

## PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION – Part 6

1. Which of the following are effective methods in teaching student critical reading skills?
  - I. Interpret editorials
  - II. Read and interpret three different movie reviews
  - III. Read a position paper and deduce underlying assumptions of the position papers
  - a. II and III
  - b. I and III
  - c. I and II
  - d. I, II and III
2. Here is a test item:

“The improvement of basic education should be the top priority of the Philippine government. Defend and refute the position.”

Under what type of question does this test item fall?

  - a. Low-level
  - b. **Evaluative**
  - c. Analysis
  - d. Convergent
3. Teacher Jenny teaches a lesson in which students must recognize that  $\frac{1}{4}$  is the same as 0.25. They use this relationship to determine that 0.15 and 0.20 are slightly less than  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Which of the following concept/s is/are being taught?
  - a. Numeration skills
  - b. Place value of decimals
  - c. **Numeration skills for decimal and relationship between fractions and decimals**
  - d. Relationship between fractions and decimals
4. To nurture student’s creativity, which activity should the teacher avoid?
  - a. Ask “what if” questions
  - b. Ask divergent thinking questions
  - c. **Emphasize the need to give right answer**
  - d. Be open to “out-of-this world” ideas
5. After reading an essay, Teacher Bebe wants to help sharpen her students’ ability to interpret. Which of these activities will be most appropriate?
  - a. Drawing conclusions
  - b. **Making inferences**
  - c. Getting the main idea
  - d. Listing facts separately from opinion
6. What is the best way to develop math concepts?
  - a. Solving problems using multiple approaches
  - b. Solving problems by looking for correct answer
  - c. **Learning math as applied to situations such as being a tool of science**
  - d. Solving problems by applying learned formulas
7. Teacher Cita, an experienced teacher, does daily review of past lessons in order to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. **Provide her pupils with a sense of continuity**
  - b. Introduce a new lesson
  - c. Reflect on how she presented the previous lesson
  - d. Determine who among her pupils are studying
8. Research says that mastery experiences increase confidence and willingness to try similar or more challenging tasks such as reading. What does this imply for children reading performance?
  - a. Children who have mastered basic skills are more likely to be less motivated to read because they get fed up with too much reading
  - b. Children who have not mastered the basic skills are more likely to be motivated to read in order to gain mastery over basic skills
  - c. Children who have a high sense of self-confidence are not necessarily those who can read
  - d. **Children who have gained mastery over basic skills are more motivate to read**
9. Bruner’s theory on intellectual development moves from enactive to iconic and symbolic stages. Applying Bruner’s theory, how would you teach?
  - a. Begin with the abstract
  - b. Be interactive in approach
  - c. **Begin with the concrete**
  - d. Do direct instruction

10. Teacher Nene asked this question: "What conclusion can you draw based on your observation?" Nobody raised a hand so she asked another question: "Based on what you observe, what can you now say about the reaction of plants to light." What did Teacher Nene do?
- Redirecting
  - Probing
  - Repeating
  - Rephrasing**
11. Under no circumstance shall a teacher be prejudiced nor discriminatory against any learner according to the Code of Ethics. When is a teacher prejudice against any learner?
- When he makes a nearsighted pupil sit at the front
  - When he considers multiple intelligences in the choice of his teaching strategies
  - When he makes a farsighted pupil sit at the back
  - When he refuses a pupil with a slight physical disability in class**
12. Which learning activity is most appropriate if teacher's focus in attitudinal change?
- Role play**
  - Field trip
  - Exhibit
  - Game
13. The mode of a score distribution is 25. This means that:
- There is no score of 25
  - Twenty five (25) is the score that occurs most**
  - Twenty five is the average of the score distribution
  - Twenty five is the score that occurs least
14. The following characterize a child-centered kindergarten except:
- Focus on the education of the whole child
  - Importance of play in development
  - Extreme orientation on academic**
  - Emphasis on individual uniqueness
15. As a classroom manager, how can you exhibit expert power on the first day of school?
- By citing to my students the important of good grades
  - By making my students feel my authority over them
  - By making them feel a sense of belongingness and acceptance
  - By making my students feel I know what I am talking about**
16. Which may help an adolescent discover his identity?
- Parents pushing in to follow a specific path
  - Relating to people
  - Decision to follow one path only
  - Exploring many different roles in a healthy manner**
17. Which terms refers to a teacher helping a colleague grow professionally?
- Technology transfer
  - Peer mentoring**
  - Facilitating
  - Independent study
18. What primary criterion should guide a teacher in the choice of instructional devices?
- Novelty
  - Cost
  - Appropriateness**
  - Attractiveness
19. Some of your students don't seem to like you as their teacher. If you will regard the situation, on the level of the ego, what will you most likely think about?
- Why should I care if they like me or not
  - To hell with them
  - What's wrong have I done to deserve this?
  - What is it about me that they do not like?**
20. Which of the following is considered a peripheral device?
- Printer**
  - Keyboard
  - CPU
  - Monitor
21. Which questioning practice will promote more class interaction?
- Asking rhetorical question
  - Rejecting wrong answer

