Praxis 5002 Study Guide

Section: 5002 Elementary Education Reading and Language Arts Subtest Exams • **Total Questions:** 10 • **Format:** Verified Q&A

1. When helping students to develop early literacy skills

(A) which of the following methods is best for teaching phonological awareness?
(B) Focusing on memorization of age-appropriate sight words
(C) Displaying alphabet-related posters in the classroom
(D) Combining oral language exercises and print awareness in instruction
(E) Modeling how to read with cadence and inflection

2. The collaboration activity is known as

(A) think-pair-share
(B) literature circles
(C) fishbowl discussion
(D) jigsaw strategy

3. When discussing strategies for delivering effective oral presentations, a teacher should focus on how speaking slowly promotes which of the following?

> *(1) I knew a lot of words, but I couldn't read a book. (2) I had a million thoughts in my head, but I couldn't share them with anybody. (3) On top of that, people didn't really expect the kids in H-5 to learn much anyway. (4) It was driving me crazy! (5) I couldn't have been much more than six when Mrs. V figured out what I needed. (6) One afternoon after school, after a snack of ice cream with caramel sauce, she flipped through the cable channels and stopped at a documentary about some guy named Stephen Hawking.*

(A) Clear articulation of words
(B) Audibility for the audience
(C) Appropriate emphasis of key ideas
(D) Interest in the topic for the audience

4. Which of the following statements best explains the effect fluency has on reading comprehension?

(A) Once a student has mastered fluency, the student can easily comprehend a text.
(B) Fluency takes the focus off of decoding and allows the student to comprehend meaning in a text.
(C) Fluency decreases for students reading texts below reading level, which affects reading comprehension.
(D) Assessing a student's fluency while reading a text will also reveal the student's reading comprehension level.

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5. Which of the following pairs of words contains identical rimes?

(A) Slip and slide
(B) Mime and slime
(C) Hear and here
(D) Spring and playing

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6. Roohi pedaled as fast as she could... The writer will most benefit from further instruction in which of the following areas?

(A) Using more precise vocabulary
(B) Ensuring concise language
(C) Varying sentence structure
(D) Adding more descriptive details

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7. Which THREE of the following words are best to use in a lesson on using roots and affixes to determine meaning?

(A) Family
(B) Review
(C) Careful
(D) Endanger
(E) Because

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8. Which of the following best describes the phonological skill the student is practicing?

(A) Blending
(B) Segmenting
(C) Substituting
(D) Deleting

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9. Which of the following is a complex sentence?

(A) The hawk swooped down to catch its prey.

(B) Everyone agreed that the wedding was beautiful.

(C) Samantha came to the party, but she didn't stay long.

(D) After discovering that the football was flat, Andy decided to play tennis.

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10. An open syllable contains

(A) a short vowel and ends in a consonant

(B) a long vowel followed by a consonant-silent e

(C) a long vowel not followed by a consonant

(D) a short vowel followed by the letter r