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INTRODUCTION

Educators have always been concerned with the affective development of children. Historically, this concern has manifested itself in an education system with goals which relate to the affective domain. The "Ten Goals of Quality Education," created by the Pennsylvania State Board of Education, placed great emphasis on affective development. Reflecting the educators' interest in affective development are these goals: "Help every child acquire...

- ... the greatest possible understanding of himself;
- ... an understanding and appreciation of persons; and
- ... a positive attitude toward the learning process."

 In addition to these, nearly every other goal refers to some aspect of affective development.

It has been noted that the original statement of objectives for many education programs frequently has as much emphasis given to the affective domain as to the cognitive area. However, in the implementation and evolution of education programs, the emphasis tends to shift strongly to cognitive objectives. David B. Krathwohl attributed this to the fact that cognitive objectives are more easily evaluated than affective objectives. "What is missing," says Krathwohl, "is a systematic effort to collect evidence of growth in affective objectives which is in any way parallel to the very great and systematic efforts to evaluate cognitive achievement."



 [&]quot;Ten Goals of Quality Education," <u>Pennsylvania Education</u>, September - October, 1970, p. 19.

^{2.} David B. Krathwohl with Benjamin S. Bloom, and Bertiam B. Masia, <u>Taxonomy</u> of Educational Objectives Handbook II: Affective Domain, N. Y., 1964, p. 16.

^{3. &}lt;u>Ibid</u>., p. 16.

The initial interest in this study stemmed from a report prepared by the Educational Management Development Center (EMDEC) in June, 1974. While doing a comparative analysis of two education programs, the lack of meaningful measures of affective performance was noticed. A brief literature review revealed that most of the research in affective evaluation is not published in easily accessible journals. Therefore, it was felt that the collection, classification, and evaluation of various measures of affective development would be a useful undertaking.

Since the development of evaluative measures in the affective domain has recently received new emphasis by educational researchers, it was extremely important to collect the most recent data available. With this objective in mind, educational research centers throughout the country were contacted. These included government sponsored agencies such as the Center for the Study of Evaluation (CSE), located at the University of California at Los Angeles, and the Learning Research and Development Center (LRDC), at the University of Pittsburgh. Also included were non-profit centers such as Research for Better Schools (RBS) in Philadelphia, and the Instructional Objectives Exchange (IOX) in Los Angeles. Concurrently with this effort, published literature was surveyed via the Educational Research Information Clearinghouse's (ERIC) computer-based reference system.* Finally, many descriptions and copies of measures were obtained through direct contact with test authors. As a result of the search for affective measurements, data on seventy two instruments were compiled. The sample consists of tests for which both copies and descriptions were obtained and instruments for which only descriptions were found. A listing

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^{*} The ERIC system was searched for all articles classified under the following descriptors: affective adjectives, behaviors, evaluation, objectives, and tests.

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of the instruments used in the sample is found in APPENDIX I. A list of mailing addresses and descriptions for these instruments is found in APPENDIX 11.*

The next two sections of this report contain a classification scheme of the collected instruments and a decision-making process for an educational needs assessment with respect to affective evaluation.

^{*} The instruments themselves are not included in this report, but EMDEC will assist readers in obtaining a copy of any instrument.



A CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

For purposes of classification, affective development is defined as the growth of an individual's attitudes toward self, others, and institutions.

This development may or may not be positive: positive development is exhibited by the degree to which an individual conforms to societal norms. More specifically, "attitudes toward self" refers to all aspects of self-concept, including the social, intellectual, and physical self. "Attitudes toward others" are reflected in an individual's personality traits, interpersonal skills, and peer interaction. "Attitudes toward institutions" encompasses an individual's feelings toward such entities as the school, home, and government, as well as the authority figures connected with them. Behavior such as conformity, acceptance of school rules, motivation, and cooperation reflect the positive development of attitudes toward institutions. Thus, behaviors are observable, while attitudes can only be inferred from behaviors or from what an individual expresses his/her attitude to be.

These classification categories and the number of tests collected in each are exhibited in Table I. The entries in each cell refer to the number of instruments in the sample which are contained in that category. Some of the instruments are listed in more than one cell because they are not confined to just one aspect of affective development.

TABLE I

Attitudes toward:

| | Self | Others | Institutions |
|-----|------|--------|--------------|
| | 38 | 26 | 40 |
| - 1 | | | |

Within these three cells, tests have been further classified according to the following three criteria; 1) "Method of Administration," 2) "Grade Levels" covered by tests, and 3) "Scenario" employed by the test.

METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION

"Method of Administration" refers to how the instrument is given to students.



METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION (cont'd)

Four methods are:

- 1) Written the student records his/her responses on an answer sheet;
- 2) Verbal the student responds verbally to an interviewer who records the responses;
- 3) Observational the student's general attitudes and/or behaviors are recorded by an observer; and
- 4) Task the student is given a specific assignment to perform and his/her behavior is recorded by the administrator.

The concern with method of administration depends upon the flexibility of the educator using the instrument. For example, a single teacher may not be able to use an instrument which requires simultaneous observation of several children.

GRADE LEVELS

"Grade Levels" is an obvious classification concern. If an educator is trying to trace the affective development of individual students, consistency
across grade levels becomes important. The educator should be able to compare
the scores of tests taken some time apart and meaningfully graph an individual's
affective development. If comparisons among individuals in the same age cohort
are desired, consistency across grades becomes less important.

TESTING SCENARIO

"Testing Scenario" refers to the context in which the test is administered.

Are hypothetical examples constructed or are real life situations used? Arguments have been made for and against using each type of instrument. In support of the hypothetical scenario is the argument that hypothetical examples allow children to project themselves into a world less affected by external forces than a real life situation. This argument claims that by using a hypothetical scenario, the experiences of a child directly preceding the test administration will be less likely to influence his/her responses to test questions. The result



is a more accurate picture of the child's general attitudes, rather than his/her feelings on a particular day. This scenario is illustrated by the following test item—from a faces inventory.

"Bobby is on his way to school. He gets to school. He opens the door and goes inside. Which one is Bobby's face?"4

Those in support of using the real life scenario argue that test questions, like the one above, can easily be misinterpreted by children. They hold that the same aspect of affective development can be measured more effectively if a direct method is used. The test item, "This is how I feel when I come to school" illustrated the real life scenario. Any response to this item is considered a simple and clearly defined task, and for this reason, preferred by those in support of the real life scenario.

