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# CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT AND SCHOOLING

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### Abstract

School plays an important role in every child's life. The school educates the students about the environment and it is the school itself that does the teaching. a child spends maximum time in this school. School prepares the children for future success In a way school is responsible for preparing him as a whole school is an institution for the holistic development of children. A student's development takes place during childhood and the school acts as an extension of these activities. Education is with him from childhood development that is, school plays an important role in childhood development. If the school participates in this work and develops the children, then they can become the right kind of citizens. Because childhood is one in which they are taught. Childhood is like a ball of clay, just as a potter shapes a ball of clay, it becomes a ball of clay. Childhood is very important because if the teacher imparts knowledge to the children in the right way, Then they become the same. So childhood is important in terms of learning and the best medium for education is school, that is, childhood development depends on school. school and childhood are complementary to each other.

### Introduction

Today's children become responsible citizens of tomorrow's society so children should be seen as an important component of society. So the school has a unique role to play in making these good citizens because the work of teaching children is best done from within the school itself so the importance of school is very important in childhood development. School plays a very important role in every child's life

### Concept of childhood-

Infancy is a unique period in humans, development. Infancy is a unique period in human development. This is the second stage of the postnatal stage Children in the physical age of 6 to 12 are included in this stage. This stage is also called the infancy stage. Infancy is very important for a child. Children go to school during this period. It is a precious time when children can become strong and hopeful with the love and encouragement of family and various caring people in the development this duration are protected fear, violence, abuse, exploitation. In terms of l replica of the

society in the form of school. From the educational point of view, infancy is considered more important than any other stage in a person's life cycle.

### Meaning of infancy childhood

Infancy is a developmental stage of childhood that has been considered important because the results of childhood development are seen in adulthood. In the twentieth century, childhood has stood defined as a special period in life. Infancy is the second stage in the postnatal period family. children between the physical ages of 2 to 12. In this stage, the developmental aspects of children grow qualitatively. Early childhood is also referred to as preprimary school age and is also known as the period of acquisition of fundamentals of knowledge and proper methods of study. It is also a characteristic of skill acquisition in this stage.

## Childhood includes two main parts-Early childhood

In the pre-school stage, the height, weight, and length of children increase, the development of nerves is rapid in this stage and cognitive changes occur in children during the period of 2 to 6 years.

In this stage, children collect various information with the help of their senses. Children's motor skills develop during early infancy. Linguistic development takes place well in this stage, self-awareness, verbal as well as self-centered emotional behavior are also found in this stage.

Psychologists believe that this age increases curiosity because children at this age are curious about the people around them and how they work. Children are on the way to gathering maximum information out of curiosity. In this stage, children imitate the behavior and speech of others, so some psychologists call it imitation. It is at this age that children come out of the house and start mingling with children of their age and begin to learn the first lessons of social life.

#### Later childhood

This stage is also called school age as children start going to school. In At this stage, children start going to school, develop their intellectual field, and develop an interest in their peer group. In this stage, children stop being dependent their parents and develop independent attitude. In this stage, children develop morals as well as taste and competence. In this stage children acquire various skills so the acquisition of skills is the characteristic of this stage, children do any work independently in this stage, and also try to make children self-reliant and independent this stage. This stage is also called the q Sports age.

## Concept of development

The term development is broader leaving and includes physical growth, as well as mental and intellectual development a very broad concept Development, is a very complex on going Development is a qualitative process. change in a person. Development has consistency and a specific sequence. Along with physical growth, growth in mental abilities also increases cognitive abilities. Maturity of spirit, intellectual ability, social adjustment capacity, memory ability, all these abilities are growing in the process of development.

**Definition of development** "The positive process of physical and behavioral

changes in the body of a person is called development."

It is very important in human life and childhood development is of unique importance as childhood development is a mirror of adult development.

# Childhood development and schooling

As above development starts from childhood so childhood and development is very important because development in childhood makes a good citizen. During this childhood, children are developing different skills such as physical, mental and social, so if we give proper education to the children in this stage, then they can become a good citizen in the future. even Because though children developing during infancy, development is negative, the children tend to have bad tendencies. Children at this age are imitators, they learn by watching others, if they do not get proper guidance at this stage, they can go down a bad path. School has become an important equipment for inculcating culture in the society and showing children difference between right and wrong as well as giving a positive vision and imparting good knowledge.

