

Seats of Scholars

Humanity's Teacher: 21 Teaching Techniques by Muhammad Alshareef

Exam Questions

Say Bismillah, take a deep breath and make your intention to benefit from this exam so you can retain what you learned from the lecture insha Allah. Take your time.

1. What is the "Good Cop & Bad Cop" theory used for?

2. List two possible reasons why our Islamic education system of today is not as effective as it can ideally be?

3. What are the three types of learning?

4. Individuals who benefit from Khutbahs are categorized as what?

5. Why is it important to identify what the person already knows?

6. Why is it that the Prophet (saw) answered differently to different companions when asked the same question?

7. What is the purpose of using the “question and debate” technique with students?

8. What is the difference between *cash fardh* and *credit fardh*?

9. Why did the Prophet (saw) used Mount Uhud in many of his analogies?

10. Give examples where the Prophet (saw) used diagrams to explain a matter?

11. What percentage of people are visual?

12. How could the rest of the lesson/matter be delivered (other than audio presentation)?

13. Why is it not recommended to stand in front of the person if you're trying to help him feel comfortable with you?

14. "Who has the last question?". What does this question imply if said during a lecture?

15. How could a teacher address questions before they're asked?

16. How could one increase the benefit for a questioner?

17. Provide an example from the Prophet's (saw) teaching technique, where he increased the benefit for the questioner?

18. Why would a teacher turn the question to something that was not asked?

19. What is meant by “herd mentality”?

20. What percentage of human beings have the “herd mentality”?

21. What are the three types of souls mentioned in the Quran?

22. Majority of the people are categorized under what type of soul?

23. How should a teacher prevent a student from disrupting the class/lesson?

24. What is the purpose behind the repetition technique?

25. List ways that a teacher could attain group attention?

26. Give an example of the “good cop and bad cop theory”.

27. Sheikh Ali is giving a lecture and Mohammad and Ahmad are reading a magazine, what technique might Sheikh Ali be violating?

28. When teaching someone something, you should speak at:

- a. At your intellectual level
- b. At their intellectual level
- c. It doesn't matter

29. Teacher Ahmed brought a filthy shoe that hasn't been cleaned in months and a clean shoe that was cleaned every week while giving a lecture about the importance of cleaning the teeth regularly. What technique is he using?

30. The Prophet (saw) brought gold and silver and said, “These two are haram for men and halal for women.” What technique was he using?