In APPENDIX I, the tests contained in the sample are categorized according to the above classification scheme. To summarize, this scheme classifies tests according to:

- i) <u>aspects of affective development</u> attitudes which may be directed toward self, others, or institutions;
- 2) what the test measures measurement may be of attitudes or behavior;
- 3) method of administration tests may be written, verbal, observations, or task;
- 4) grade, levels covered by test; and .
- 5) testing scenario test context may be real life or hypothetical.

^{4.} Victor G. Cicirelli, Children's Attitudinal Range Indicator.

^{5.} James Masters and Grace Laverty, <u>School Attitude Scale for First Graders</u>, Pennsylvania Department of Education.

A DECISION-MAKING PROCESS

The classification scheme developed in the previous section can be used as a tool in the decision-making process concerned with the evaluation of the affective component of an education program. This process should consider the following steps:

- 1) Assess the need for an evaluation in the specific areas of affective development.
- 2) If a need is identified, collect all alternative instruments which might satisfy this need.
- Examine these alternatives with respect to their validity, reliability, administrative usability and examinee appropriateness.
- 4) Decide whether to use the best alternative available or forego the evaluation.

It is assumed that educators have recognized a need to evaluate the affective components of their education programs, but not that the specific aspects of affective development which need to be evaluated have been identified. This assessment must be done on an individual basis. Every administrator, using the objectives of his/her education program as guidelines, should determine which aspects of affective education need to be evaluated. To reach this decision, knowledge of the affective evaluation program already in use is needed.

Making process. To determine the areas of affective development being assessed by the present evaluative system, the form on Table II has been furnished. By filling in the appropriate spaces with the names of instruments presently in use, for each of the relevant grade levels, a total picture of an education program's present status with respect to affective evaluation can be seen. Clearly, areas not assessed by present instruments are areas where a need exists.



TABLE II
Needs Assessment Form

| Major Classes Grades | Self | Others | Institu- tions |
|----------------------------|------|--------|-------------------|
| Nursery | | ` ` ` | |
| Kindergarten | | 0 | |
| First | | | 2 |
| Second | | | |
| Third | c | | , |
| Fourth | | | |
| Fifth | ç | | . ` |
| Sixth | , | o | • |
| Seventh | , a | | |
| Eighth ' | , | | |

Once the specific areas of need have been identified, step two involves collecting alternative instruments. Table III can be used to determine the number of instruments compiled in this study that fulfill a need. For example, if the results of step one show a need for a third grade test that deals with attitudes toward self, a glance at Table III will reveal that eighteen instruments are available. The names of these tests, along with the test scenario, grade level and administrative method can then be found in APPENDIX I. The mailing addresses, and description of the tests can be obtained from APPENDIX II.

The third step in the decision-making process requires the educator to evaluate each instrument in three areas: 1) "Validity and Reliability," 2) "Administrative Usality," and 3) "Examinee Appropriateness."

VALIDITY AND RELIABILITY*

"Validity and Reliability" assessments are essential if administrators are to nave confidence in the results. Validity refers to the extent to which an instrument measures what it purports to measure. Evidence of an instrument's validity includes correlations with other tests measuring the same aspect of affective development, the tests' utilization in experimentation, the number and quality of content analyses of the test (e.g., factor analysis, item analysis), the test's ability to discriminate between groups (e.g., delinquents vs. non-delinquents), and the usage of the test (e.g., clinical work, validity studies). Reliability is determined by the instrument's stability over time and equivalence, which is defined as the correlation between two alternative forms of a test taken by the same examinees at essentially the same time. The test manual, which should accompany tests, is a source of information about the technical quality of an instrument.

^{*} For a more complete discussion of validity, reliability, and test choice with respect to these concepts, see chapters 5 and 6 of <u>Essentials of Tsychological Testing</u>, Lee J. Cronbach, second edition.



CSE-RBS Test Evaluations: Tests of Higher-Order Cognitive, Affective, and Interpersonal Skills, 1972, p. xvi.

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TABLE III
Classifications by Grade of Tests Collected

| Major Classes Grade | Self | 0thers | Institu- tions |
|---------------------------|------|--------|-------------------|
| Nursery | 0 | 2 · | 2 |
| Kindergarten | 11 | 8 | 13 |
| First | 15 | 11 | 21 |
| Second | 14 | 13 | 19 |
| Third | 18 | 13 | .21 |
| Fourth | 24 | 10 | 1.1 |
| Fifth | 27 | 16 | 18 |
| Sixth | 26 | 15 | 17 |
| Seventh | 15 | 9 | 10 |
| Eighth | 10 | 4 | 4 |

ADMINISTRATIVE USABILITY

"Administrative Usability" encompasses: 1) the test's comprehensiveness,

2) method of administration, 3) teaching feedback, 4) retest potential,
and 5) refinement of test results. When examining the "comprehensiveness
of a test," educators should view the breadth and depth of the instrument.
Using both of these concepts with reference to the three aspects of
affective development, these two questions are asked. How many of these
aspects does the test cover and how well does it cover any one of them?
Information on the breadth of the instruments used in this study can be
found in the classification listings. Tests classified under more than
one of the affective categories would be considered to have a wider scope
than those found only in one category. Information on the depth that each
of these instruments cover can only be obtained by a careful examination
of the test questions.

Evaluation of the "method of administration" of a test will focus on the ease with which a test can be administered. The importance placed on this criteria will vary from one situation to the next and will be dependent upon the personnel and equipment available at the school setting. For example, if a test is classified as an observational instrument, its method of administration can be rated according to the following criteria:

- a) the training required for the observer;
- b) the possibility of it being teacher or student administered;
- c) the time required for the test administration; and
- d) the ease of scoring.

In contrast to this, an evaluation of the method of a written test might only be concerned with the third and fourth criteria mentioned above.



The "teaching feedback" of an instrument is a measure of a test's ability to provide unambiguous feedback which is easily interpretable and which will yield information useful for decision-making. Because of the various purposes that educators may have for administering a test, the type of information that is considered "useful for decision-making" may vary greatly. Administrators interested in evaluating a total education program will be interested in testing feedback quite differently than a teacher who is concerned about evaluating a particular child.

