

English Comprehension (ENG101)

Q.1 Read the following passage and answer the questions below: (10)

Education of man does not begin at school, it begins at birth. It ends, not when he graduate from the university, but at this death. Hence education is a life-long process. "Any modification brought about in the behavior of an individual as a result of his interaction with the environment constituted learning." The child learns through his experience. It goes on forever without any break or barrier. Thus education becomes an active and dynamic process. It is much more than schooling, memorizing or learning a prescribed syllabus. Therefore, J.S. Mackenzie rightly says, "education is a process that goes on through out life, and is promoted by almost every experience in life." When the learner comes in contact with real situation, he utilized all his past experiences that are relevant to it and gains new experiences. Thus the child goes on reconstructing experiences throughout the whole life. Therefore, education is considered by the educationists as an active and dynamic process.

Questions

After carefully reading the above text, choose the correct option from the following:

1) In this passage, the tone of the author can best be described as

B. argumentative

2) What is the running idea of the paragraph?

D. Education is a life long process; from both formal and informal ways of life

3) The key word education is used as

B. process

4) How does a child get education in his life?

C. Through experience

5) What is the similar word of dynamic from the paragraph?

A. Active

Q.2 Write the most relevant topic, main idea and supporting ideas from the following passage. (5)

Discontent is an ugly thing. It brings nothing but unhappiness. A discontented man is unhappy himself, and his constant grumbling and bad temper make all round him unhappy too. He is always comparing his lot with the lot of those better off than himself. His envy of them makes him bitter. He hates others for their greater success and prosperity. He is a miserable wretch.

Main Idea:

Discontent is a bad thing

Supporting Idea:

It brings nothing but unhappiness. A discontented man is unhappy himself, and his constant grumbling and bad temper make all round him unhappy too

Relevant topic:

Discontent is a thing which snatches the happiness by a person who has the discontent. Person starts living like a machine he does everything but do not have surety, satisfactory that he is doing wrong or right, well or bad etc

It creates an act of measure himself with the others. By which he start comparison with the others