

What is Evaluation Explain Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation?

Evaluation is the structured interpretation and giving of meaning to predicted or actual impacts of proposals or results. It looks at original objectives and what is either predicted or what was accomplished and how it was accomplished .

Purpose of Evaluation

Purposes and Functions of Evaluation: Evaluation plays a vital role in teaching learning experiences. It is an integral part of the instructional programmers. It provides information's on the basis of which many educational decisions are taken. We are to stick to the basic function of evaluation which is required to be practiced for pupil and his learning processes.

The man purpose of evaluation is to determine the quality of programme by formulating judgment (Stephanic (2009)

Considering the purpose of evaluation –

Formative Evaluation - Provide the information on the improving a product or a process.

Summative Evaluation - Provide information of short term effectiveness or long tern impact for deciding the of a product or process.

Reasons why an evaluation is required –

- Selection** - Which source is better
- Monitoring** - Is our development heading in the right direction.
- Justifying** - Show that something is value for money
- Validating** - Did we make the right decision.
- Improving** - Can we improve if we change something.
- Research** - Add to a body of knowledge.

Continuous and Comprehensive evaluation

Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE) was a procedure of assessment, directed by the Right to Education Act, of India in 2009. This proposal to assessment was introduced by state governments in India, as well as by the Central Board of Secondary Education in India, for students of sixth to tenth class and twelfth in some schools.

Aims of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation:

- The main aim of CCE was to assess every aspect of the child during their presence at the school.
- CCE helps in minimizing the stress on children.
- Make assessment comprehensive & regular.
- Provide space for the teacher for prolific teaching.
- Provide a tool for detection & corrections.
- Produce learners with greater skill

Objectives of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation:

Various are the objectives of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation:

- It makes the process of teaching and learning a learner-centred activity.
- To make the assessment process an essential part of the teaching-learning process.
- To make a fair judgment and take timely decisions for learner's growth, learning process, learning pace, and learning environment.
- To provide scope for learners for self-assessment.
- To use the evaluation process for improving student's achievement through detection and correction.

Why CCE is important in school education?

The basic purpose of **education** is to enable children acquire knowledge, and develop understanding, skills, positive attitudes and values which are conducive for all round development of personality **CCE** enables teachers to conduct diagnosis of learners' defects through various assessment activities.

Conclusion

The Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation facilitates students' effective learning as well as their all round development of personality with its multiple evaluation tools and techniques and corrective measures. The continuous and comprehensive evaluation would boost the standard of school education.