The "retest potential" of an instrument is measured by the number of alternative forms available for it. If these forms are similar in content, approach or method, validity and reliability, then the retest potential for the instrument would be considered very good.

"Refinement of test scores" should be considered when determining the usefulness of the "results" of a test. Scores converted to percentiles, IQs or grade-placement are viewed as being well-graduated and for some purposes considered more desirable than deciles, stanines, and pass/fails. The importance placed on this criteria, however, will depend upon the type of evaluation needed. Educators interested in program evaluation need not be as concerned with this refinement as those wishing to evaluate a class' or individual's performance.

EXAMINEE APPROPRIATENESS

"Examinee Appropriateness" for a particular class or a particular individual requires a close scrutiny of the instrument and a good knowledge of the students being evaluated. This phase of the decision-making process needs to be carried out by the individual in the education system who

^{8.} Ibid., p. xix.



^{7. &}lt;u>Ibid.</u>, p. xxi.

Examinee Appropriateness (Cont'd.)

best knows the particular examinees. To determine the examinee appropriateness of a test, one should be concerned with a test's content, level of vocabulary, instructions, means of recording responses, time required for administration, and pacing.

If this evaluation reveals that some of the test's vocabulary is too difficult or its content does not coincide with the experiential background of the students, appropriate adjustments should be made in the instrument. When choosing an instrument for an entire class, a test suited for the majority of the students can be used, but any evaluation of individual scores should allow for the differences in these criteria among the students.

Once all of the alternative instruments have been evaluated with respect to each of the areas discussed above, the final step is to make a decision as to which is the best alternative. This decision should take into account every aspect of the education program being evaluated and for this reason, it should not be made until individuals at all levels of the education system have been consulted. Ultimately, the decision will reflect the importance that each educator places on the different criteria being examined and the goals of the education program.



SUMMARY

Affective development was defined as the growth of an individual's attitudes toward self, others, and institutions. Using this definition as a basis, a classification scheme of affective measures was designed. This scheme accounted for:

- the area of affective development;
- 2) the focus of the instrument;
- 3) the method of administration;
- 4) the grade levels covered by the instrument; and
- 5) the scenario employed by the instrument.

Finally, a decision-making procedure was outlined through which an educator could assess and satisfy the need of his/her education program for measures of affective development. This procedure involves needs assessment, collection of alternative instruments, an examination of the alternatives, and finally, deciding which measure can best be used to fulfill the evaluation need.



APPENDIX I

This Appendix contains names of tests, classified according to the scheme developed in the paper. Some names appear more than once; this indicates that the test falls into more than one category.

KEY

Test Name.

. * = Instrument in Pennsylvania's Quality Assessment Package

IOX = Instructional Objectives Exchange

Test Scenario

RL = Real Life Situations

Hy = Hypothetical Situations

Grade Level

NG = Not Given

N = Nursery

Administrative Method

- (V) = Verbal
 - (W) = Written
 - (0) = Observation
 - (T) = Task



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| | Test <u>Scenario</u> | Grade <u>Level</u> | Administrative Method |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| About Me About Myself - Subtest of "The | RL | 3-6 | (W) |
| You Test" Achievement Competency Inventory | RL | 3-12 | (W) |
| (Form A) Achievement Competency Inventory | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| (Form B) | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| Affective Inventory | RL | 5−7 K−12 | (0) |
| Childrens Personality Questionnaire | RL | 3-7 | (W) |
| Childrens Reactive Curiosity Scale | RL | 4-6 | (W) |
| Childrens Self-Concept Index | Ну | K-3 | (W) |
| Childrens Self-Concept Scale | RL | 2-12 | (W) |
| Coopersmith's Self-Esteem | -1.5 | 2 12 | (")_ |
| Inventory * | RL | 4-12 | (W) |
| Creativity* | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| Early Pupil Form | RL | 1-2 | (W) |
| First Grade Adjustment Scale | RL | 1 | (0) |
| Frymier's Faces Scale | RL | K-5 | (W) . |
| How I See Myself | RL | 3-6 | (W) |
| Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) | Ну | K-3 | (W) |
| (The Class Play) Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) | Ну | 4-6 | (W) |
| (The Class Play) Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (Perceived Approval Situation) | RL | K-6 | (T) |
| Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (Television Actors) | Ну | K-3 | (W) |
| Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (Work Posting) | , RL | K-6 | (T) |
| Obscure Figures Test | RL | NG | (W) |
| Ohio State Picture Preference Scale | Ну | NG | (w) |
| Personality Rating Scale | RL | K-12 | (W) |
| Pictorial Self-Concept Scale | Hy | K-4 | (T) |
| Piers-Harris Self-Concept Scale | RĹ | 3-12 | (W) |
| Problem List | RL | 3-6 | (W) |
| Pupil Creativity Q Sort | RL | 4-12 | (T) |
| Pupil Opinion Form | · RĻ | 4-6 | (W) |
| Self-Appraisal Inventory (IOX) | RL | K-3 | (W) |
| Self-Appraisal Inventory (IOX) | RL | 4-6 | (W) |
| The Story of Jimmy | Ну | 4-8 | . (W) |
| The Story of Tommy | Ну | 1-3 | (W) |
| SWCEL Student Questionnaire Torrance Test of Creative | RL-Hy | 1 | (v) |
| Thinking | RL | K-12 | (W) |
| Van Looy's Expectancy Scale | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| What I am Like | RL | 4-9 | (W) |
| What Would You Do? (IOX) | Ну | 4-6 | (W) |



