AMIGONIAN SCHOOL Staff Development Training

Inclusive Education and Its Classroom Practice

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WHAT DOES IT MEAN BY SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION?

It is specially designed instruction for learners with

DISABILITIES **GIFTED AND TALENTED** DEPRIVED BACKGROUND **MINORITIES** AT RISK

- Autism
- Visual Impairment
- Hearing Impairment
- Intellectual Disability
- Emotional and Behavior Difficulty
- Learning Disability
- Physical and Health Impairment
- Language and Communication Difficulty
- Deafblind
- Extreme poor
- Migrant (war, natural disaster)
- Street children
- Child labor
- Drug abuse

TRENDS IN EDUCATING LEARNERS WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

Segregation

Integration

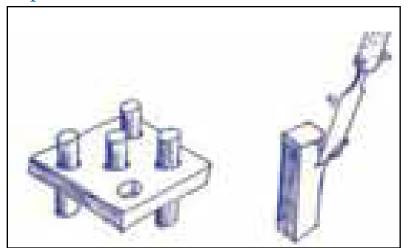
Mainstreaming

Inclusion

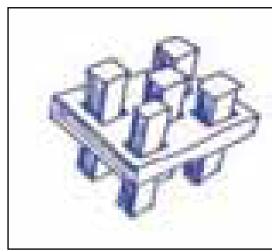
Trends continued ...



Special education



Integration



General/regular education



Inclusion

What Does IE Mean to you?

Right to participate

Rejects the Inclusive dual system Education

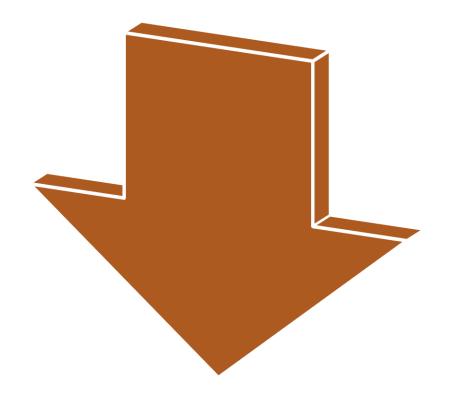
Reconceptualization of special needs education

A strategy

Key principles of IE

Giving Presence, Identification emphasis to Participation, groups of & removal of Process learners who barriers Achievement may be at risk

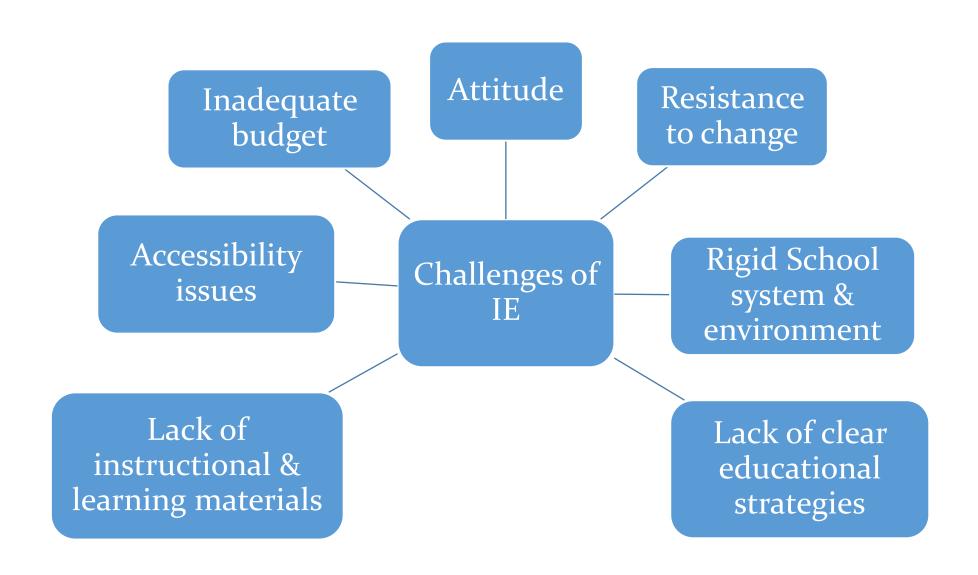
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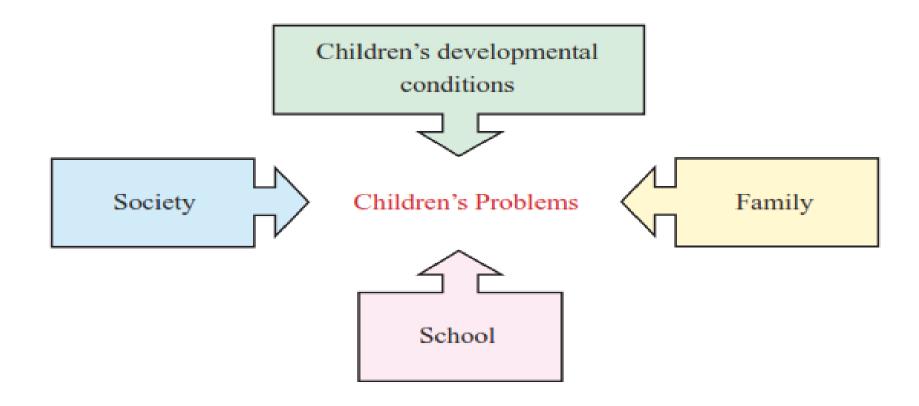
- Human Right
- Quality Education
- Social Justice
- Ethical & Socialization
- Cost Effectiveness
- Individual difference

