

Parsons Brinckerhoff: The Second Avenue Subway (B)



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- Introduction of the subject
- Types of high stakes testing
- Advantages and Disadvantages
- What is Testing?
- Why do we have high stakes testing?
- The cases of high stakes testing in Bahrain
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Activity 1

In a group Complete the mind map



What forms of high-stakes testing are used in Bahrain?

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Among your group, discuss the following points:

- Validity and Reliability
- Your opinion
- Evidence via hardness
- Problems you had faced

One member must share the group ideas in front of the class.

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What is Testing?

In general, testing is finding out how well something works. In terms of human beings, testing tells what level of knowledge or skill has been acquired. In education, hardware and software development, testing is used to find the quality of the product. In the medical industry, testing is used to determine whether objectives are being met.

Disadvantages

- Incorrect inference of the student performance
- Less attention on the subject that are not included in the test
- The students decrease the effort due to the disappointment
- The students become more competitive
- Decreases the value of the grades
- The administration waste resources for preparing for the test
- Lead the teacher to teach to the test
- Students are repeating the same grade or not receiving the certificate

Why do you think high stakes testing are continuously practiced in some countries?

There are different assumptions that lead the countries to use high stakes testing:

1. A developed world is due to the country being one high achieving country.
2. Finding the right way to develop the students.
3. To increase the quality of education.
4. To predict the global economy of a country you look at the score right.

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1: A developed world is due to the country being one high achieving country

Testing: The quality of education that a country offers to its students, mainly students, students with disabilities, linguistically students, and recent immigrants (Folger, 2004)

2: Testing the right way to serving the students

Other countries have been looking for the education system to improve the students learning through system test (Folger, 2004)

3: Valid to measure the quality of education

Assessing the quality of education is a very difficult task. For the purpose of this study, the quality of education is defined as the average score of students in the national assessment test (Folger, 2004)

4: To predict the global economy of a country you look at the test score rate

What is Testing?

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BTC Entry Test

Among your groups, discuss the following points (5 minutes):

- Validity and Reliability
- Your preparation
- Ease to use
- Problems you had faced

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Activity 1

In a group Complete the mind map



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- Introduction of High Stakes Testing
- Types of High Stakes Testing
- Advantages of High Stakes Testing
- Disadvantages of High Stakes Testing
- Assessment of High Stakes Testing
- Conclusion

Issue (Gifted and talented students and High Stakes Testing)

Issue (cheating)

Issue (teaching to the test)

Issue (Test stress and anxiety)

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- Definition of High stakes testing

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- Types of High stakes testing

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- Testing and technology

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- Uses of High stakes testing

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- Advantages and disadvantages

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- Reasons for countries using high stakes testing

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- Case studies. Thecasesolutions.com

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What does High-Stake Testing mean ?

-Lets break the title down-



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What is Testing ?

In general

Testing is finding out how well something works. In terms of human beings, testing tells what level of knowledge or skill has been acquired. In computer hardware and software development, testing is used at key checkpoints in the overall process to determine whether objectives are being met.

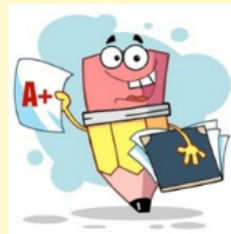


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What is Testing ?

To be specific

“Testing is viewed as both a system of monitoring student performance and a vehicle of change driving what is taught and how it is taught, what is learned and how it is learned.” (Madeus G. & Russell M. 2011, p.21)



What is Testing ?

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Also it can be defined as:

Testing, in education and psychology, is an attempt to measure a person's knowledge, intelligence, or other characteristics in a systematic way.

