

CHILD CARE-----INDIVIDUALIZED ACTIVITY
21 points

Name _____ Class _____

CHILD CARE QUIZ

Listed below are 21 statements about pre-school children. If the statement is true, place a + in front of the number. If the statement is false, rewrite the statement so that it is true.

1. Normal behavior for four-year-olds includes telling tall tales, singing, and acting silly.
2. Having assigned chores helps a child have a sense of shared family life and pride.
3. Children's clothing should be washable, durable, and appropriate for their life styles.
4. The toddler cares more about friends than family members.
5. The best discipline is consistent and based on love and trust rather than punishment.
6. Kneel down so you are using eye contact when talking with a child.
7. It is important to spend both quantity and quality time with children.
8. Children actually prefer having set times and guidelines for work and play in their lives.
9. A pre-schooler grows much faster than the 0-2 years-old group.
10. Having family rules creates a feeling of family togetherness.
11. Toddlers are not self-centered and they usually find it easy to share their toys with other children.
12. Children love to listen to the same stories over and over again.
13. Most children can be toilet trained by age two.
14. Play is a child's work.
15. Children like to imitate others and are easily influenced.
16. Play does not help a child develop an imagination.
17. One of the best ways we help children learn is through example.
18. If you want your child to be successful, it is important to start pushing him at an early age.
19. When a child's activities infringe on other's rights, it is important to limit her firmly.
20. Active play helps a child develop his muscles and coordination.
21. As a child grows older she should be allowed to make more and more of her own decisions.

CHILD CARE QUIZ--KEY

- TRUE 1. Normal behavior for four-year-olds includes telling tall tales, singing, and acting silly.
- TRUE 2. Having assigned chores helps a child have a sense of shared family life and pride.
- TRUE 3. Children's clothing should be washable, durable, and appropriate for their life style.
- FALSE 4. The toddler cares more about friends than family members.
- TRUE 5. The best discipline is consistent and based on love and trust rather than punishment.
- TRUE 6. Kneel down so you are using eye contact when talking with a child.
- TRUE 7. It is important to spend both quantity and quality time with children.
- TRUE 8. Children actually prefer having set times and guidelines for work and play in their lives.
- FALSE 9. A pre-schooler grows much faster than the 0-2 years-old group.
- TRUE 10. Having family rules creates a feeling of family togetherness.
- FALSE 11. Toddlers are not self-centered and they usually find it easy to share their toys with other children.
- TRUE 12. Children love to listen to the same stories over and over again.
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- TRUE 15. Children like to imitate others and are easily influenced.
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- TRUE 17. One of the best ways we help children learn is through example.
- FALSE 18. If you want your child to be successful, it is important to start pushing him at an early age.
- TRUE 19. When a child's activities infringe on the rights of others, it is important to limit her firmly.
- TRUE 20. Active play helps a child develop his muscles and coordination.
- TRUE 21. As a child grows older she should be allowed to make more and more of her own decisions.

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READING

Complete one of the following.

1. Find a chapter in your text book that deals with child care. Read the chapter and answer the questions at the end of the chapter.
2. Find a magazine article that deals with child care. Read the article and write a short summary of what you learned. Bring a copy of the article with your summary to class.
3. Read the newspaper for one week. Cut out articles that deal with child care laws or other related child care concerns. Mount the articles on notebook paper. Write a two or three sentence summary below each article.