CHALLENGES OF INCLUSIVE EDUCATION



Identification of Learners with SEN

 How can you identify learners with special educational needs in the classroom?



Identification continued ...

Is significantly slower than that of their peers starting from the same baseline

Fails to match or better the child's previous rate of progress

Fails to close the attainment gap between the child and their peers

Widens the attainment gap

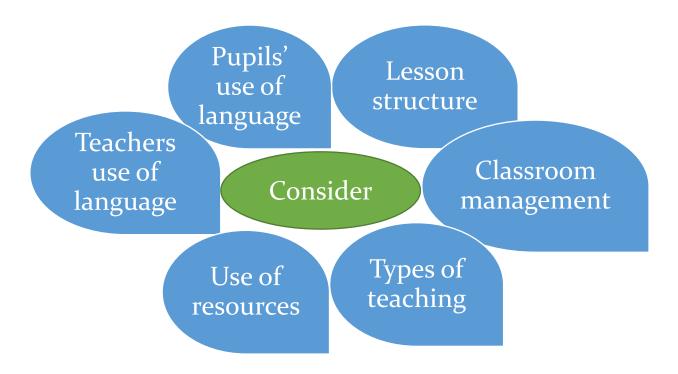
A need to make additional progress with wider development or social needs

Common developmental and learning problems



WHAT IS EFFECTIVE LEARNING?

• How do you know that learning is effective and how can this be achieved?



ACCOMMODATIONS

- **Accommodations** are supports or services provided to help students progress in the general education curriculum and demonstrate their learning.
- These do not mean big changes in the instructional level, content, or standards.

• Rather, support is provided so that students have an equal opportunity to learn and to demonstrate what they have learned.

Accommodations continued ...

• Provisions made in **how** a student accesses/demonstrates learning

- They **do not** substantially change instructional level or content
- Provides student an equal access to learning
- Provides student equal opportunity to demonstrate what is known
- Based on individual strengths and needs
- May vary in intensity and degree
- Techniques utilized to help students access curriculum
- Strategies that validly demonstrate what students have learned
- Methods used that alter the academic setting or environment so students can easily access information

Modifications

• **Modifications** are changes in **what** a student is expected to learn and demonstrate.

Change in the instructional level or benchmark

Change in the number of key concepts mastered within a benchmark or unit of study

Changes in content

change the content and performance expectations for what a student should learn.

Modifications continued ...

Changes made in instructional and assessment practices to facilitate student success.

Size
Time
Input
Output
Difficulty

Participation
Level of support
Alternate goals
Substitute curriculum

Current Issues

•Individualized Educational Plan (IEP)

Universal Design for Learning (UDL)

THE END

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR

YOUR ATTENTION AND

PARTICIPATION!