- c. Focusing on convergent question
  - d. Asking divergent question**
22. For grades to be (made) valid indicators of students' achievements, which process should be observed?
- a. Adopting letter grades such as A, B, C, D
  - b. Explaining the meaning of grades
  - c. Defining the course objectives as intended learning outcomes**
  - d. Giving objective type of test
23. The claim of a benefactor to the gratitude of his protégé is an example of a (an):
- a. Acquired right
  - c. Imperfect right**
  - b. Perfect right
  - d. Alienable right
24. Which appropriate teaching practice flows from this research finding on the brain: "The brain's emotional center is tied its ability to learn."
- a. Create a learning environment that encourages students to explore their feelings and ideas freely**
  - b. Come up with highly competitive games where winners will feel happily
  - c. Establish this discipline of being judgmental in attitude
  - d. Tell the students to participate in class activities or else they won't receive plus points in class recitation
25. Research on Piagetian tasks indicates that thinking becomes more logical and abstract as children reach the formal operations stage. What is an educational implication of this finding?
- a. Expect hypothetical reasoning for learners between 12 to 15 years of age**
  - b. Learners who are not capable of logical reasoning from ages 8 to 11 behind in their cognitive development
  - c. Engage children in analogical reasoning as early as preschool to train them for higher order thinking skills (HOTS)
  - d. Let children be children
26. A mathematics test was given to all Grade V pupils to determine the contestants for the math quiz bee. Which statistical measure should be used to identify the top 15?
- a. Percentage score**
  - b. Mean percentage score
  - c. Quartile score
  - d. Percentile score
27. Which is the true foundation of the social order?
- a. Strong, political leadership
  - b. The reciprocation of rights and duties**
  - c. Equitable distribution of wealth
  - d. Obedient citizenry
28. With which is true authority equated?
- a. Service**
  - c. Suppression
  - b. Power
  - d. Coercion
29. The following are sound specific purposes of questions except:
- a. To stimulate learners to ask questions
  - b. To call the attention of an inattentive student**
  - c. To arouse interest and curiosity
  - d. To teach via student answers
30. What is not a sound purpose in making questions?
- a. To remind students of a procedure
  - b. To probe deeper after an answer is given
  - c. To encourage self-reflection
  - d. To discipline a bully in class**
31. A student passes a book report written but ornately presented in a folder to make up for the poor quality of the book content. Which Filipino trait does this practice prove?
- a. Art over science
  - b. Art over academic
  - c. Substance over "porma"
  - d. "Porma" over substance**
32. Which one should a teacher avoid to produce an environment conducive for learning?
- a. Games
  - c. Tests
  - b. Seat plan
  - d. Individual competition**

