SECTION II: Early Literacy

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Directions: Read each item and select the best answer.

1. Which three early literacy domains form the foundation of literacy learning?

- a. Comprehension, alphabet knowledge, and print awareness
- b. Print awareness, letter knowledge, and phonological awareness
- c. Letter knowledge, phonemic awareness, and fluency

2. Which of the following statements accurately describes the three early literacy domains?

- a. The domains are interrelated.
- b. The domains are logical.
- c. The domains are sequential.

3. Which early literacy skills are the foundation of the alphabetic principle?

- a. Letter knowledge and phonological awareness
- b. Print awareness and letter knowledge
- c. Phonological awareness and print awareness

4. What is print awareness?

- a. Understanding of environmental print
- b. Understanding how print maps to sound
- c. Understanding of the forms and functions of printed language

5. Which of these is an example of a book convention?

- a. Print carries meaning.
- b. A left page is read before a right page.
- c. Sentences are made up of separate words.

6. All of the following statements describe functions of print except which one?

- a. Print is a communication device.
- b. Print corresponds to spoken language.
- c. Printed words are made up of letters.

7. When a teacher opens a storybook and asks, "Can you tell me how many words are in the sentence?" what print awareness skill is the teacher assessing?

- a. Sentences in print are made up of separate words.
- b. Printed words are made up of letters.
- c. Sentences start with capital letters and end with periods.

8. All of the following strategies promote print awareness except which one?

- a. Creating print-rich, classroom bulletin boards
- b. Implementing shared storybook reading
- c. Limiting the choice of classroom reading materials

9. Which of the following is the name of a read-aloud strategy for teaching print awareness?

- a. Print referencing
- b. Print functioning
- c. Print tracking

10. Which of these print awareness skills should be developed by the end of Kindergarten?

- a. Knowing all the letter names and their most common sounds
- b. Being able to differentiate between letters and words
- c. Pointing to compound words that name objects shown in pictures