

APPENDIX - N

INTERVIEW SCHEDULE FOR PARENTS

Good morning Sir, I had taken up a project to foster the creative abilities of VI standard children. Your son/daughter might have told you about it. I came to interview you regarding that.

1. You must have got my letter, that I had sent through your son/daughter.
2. Did your son/daughter tell you about the programme that I conducted in his/her school ?
3. Did you enquire yourself, out of curiosity ?
4. When the programme was on, did you observe any behavioural changes in your son/daughter at home ?
5. What was your reaction for such a change ?
6. Do you encourage your son's/daughter's unusual or off-beat answers to the questions ?
7. Has any of his/her study habits changed ?
8. Did your son/daughter indulge in pun, writing poems, jokes, etc., giving more attention to magazine section of the paper, these days ?
9. In what way do you encourage your child's creative abilities in the home ?
10. Does he tell stories about himself or fantasy stories he read, etc., in the home ?
11. Does your son/daughter day dream a lot or sit still forgetting himself/herself ?
12. Does he/she like to modify/invent the games or play the old game itself ?

13. Do you also wonder along with your son/daughter when you see something new and encourage him/her to explore the same ?
 14. Do you pose riddles, songs, puzzles, etc., and provide him/her scope for flexible ways of thinking ?
 15. Has he/she started doing improvisations or constructing something, these days ?
 16. What type of things do you buy for your son/daughter in order to satisfy his/her curiosity ?
 17. Do you provide sufficient freedom to your child to manipulate things at home ?
 18. Do you encourage him to ask inquisitive questions ?
 19. What would be your reaction, when you don't know the answer yourself ?
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