II. OTHERS

| | Test <u>Scenario</u> | Grade <u>Level</u> | Administrative Method |
|---|------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| About Me | RL | ·3-6 | · (W) |
| Acceptance of Ideas of Others | | 5 0 | (") |
| (Star Form) | RL | 1-3 | (W) |
| Acceptance of Others | Ну | 4-6 | (W) |
| Achievement Competency Inventory | · | | \/ |
| (Form A) | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| Achievement Competency Inventory | | | |
| (Form B) | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| Achievement Competency Form | | * | |
| (Summer Camp) | Hy | 5-7 | , (W) |
| Affective Inventory | RL | K-12 | (0) |
| Analysis of Communication in | | | |
| Education Instrument (ACE) | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| Children's Attitudinal Range | | | |
| Indicator | Ну | K-3 | (W) |
| Children's Reactive Curiosity | | | |
| Scale | RL | 4-6 | (W) |
| Children's Self-Concept Index | Hy | K-3 | (W) |
| Children's Self-Concept Scale Differentiated Child Behavior | RL - | 2-6 | (W) |
| | Dī | | <i>(</i> 2) |
| Observational System (DCB) Early Pupil Form | RL DI | N-3 | (0) |
| Early School Personality | RL | 1-2 | (W) |
| Questionnaire | RL | 1 0 | (*** |
| First Grade Adjustment Scale | RL RL | 1-3 | (W) |
| Intensity of Involvement Scale | RL RL | 1 NK | (0) |
| Junior Eysenck Personality | KL | N-K | (0) |
| Inventory | RL | 2-11 | (1.1) |
| Personal Record of School | , 143 | 2-11 | (W) |
| Experiences (PROSE) | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| Personality Rating Scale | RL | K-12 | (W) |
| Pupil Opinion Form | RL | 4-6 | (W) |
| Stanford Research Institute Class- | | , , | (") |
| room Observation Instrument | | | |
| (SRI-COI) | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| SWCEL Student Questionnaire | RL-Hy | 1 | (V) |
| Understanding Others* | RL | 5-7 | (W) · |
| Van Looy's Expectancy Scale | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| What I Am Like | RL | 4-9 | . (M) |
| What Would You Do? (IOX) | $\mathbf{H}\mathbf{y}_{\parallel}$ | 4-6 | (W) |

III. INSTITUTIONS

| | Test Scenario | Grade <u>Level</u> | Administrative Method |
|---|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| About Me | RL | 3-6 | (W) |
| Affective Inventory | RL | K-12 | (0) |
| Analysis of Communication in | | , | (0) |
| Education Instrument (ACE) | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| Appreciating Human Accomplish- | | 10 0 | (0) |
| ments* | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| Children's Attitudinal Range | | • | (") |
| Indicator | Ну | K-3 | (W) |
| Children's Self-Concept Index | Hy | K-3 | (W) |
| Citizenship Inventory* | RĹ | 5-7 | (W) |
| Classroom Behavior Inventory | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| Differentiated Child Behavior | | | (-) |
| Observational System (DCB) | RL | N-3 | (0) |
| Early Pupil Form | RL | 1-2 | (W) |
| Early School Personality | | | \'. '/ |
| Questionnaire | RL. | 1-3 | (W) |
| The Faces Inventory (School | | | , , , |
| Attitude Scale) | RL | 2-4 | (W) |
| First Grade Adjustment Scale | RL | 1 | (0) |
| Frymer's Faces Scale | RL | K-5 | (W) |
| How About You (IOX) | Hy | 4-6 | (W) |
| "How I Feel" Attitude Inventory | RL | 1-3 | (W) |
| Interest in School* | RL | 5-7 | (W) |
| Ohio State Picture Preference | | | |
| Scale | Hy | NG | (W) |
| Parental Approval Index (IOX) | Hy | K-3 | (W) |
| Parental Approval Index (IOX) | Hy | 4-6 | (W) |
| Personal Record of School | | | |
| Experiences (PROSE) | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| Preparing for a Changing World* | Hy | 5-7 | (W) |
| Primary Academic Sentiment | | | |
| Scale (PASS) | RL | N-3 | (W) |
| Pupil Opinion Form | RL | 4-6 | (W) |
| Reading Percepts Interview | | | 4 |
| Schedule | RL | K-3 | (V) |
| School Attitude Q Sort | RL | NG | (T) |
| School Attitude Scale (Faces | , T.* | * | (2.5) |
| Inventory) | RL | 1 | (W) |
| School Attitude Scale (Faces Inventory) | DΤ | 1 2 | · |
| School Morale Scale | RL. | 1-3 | (W) |
| School Sentiment Index (Elementary) | RL. | 5 - 7 | (W) |
| School Sentiment Index (Frimary) | RL | 5-8 v-3 | (W) |
| Self-Concept as a Learner | Hy RL | K-3 3-6 | (W) |
| Self-Concept as a Learner - | М | 3-0 | (W) |
| Elementary Scale | RL | 3-6 | (W) |
| ========= | WII. | J-0 | (w) |



III. INSTITUTIONS (cont'd.)

| | Test Scenario | Grade <u>Level</u> | Administrative Method |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Self-Concept of Ability | RL | NG | (W) |
| Specific and Global Self-Concept | RL | 4-8 | (W) • ` |
| Stanford Research Institute | | | |
| Classroom Observation Instrument | | İ | |
| (SRI-COI) | RL | K-3 | (0) |
| The Story of Jimmy | Ну | 4-8 | (W) |
| The Story of Tommy | Нy | 1-3 | (W) |
| SWCEL Student Questionnaire | RL-Hy | 1 | (V) |
| Van Looy's Expectancy Scale | RL | 5− 7 | (W) |
| Vocational Development Inventory* | \mathtt{RL} | 5 7 | (W) |

APPENDIX II

This Appendix contains an alphabetical list of the collected tests, as well as a short description of each test.* In addition, addresses for most of the tests are included.

ADDRESS KEY

EMDEC Carnegie-Mellon University

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NOTE - An asterick () following the name of a test indicates the description was taken from Improving Education Assessment, An Inventory of Measures of Affective Behavior, by Walcott Beatty. (ERIC # ED 034 730)



1. About Yes

This self-report instrument assesses five areas of self concept which could be expected to be expressed in behavior in the school environment. These five areas are the saif, the self in relation to others, the self as achieving, the self in school, and the physical self. There are six items for each of the five areas.

Each of the 30 items consists of a positive and a negative statement at opposits ends of a continuum. The respondent is to rate himself along a five-point scale between the two statements. The following are sample items taken from the instrument:

1 2 3 4 5

I'm good in school work.

I'm popular..
I don't get tired quickly.
I'm not tall enough.

I'm proud of me.

I'm not good in school work.

I'm not too popular. I get tired quickly.

I'm tall enough. I'm not too proud of me.