33. Between pursuing a college course where there is no demand and a vocational course which is highly in demand, the Filipino usually opts for the college course. Which Filipino trait is shown?
- Interest to obtain a skill
  - Penchant for a college diploma**
  - Desire for entrepreneurship
  - Appreciation of manual labor
34. Which of the following does extreme authoritarianism in the home reinforce in pupils?
- Sense of initiative
  - Dependence on other for direction**
  - Ability for self-direction
  - Creativity in work
35. Teacher Bart wants his students to master the concept of social justice. Which series of activities will be most effective?
- Pre-teaching > posttest > re-teaching of unlearned concept > posttest
  - Pre-test > teaching > posttest
  - Review > pretest > teaching > posttest**
  - Teaching > posttest
36. To provide for individual differences how is curriculum designed?
- Minimum learning competencies are included
  - Realistic and meaningful experiences are provided**
  - Some degree of flexibility is provided
  - Social skills are emphasized
37. Which types of play is most characteristic of a four- to six-year-old child?
- Solitary and onlooker plays
  - Associative and cooperative plays**
  - Associative and onlookers plays
  - Cooperative and solitary plays
38. How can you exhibit referent power on the first day of school?
- By making the students feel you know what you are talking about
  - By telling them the importance of good grades
  - By reminding your students your authority over them again and again
  - By giving your students a sense of belonging and acceptance**
39. To ensure that all Filipino children are functionally literate, which mechanism is meant to reach out to children who are far from a school?
- A school in every barangay**
  - Multi-grade classroom
  - Mobile teacher
  - Sine's skwela
40. Referring to the characteristics of the latest Basic Educational Curriculum which does not belong to the group?
- More flexible
  - Less prescriptive
  - More compartmentalized**
  - More integrated
41. If student's inappropriate behavior is low level or mild and that it appears that the misbehavior will not spread to others, it is sometimes best for the teacher not to take notice of it. What influence technique is this?
- Planned ignoring**
  - Antiseptic bouncing
  - Proximity control
  - Signal interference
42. Which among the following objectives in the psychomotor domain is highest in level?
- To distinguish distant and close sounds
  - To contract a muscle
  - To run a 100-meter dash
  - To dance the basic steps of the waltz**
43. Which material consists of instructional units that cater to varying mental level pupils?
- Plantilia
  - Multi-level materials**

- c. Multi-grade materials
  - d. Minimum learning competencies
44. Which statement on counseling is false?
- a. For counseling to be successful, the counselee is willing to participate in the process
  - b. The ultimate goal of counseling is greater happiness on the part of the counselee**
  - c. Counseling is the program that includes guidance
  - d. The school counselor is primarily responsible of counseling
45. Arianna describes Teacher Monica as "fair, caring and approachable." Which power does Teacher Monica possess?
- a. Legitimate power
  - b. Expert power
  - c. Referent power**
  - d. Reward power
46. Kounin claims "with-it-ness" is one of the characteristics of an effective classroom manager. Which among the following is a sign of "with-it-ness"?
- a. Giving attention to students having difficulty with school work
  - b. Seeing only a portion of the class but intensively
  - c. Knowing where instructional materials are kept
  - d. Aware of what's happening in all part of the classroom**
47. In the K-W-L technique, K stands for what the pupils already knows, W for what he wants to know and L for what he:
- a. **Learned**
  - b. He like to learn
  - c. Failed to learn
  - d. Needs to learn
48. When a significantly greater number from the lower group gets a test item correctly, this implies that the test item:
- a. Is not highly reliable**
  - b. Is not very valid
  - c. Is highly reliable
  - d. Is very valid
49. Which statement about guidance is false?
- a. The classroom teacher is not part of the school guidance program since she is not trained to be a guidance counselor**
  - b. Guidance embraces curriculum, teaching, supervision and all other activities in school
  - c. Guidance is a function of the entire school
  - d. A guidance program is inherent in every school
50. A teacher should not be a slave of his lesson plan. This means that:
- a. A teacher must be willing to depart from her lesson plan if students are interested in something other than her intended lesson**
  - b. A lesson plan must be followed by a teacher no matter what
  - c. A teacher must be ready to depart from her lesson plan if she remembers something more interesting than what she earlier planned
  - d. Teacher is the best lesson plan designer