
ASSESSMENT TWO

Fill in the blanks using the keywords given in the table.

Ray Jackendoff	Tabula rasa	Retroflex sound	kh
Sound	Subject and Predicate	Plato's problem	bh

1. Patterns in the Mind

1 point

2. Behaviorism

1 point

3. Sounds produced from alveolar ridge

1 point

4. How does it happen that given so little, we learn so much?

1 point

5. Aspirated and non-voiced velar sound

1 point

6. Sentence

1 point

7. Bilabial sound

1 point

8. Fundamental units of language

1 point

9. Which among the following is the right order of the stages of language learning (put forward by Ray Jackendoff)?

- Cooing, one word stage, babbling, two word stage, grammar
- Babbling, cooing, one word stage, two word stage, grammar
- Cooing, one word stage, two word stage, babbling, grammar

- Cooing, babbling, one word stage, two word stage, grammar

1 point

10. Stages of language learning indicate and establish the supremacy of human mind in the learning of language.

- True
- False

1 point

Sonu and Sanju are born to a Bengali father and a Malayalee mother. Sonu is raised by his father in a Kashmiri-speaking neighborhood in Kashmir. He goes to a school where the languages of instruction are English and Hindi. By the age of 15, Sonu is proficient in Bengali, Kashmiri, English and Hindi. He also learns French, at the age of 18, at his university. On the other hand, Sonu's sister Sanju is raised by her mother, who lives in Kerala. They live in a Malayalam-speaking neighborhood. Sanju goes to an English medium school where she is also taught Hindi. Sanju is proficient in English, Hindi and Malayalam.

Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions.

11. Malayalam is the mother-tongue of Sonu and Sanju.

- True
- False

1 point

12. Kashmiri is a foreign language to Sanju.

- True
- False

1 point

13. French is both a second language and foreign language for Sonu.

- True
- False

1 point

14. English is a foreign language to both Sonu and Sanju

- True
- False

1 point

15. Malayalam is the first language, mother-tongue and the native language of Sanju.

- True
- False

1 point

Answers

1. Ray Jackendoff
2. Tabula rasa
3. Retroflex sound

4. Plato's problem
5. kh
6. Subject and Predicate
7. bh
8. Sound
9. Cooing, babbling, one word stage, two word stage, grammar
10. True
11. False
12. True
13. True
14. False
15. True