Individual or group administration is presible. Scores are derived by summing the numerical values of individual items. High scores indicate a negative self concept; low scor positive self concept.

About Myself - Subtest of "The You Test"

Tais test which is one of three subtests consists of a self-report checklist of 41 statements. tach statement requires a response of never, sometimes, often, or always. The test deals with the concept of curiosity. It is a 41 item self-rating instrument. Examples are as follows:

- a) If a grown-up says something, I believe it; b) I like to find out how things work;
- e) I ask questions in school.

3. Acceptance of Ideas of Others (Star Form)

Pupils are asked to rate the value of each of their classmate's ideas. This test is very similar in form to the Acceptance of Others test (See #4). The student is given a list of his classmates and he must rate their ideas from 1 to 5,

4. Acceptance of Others .

Pupil's were asked to rate classmates on the basis of how much fun it would be to do something with that person. This test was designed to determine pupil's attitudes toward classmates. The student is given a list of all the class members and they are instructed to rate each of their classmates from I to 5:

5. Achievement Competency Form (Summer Camp)

In this test, summer Camp, a situation is presented to the child in which he must decide in a counselor position, how he would attend to camper's problems. An example is

fom. "I've always had other people telling me what to do...I'd like to do a few things for movelf for a change, but I really don't know where to start."

As Tem's counselor, what would you do?

- __ tell him to make a list of things he has done before which made him feel good.
- b) tell him to write a letter to his mother asking for her suggestions.
 c) tell him to join the baseball team.
- 6. Achievement Competency Inventory (Form A)

This test is in the same test package as "Summer Camp" and uses the same procedure. The test questions deal with melf-concept in relation to achievement and the student must ensuer "yes" of "no". Examples are as follows:

- a). I'm often bored.
 b) I usually finish things I start.
- I'm a fairly special person.
- 7. Achievement Competency Inventory (Form B)

This test is in the same test package as "Summer Camp" and deals with self image with a "yes" or "no" answering system. It is very similar to Form A of this same package. Examples of the questions are as follows:

- a) When you get in an argument, is it sometimes your fault?
- b) Will people usually do things for you if you ask them?
- 8. Affective Inventory

The teacher is given a list of polarities of personal behavior by which sha rates each individual child. Some examples are:

- Sensitivity to others: Acts only to fulfill his own needs Cancerned about others and modifies behavior accordingly.

 Flexibility: Constrictive control of self, rigid Flexible, easily modifies his behavior to meet change.
- Friendliness: Reserved Outgoing

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Same as #3.

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Same as #5.

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9. Analysis of Communication in Education (ACE)

This systematic observation method can be used for evaluation by outside researchers or for self-analysis by teaching teams. The coding system used to analyse patterns of communication severs:

- The mode of communication, such as expressing one's self voluntarily, asking and responding.

 The <u>substance</u> of communication such as information, thoughts, ideas and feelings.
- communication, i.e., who speaks to whom.

10. Appreciating Human Accomplishments

This test is one of nine tests designed for a study of quality education. I' consists of 21 items that tap the perceived importance and degree of desired participation in political, acientific, sports, literature, art, music and theater activities.

11. Children's Attitudinal Range Indicator

This text was designed to assess the child's positive and negative attitudas toward peers, home, school, and society. The subject is presented with unstructured and incomplete picture stories containing three stylized conventional faces depicting happy, neutral, or sad feeling tone. Having the subject indicate how each story should end, invites his identification with these faces and represents his investment of self in the situation presented, a projection of his own thinking, feelings, and judgement to determine outcome.

12. Children's Personality Questionnaire (CPQ)

The CPQ consists of fourteen scales, which are defined by two poles or extremes. Examples are reserved - outgoing, self-assured - apprehensive, and shy - venturesome. The test consists of 70 items and is administered without a time limit. Two forms of the test are available and it is generally recommended that both forms be used and interpretation be made on the composite scores for each factor. Examples of test items are:

- 3) Do you think you could do well at almost anything or just a few things?
 8) In your group is someone else the leader or are you the leader?
 9) To you have many friends or just & few friends?

13. Children's Reactive Curiosity Scale

This is a 100 item true/false test with a built-in lie or validity scale. Some examples from the Reactive Curiosity Questionnaire are as follows:

- Sometimes it is fun to be a little bit scared.
- I like arithmetic.
- I like everyone I know.
- 27) I like to learn new words.

14. Caildren's Self-Concept Index

This test was designed to assess the degree of positive self-concept of children in primary grades. The subject's self-perception with respect to peer acceptance and positive reinforcements in the home and at school were the major areas of emphasis.

pescriptions of different children are given and the child is asked to mark the child most like h:meelf. 1 1

15. Caildren's Self-Concept Scale*

The instrument consists of 100 simple declarative statements with Likert-type scoring. Sample items from the scale are:

- Sometimes I cannot do anything right.
- 30) If I could, I would hurt my friends.
- 50) People really like me. 90) Sometimes my friends try to hurt me.

16. Citizenship Inventory

This test is one of nine tests designed for a study of quality education. The test consists of 44 item and the general item content is as follows:

- Situational ethics;
- Attitudes toward personal responsibility issues;
- Concern for democratic principles; and
- Initiation in advocating change:

17. Classroom Behavior Inventory

This test was designed to assess children's motivation to achieve in school learning. It consist 22 items and a 3 point rating scale with the descriptives of "never", "rarely", "half of the time "often", and "aimost always". The teacher is to rate the individual's motivational behavior and It consists of examples of the questions re as follows:

- a) Does he continue working when not under direct supervision?
 b) Does he try to figure things out for himself before asking for help?

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18. Coopersmith's Self-Eateem Inventory*

Inis 58-item inventory is a method of atudying aelf concept. In addition to a lie scale, the Self-Esteem Inventory has four aubacales -- self, social, home, and achool.

Students respond to simple declarative mentences by checking "like me" or "unlike me" columns. The test is scored by totaling the "like me" and "unlike me" responses for each of the four scales and then adding these together. Sample items:

- I spend a lot of time daydreaming. Someone always has to tell me what to do. It's pretty tough to be me. 15)
- 30)
- 45) If I have something to say, I usually say it.

10 Creativity

This test is one of nine tests designed for a study of quality education. The test consists of 39 items which pertain to one's willingness to take risks and engage complex ideas, curiosity, degree of self direction and extent of flexible thinking.

