

LEARNING THROUGH VISUALS

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The education process introduces the importance of the knowing the learning styles of the learners. Every learner is unique and has his own way of learning. These learning styles include visual learning, auditory learning, kinaesthetic learning and learning by reading/writing.

One of the powerful styles is VISUAL LEARNING. Let's take a look at its importance to the children.

Visual learning provides learners an avenue for their behaviours to be seen and felt.

Through visual representation, learners acquire a deeper understanding and knowledge of their feelings. Through icons, emoticons and other image tools, they are able to perceive their emotions. They are able to feel and express them better.

Visual learning develops the learners' higher level of thinking.

From observation, to recognition, to interpretation, to perception, to self-expression, learners acquire advanced level of understanding through visual learning. The learners are able to improve and progress by this type of learning. Visual learning is enjoyable and fruitful at the same time.

Visual learning improves social and emotional skills.

Some learners emulate behaviour by observing characters in book and in media. This means, characters from fairy tales or other stories have a considerable impact on the learners. If they watch or observe them, there is a tendency that they will mimic them.

With positive influences and commendable role models, learners are able to develop admirable emotional and social skills.

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