

CLASSROOM BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT: 12 COMMON MISTAKES

Refer to the article found at either sites listed directly below to complete the following assignment:

ssawikipage2011.wikispaces.com/file/view/article+3.pdf

<http://web.cortland.edu/andersmd/psy501/12.htm>

NAME: _____ **SECTION #:** _____

Based on your reading, fill in the blank with the correct response; and answer True or False where appropriate. Refer to "Word Cue" box at end.

1. The article suggests that when we take students' misbehavior personally we tend to lose our _____.
2. The article states that it is difficult for learning to take place in _____ environments.
3. The article suggests that effective teaching practices should include lessons that are fast paced; which also include high rates of active student _____.
4. The authors state that when a particular approach to management is not working, in place of just trying harder, we might perhaps try _____ instead.
5. When it comes to involving administrators in behavior management issues, the authors claim we make two fundamental mistakes. Either we send students to them too _____, or we wait far too long in getting them _____.
6. The article states that when planning our overall teaching day, planning for _____ often gets overlooked; and this can invite behavior problems.
7. The authors claim that some of our most challenging students are often the ones who need the most _____; yet, they are often the ones who receive the least.
8. When it comes to general classroom rules, (the ones that govern most classroom situations), the authors imply that there should be no more than _____ of them.

9. The authors suggest that teachers have considerable influence over student behavior, particularly if _____ begin early and are supported in the _____.
10. The authors state that too many classroom rules can make it difficult for students to _____ and for teachers to _____.

Based on the article, signify if the following statements are True or False

_____ According to the article, defining misbehaviour by how it looks only provides us with an incomplete picture of the behaviour.

_____ According to the article, to truly determine a specific behaviour(s) particular function, we need to study what is happening in the classroom environment both before and after the behaviour actually occurs.

_____ According to the article, classroom rules need to be stated positively; they have to be measurable and, most importantly, they need to be realistic.

_____ According to the article, reviewing expectations and rehearsing rules help build routines and minimize the potential for problems.

_____ According to the article, not all behaviours should be ignored. In fact, the article suggests we should only ignore the behaviours that are initiated to gain our attention.

WORD CUE / ANSWER BOX : BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT

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