20. Differentiated Child Behavior Observational System (DCB)

The DCB Form is designed to provide quantitative and qualitative data regarding children's The DCB form is designed to provide quantitative and quantitative data regarding thirds werbal and non-verbal classroom behaviors. A single DCB form is used for each five-minute interval of observational recording. The observations follow a systematic course which is designed to provide representative samples of the behaviors of all the children in the classroom. The six major behavioral categories of the DCB are: Gives information; Asks questions; Expresses; Acts destructively: Organizes and manages; and Represents and symbolizes. Category III ("Expresses") includes both verbal and non-verbal behaviors which are primarily affective in content.

Examples of the behaviors included in this category are that the child expresses:

- feelings, attitudes, opinions
- b) affection, warmth, humor c) concern for others
- d) unwillingness to snare

21. Early Puril: Form

This is a 50-item Likert-style inventory directed toward pupil attitudes. It is a self-report of parcelved attraction of peers, teachers, and activities. The answer format is a three
point continuum: agree, disagree, or don't know.

22. Early School Personality Questionnaire

This 80-item questionnaire consists of thirteen scales relating to psychological variables which have been isolated through factor analysis. Examples of the scales are. reserved - outgoing, shy - venturesome; and placid - apprehensive. ESPQ was designed for group administration.

Samples of test questions are:

- 7) When your mother is angry: (a) do you feel happy anyway, or (b) do you feel like crying?
 11) Do you like to (a) tell other children what to do, or (b) do what other children want to do?

23. First.Grade Adjustment Scale

This test requires the teacher to rate each child from "1 to 5" (3 being average) on items grouped into these five major areas:

- Physical Status and Motor Behavior
- Social Behavior Emotional Behavior
- Intellectual Abilities and Behavior
- 5) Adjustment to Classroom Membership and Requirements

Examples of items are:

- 7) Willingness to share
 - 1 Unwilling to share; hasn't learned to share
 - 5 Always willing to share
- 3) Ability to follow directions
 - 1 Doesn't follow directions 5 Follows directions well
- 19) Acceptance of teacher's role
 - - 1 Rebellious against authority; defiant 5 Accepts teacher's (authority) role

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24. Frymier's Faces Scale*

This is an experimental scale designed to measure self concept and motivation of fiva to ten year old children.

Forms A and B each contain 18 questions about the child's feelings toward family, school, friends, and self. After the teacher reads each question, the child responds by placing an "X" on either the smiling or the frowning face by the item number on his answer sheet. The Faces Scale may be administered to groups.

Examples of items:

How do you feel about how healthy and strong you are?

How do you feel about how much you know? How do you feel about going to church?

·How do you feel about the way your teacher treats you?

25. How About You (IOX)

This inventory consists of ten items, each with three alternatives, that describe a person in relation to school and school work. The respondent is asked to imagine he is writing an essay about himself, and to select the descriptions which best describe him. The items present school situations; the alternatives reflect a continuum of success/failure benavior or perception of the self.

An example is:

You can probably remember most of your teachers. Most of them probably remember you as:

- A good student
- An average student
- c) A poor student

26. "How I Feel" Attitude Inventory*

This instrument assesses primary students' attitudes coward school and reading. It can be modified to measure attitudes toward many other things by simply changing the stimulus statements.

The Reading Inventory consists of 12 statements which are read to the students by the teacher. The following are examples of the statements:

"I feel this way when it is time for my reading lesson."

"I feel this way when my teacher chooses me to read aloud to the class."
"I feel this way when I meet new words while I am reading."

In response to each statement, the student circles the one of a set of six faces which portrays his feelings. In each set of six faces there are expressions of happiness, sleepiness, fear, anger, unhappiness, and indifference.

27. How I See Myself*

This self-report instrument is designed to measure dimensions of self concept. Group administrution is Possible, and instructions and items may be read by the students or by the teacher to the students. Each item consists of two diametric statements with a five-point scale between them along which the student rates himself. Sample items:

Elementary Form

Nothing get me too mad. I don't stay with things and finish them.

I get mad easily and explode. I stay with something till I finish.

28. . Intensity of Involvement Scale*

This observational method has been used in teacher-structured situations and may be equally unseful in free play situations. It entails observations five seconds in length which are then categorized according to six subjectively identified degrees of involvement. The six c tegories are described in behavioral terms to guide the observer, who records a number f r etch observation period. Briefly, the six categories are "unoccupied," "onlooking," "minimal," "minimal," "attention moderste," and "complete."

29. Interest in School

This test is one of 9 tests designed for a study of quality of education. The test consists of 17 items which correspond to the following content areas:

- perception of the school climate,
- attitude toward school assignments, and perception of the learning process.

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IOX Measures of Self Concept: Grades K-12, revised edition, 1972

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30. Junior Eysenck Personality Inventory*

This scale is designed to measure neuroticism and extroversion/introversion of children. The test consists of yes and no questions, and has three scales for scoring. Examples of items:

Do you like plenty of excitement going on around you? Do you often need kind friends to cheer you up?
Do you nearly always have a quick answer when people talk to you?

31. Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (Perceived Approval Situation)

This in triment is designed to measure self-concept by creating a situation in which students are allowed to display three aspects of self-esteem;

Sell confidence in ability.

2) Willingness to place oneself in a vulnerable social position.
 3) Confidence in other's opinion toward self.

32. Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (Television Actors)

This inventors asks the respondent to consider television roles which he would be willing to play in a fictitious television show. Eighteen items are presented, some of which would be generally considered aversive, for example, a "dirty-faced child." The respondent's score is computed simply by determining the number of roles he would be willing to play.

Tid's inventory is based on the assumption that an individual who possesses a positive selfconcept will be willing to project himself into a wider variety of roles than one who has a less strong self-concept. One who is secure in aspects of his own identity can play a make-believe role without threat. Examples are:

Will you play the part of an angel?

6) Will you play the part of a lonely child? 13) Will you play the part of a fireman?

33. Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (The Class Play) ("cimary)

This instrument asks children to pretend that they are to be selected for a play. They are asked to select the roles for which their peers would choose them. The number of "yes" responses to favorable votes indicates the total score for the respondent. The assumption is that an individual who has a positive self-concept will perceive that others would be likely to cast him in roles which carry a positive image.