Today's children are tomorrow's adult citizens of this society. Education should strive to make these children good citizens. The quality of the current schooling system shows that good and influential citizens are coming out of schools today. Schools have responsibility to make good citizens. Schools should show competence and equipment to make good human beings. It is generally said that the process of education is to shape one's personality and bring positive changes in one's lifestyle. lifestyle Education to period development of a person. If children get proper education during childhood, they can become good citizens and their physical, mental and social changes take place in the right way. In the present era, along with the basic needs of food, clothing, and shelter, education has also become a basic need.

The following elements should be considered in school education-

- 1. Cognitive aspects
- 2. Social aspects
- 3. Physical element
- 4. holistic development

Today's child is a citizen of future society. That is why different social institutions should design the education society to protect children at the center. Different social institutions are formed to protects. School is a social institution formed out of human needs. The main purpose of schools is to impart education. School is an active educational institution, after family, school plays an important role in the development of children. A teacher in a school is what a parent is in a family.

The school imparts Sanskar to children School environment affects the personality of student's This school is created to impart knowledge to children in a legal manner. A school is a special institution that develops children in the a positive and desirable direction and provides heh the benefit of a life rich in certain qualities and certain methods of activities and occupations.

# Effect of school on various elements of child development

School is very important for parents. From the time a child enters school, school is a very important tool for children because of physical, mental, and sentimental civic moral development. The school caters to the needs of the student child and provides all the facilities necessary for his development because it is the students of today who become the responsible citizens of tomorrow. Therefore, school is very important for the overall development of a child.

## 1. Physical development

A child's physical development is very important. Physical development has a lot to do with a child's ability to learn. Keeping this in mind, today regular schooling regarding a healthy diet is given to the students from the school, and parents are also instructed nearly this due to the rules and discipline of the school so that the children eat a healthy diet. Also, for the physical development of the children, various types of games and physical education programs such as

sports drills are conducted in the school so that the school can focus on the physical development of the children.

# 2. Mental Development

At School, every curriculum is formulated keeping in mind the mental development of the child. The school as an institution strives to bring about the maximum mental development of children implementing successfully bv curriculum decided by the education department and organizing many educational activities.In mental development, the development of language, development of intelligence and development of speech is expected so that the student becomes versatile.

## 3.causal development

Causal development means the development of every organ of the student, if every organ of the student is working, then the student can study properly. Various activities such as painting, handicrafts, experiments, games and sports are properly planned in the school to give a better opportunity to the students' career development. In this way the causal development of the students is supported in the school. Acquiring knowledge Taking substantial Giving as much time as it takes Practicing Developing coordination skills giving enough time to practice important in terms of skill acquisition, there is an emphasis in education on creating a skill-based curriculum while designing the curriculum.

## 4.Emotional development

If everyone should be able to balance the emotions anger, anger, passion, jealousy, and ego emotions. For this, the values of justice, equality, and fraternity are inculcated in the minds of children. Students should have respect and fear towards the teacher, that's why every teacher tries to do that so that the students develop respect and love for the teachers in the school.

If such a teacher tells them anything, they listen quickly and if the students do not have love and respect for a teacher, they try to avoid every school without that teacher. That is, emotions have a large consequence on children's

behavior, so schools use value education to ensure that children's emotional development is the right type. Education tries to develop children emotionally through value education.

# 5. Moral development

For the moral development of children, special importance is given to Balveer Squad, Virbala Squad, School Orchestra. M.C.C. N.C.C. Sanghs. congregations' first aid centers, etc. are of special importance because of the school the child gets an opportunity participate in various activities such as organizing trips to various places and taking camps.

Visiting several organizations with students. In each of these activities, the teachers keep a strict eye on the children's behavior and the child learns a lot from these activities and their moral development is shaped. By organizing such activities they work to maintain a good school environment, thus schools play an important role in inculcating good habits and good values in the students. That's why morality grows in children, it is also used in society.

### Conclusion

As above, it is understood how effective the school works on the development of children. As today's child/student is tomorrow's responsible citizen of society, every development of the child is given importance in school. For the overall development of the child, various activities are implemented in the school which help in the development of the child.

School is a small replica of society so in school students are taught from moral values to social values so that after education the student behaves well when he goes to society. Also, as a responsible occupant of society, he accepts his responsibility properly. Early childhood development and schools are uniquely interdependent.

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