write a composition of about 70 to 80 words on the topic.

Good Luck

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