There are twenty questions in this test. examples should be answered "yes" or "no":

1). Would they choose you to be a hard worker?

7) "ould they choose you to be the quitter?

11) Would they choose you to be the successful person?

34. Measure of Self-Concept (IOX) (The Class Play) (Elementary)

The elementary form of the "Class Play" is similar to the primary form with the only difference being in the format of the answer sneet.

Refer to the Measure of Self-Concept "The Class Play" for the Primary level.

35. Measure of Sulf-Concept (IOX) (Work Posting)

This is an observational instrument designed to measure self-concept. The 'eacher need merely announce the opportunity to post work after one lesson. This measure is based on the assumption that students with a positive self-concept will want to display their work and will not hesitate to do so.

36. Obscure Figures Test*

The OFT is a potentialiv useful instrument in studies concerned with creativity and curiosity I' is comprised of 40 line figures which can be perceived as representing various objects.

The respondent's task is to think of something that each figure might represent. The test may the administered individually or to groups. Working time is usually limited to 10 minutes, though many do complete the test in less time.

37. Ohio State Picture Preference Scales

OSPPS provides a nonverbal measure of creativity, delinquency-proneness, and motivation toward school. OSPPS consists of 100 items, each having a pair of pictures. For each item, the child is to choose the picture that he prefers. It is assumed that each time a respondent makes a choice, he brings his perceptual apparatus and his previous experience to bear on the decision involved and "projects" himself into the response, at least to some degree.

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38. Parental Approval Index (IOX) (Primary)

The inventory attempts to assess the extent to which a child values himself as monditionally accepted by his mother. This is a twenty item inventory which asks the respondents whether 1) their mothers would approve and 2) how they would fael about them as they engaged in the ten actions presented. The students respond by marking "yes" or "no" on their response sheet. Example:

- Would your mother approve if you had just been caught telling a lie? Would your mother dislike you if you had just helped around the house without being told?
- 39. Parent il Approval Index (IOX) (Elementary)

Inds brief ten item inventory is based on the same principle as the Parental Approval Index for the primary grades. The tests differ only in the format of the answer sheet. With this test, the child is asked to respond to the question as follows: "like me, dislike me, wouldn't care." Points are assigned to each response in this way:

Like me = 2 Dislike me = 1 Wouldn't rare = 0

An example los

l) If you had just been caught telling a lie, what would your mother think about what you did? Approve Not Approve Wouldn't Care How would your mother feel about you as a person?
Like me Dislike me Wouldn't Care

Refer to Parental Approval Index for primary for further details.

40. Personal Record of School Experience (PROSE)

PROSE is an observation instrument particularly relevant to the experiences young children have in primary classrooms. Items on the sheet which refer to the affective development of the target child include: helped another pupil, comforted another pupil, showed affection for another pupil, received help or affection, showed hostility toward an adult and showed affection for an adult. Observations are recorded on a sheet which can be read by an optical scanning device and transferred to magnetic tape for computer processing.

41. Personality Rating Scale*

This scale may be used with all school age subjects (K-12) to appraise 22 areas of personality. The wording of items is at the third-grade level so that most subjects may complete the scale unaided; however, below the third grade it is necessary for the administrator to ask the subjects questions and record their responses.

Each student rates several of his classmates, and himself. Then each student is given all ratings made of him, he averages the ratings, and constructs a personality profile for himself.

In the third grade or above, the scale can be group-administered in 30 to 40 minutes with each child rating 19 to 15 others. Items are in the form of questions, and responses are based on 10-point continua.

The following are examples of items:

 (Intelligence)
 very dull
 average
 very bright

 2. How bright or intelligent is he?
 1. 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

 (Courtesy)
 very impolite
 average
 always polities

 3. How polite and well-mannered is he?
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

42. Pictorial Self-Concept Scale for Children in K-4

The Pictorial Seli-Concept Scale consists of 50 picture cards with simplified line drawings. A central figure is designated by a star and depicted in various aituations. The child sorts the cards into three piles indicating that the starred figure is "like me", "sometimes like me", or "not like me."

43. Piers-Harris Self-Concept Scale

This instrument consists of 80 declarative statements for which the subject responds "ves" or 'no" to indicate whether or not they apply to him. Through factor analysis the following six major dimensions were identified: behavior, general and academic status, phoical appearance and attributes, anxiety, popularity, and happiness and astisfaction. This scale is appropriate for students in the third grade and above. In grades three, four, five, and six the statements should be read to the students; only in the seventh grade and above should students be left to read to themselves.

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43. Piers-Harris Self-Concept Scala* cont'd

Some of the items from the acale are:

- 1) My classmates make fun of me.
- I have good ideas. 16)
- 31) In school I am a dreamer
- 46) I am among the last to be chosen for games.
 61) When I try to make something, everything seems to go wrong.
- I cry easily.

44. Preparing for a Changing World

This test is one of 9 tests designed for a study of quality education. The test consists of 29 items which require students to project themselves into the future and indicate their degree of comfort with sweeping changes in societal regulations. Content includes the perceived importance of continued education in coping with change, opinions regarding changes in school, work and travel regulations and attitude toward change in school setting and instructional methods.

45. Primary Academic Sentiment Scale (PASS)

The purpose of the instrument is to assess the attitudes of pre-school and young school children toward learning and school.

The test consists of a small booklet given to each child and a set of questiona read by the teacher. The child is instructed to circle the picture of the object or activity he likes bost.

PASS may be administered by untrained personnel to groups of children who reapond nonverbally to stimulus statements read by the tester. Procedures are detailed in the manual.

This checklist of 237 child problems has been used in child psychopathology and paychotherapy, mainly in research studies and in pre- and post-therapy. It is self-administrative and scoring is simply a tabulation of problems checked.

47. Pupil Creativity Q Sort*

The pupil is given 50 cards, each with a statement that can be used to describe a person'a concept of himself in terms of traits that are exhibited by creative people. He is to arrange the cards in nine piles, from most like himself to least like himself, with the following numbers of cards in each pile:

1 2 5 10 14 10 5 2 1

Some of the 50 statements are:

- 5) I am interested in what everyone else does.
- I value myself highly and I value others as highly as myself. 10)
- I am more comfortable when I am with reople than when alone. I seldom engage in any activity that is not safe.
- 30) I am guided by what other people expect of me.

48. Pupil Opinion Form

The Pupil Opinion Form contains three separate measures:

- 1) a 39 item attitude inventory which measures the pupil's attraction toward ego-risk and independence.
- a 24 item attitude inventory which measures the pupil's self-concept; this measure involves the three vantage points of self perception: (1) the self as viewed by the self, (2) the self as the self believes others perceive the self, and (3) the self as it compares to others. They use these concepts to appraise themselves: (1) the physical being, (2) the intellectual being, (3) the emotional being, and (4) social baing. This test is a 24 item Likert-style attitude invantory.
- 3) and item attitude inventory which measures the pupil's attitude toward his school.

Reading Percepts Interview Schedule*

This is an information-gathering technique designed to help assess children's perceptions of the reading acc. The schedule is individually administered and the interviews range from 15 to 40 minutes in length. Interviews are scored by empirically derived categories.

50. School Attitude Q Sort!

This Q Sort contains 60 items. It is designed to measure the subject's attitudes toward schooling, authority-discipline and schoolwork.

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51. School Attitude Scale (Faces Inventory) (First grade)

This 18 item faces inventory was developed to measure children's attitudes toward school. The student responds to each item by marking the face that indicates how he would feel in a given situation. Examples of items are:

- 3) This is how I feel when we learn to real.
 4) This is how I feel when we sing songs in school.
 5) I feel like this when I talk to my teacher.

52. School Attitude Scale (Faces Inventory) (Primary)

Ini. 30 item inventory has the same format as the School Attitude Scale for first graders.

Examples of items are:

25) I feel like this when I tell my classmates about my ideas.

28) This is how I feel when my parents find out how I am doing in school.

53. School Morale Scale*

This instrument assesses seven different areas of school morale - School Building, Instruction and Instructional Materials, Teacher-Student Relationships, Community Support and Parental Involvement, Relationships with Other Students, Administration and Regulations, and General Feelings About School.

The scale is composed of 84 items for which the student marks either "agree" or "disagree."

54. School Sentiment Index (IOX) (Primary)

This test deals with a child's feelings towards school work, school activities, teachers and classmates. The child responds to each item by marking "true" or "untrue."

Examples of items are:

My teacher grades too hard.

It is nard for me to stay happy at school because I wish I could be somewhere else.

My class is too crowded.

I like to stay home from school.

55. School Sentiment Index (IOX) (Elementary)

See description for School Sentiment Index (Primary Level).

Self Appraisal Inventory (IOX) (Primary)

This direct self report device attempts to secure a child's responses to questions which pertain to four aspects of the self concept. Three of the four dimensions (family, peer, scholastic) are viewed as arenas in which one's self concept has been (or is being) formed. A fourth dimension reflects a more general, global estimate of self esteem.

This inventory consists of thirty-six questions to be asked of children. Children respond to each question as it is read by putting a mark through "yes" or "no" on their response sheets.

Examples:

General: "Are you a good child?"

Family: "Are you an important person in your family?"

Peer: "Mould you rather play with friends younger than you?"

Scholastic: "Can you get good grades if you want to?"

57. Self Appraisal Inventory (TOX) (Elementary)

This inventory is based on the same principle as the self-appraisal inventory for the primary grides. The tests differ in the difficulty of the questions and format of the answer sheet.

The inventory consists of seventy-seven statements to which students respond "true" or "untrue". The statements may be read independently by the students or orally by the teacher, depending on the student's reading ability.

Examples:

General: "I can always be trusted."

Family: "I often get into trouble at home."

Peer: "Most children have fewer friends than I do."

Scholastic: "School work is fairly easy for me."

Refer to Self Appraisal Inventory for the primary grades for further details.

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58. Self-Concept as a Learner*

The scale consists of 36 statements which pertain to four categories - motivation, intellectual ability, task orientation, and class membership. Students circle "yes" by statements they agree with and "no" by those they disagree with. One point is scored by each correct answer.

Examples of items:

"I usually like to go to achool." "I get my work done on time."

"I do well on tests."
"I find it hard to talk to classmates."

The test may be administered to groups with the statements being rand aloud by the teacher or by the students thamselves.

59. Self-Concept as a Learner (Elementary Scale)*

The purpose of this instrument is to assess a person's views of himself as a class member, a task-oriented individual, a problem solver, and a motivated individual.

Results correlate fairly well with the California Test of Personality.

60. Self-Concept of Ability*

This self-rating scale in two forms, A (general) and B (specific), consists of eight questions related to school solity. The eight questions are the same in both forms, but the answer formats are different. In form A the subject rates himself on a five-point scale in answer to each question; in Form B the subject rates himself four times, in regard to mathematics, to English, to social studies, and to science, for

61. Specific and Global Self-Concept*

The instrument purports to measure specific as well as global self concept, e.g., "myself as a student," "myself as a reader." It consists of nine scales, each of which presents five steps along a continuum between two diametric adjectives, e.g., very strong, somewhat strong, average, somewhat weak, very weak. Possible score on each scale ranges from one to five. Total score is the sum of scores on all nine scales.

The instrument has the following instructions at the top: "Circle the term in each row which best describes

62. Stanford Research Institute - Classroom Observation Instrument (SRI - COI)

The SRI-COI was developed for a study of Follow Through and non-Follow Through Classrooms. It has three major parts: 1) a section for describing the physical environment, the pobservational Summary Form (OSF), 2) a Classroom Checklist of Activities (CCL), and 3) a Five-Minute Interaction Observation (FMO) form. The FMO is completed four times an hour and answers four questions about action: 1) Who does it?, 2) To whom is it done?, 3) What is done?, and 4) How is it done?. Four items referring to the affective aspects of an interaction between people or with materials are found in the code used for answering the question, "How is it done?".

63. SWCEL Student Questionnaire*

This is a test designed to assess "non-cognitive (personality, motivation) characteristics of first grade pupils." It is an interview technique consisting of six parts (a) test/school anxiety, (b) sex role identification, (c) self-esteem. (d) acquiescence;
(e) gratification delay; and (f) individual mastery.

Responses to the items are either yes-no or very short answers. The interviewer records responses directly on the questionnaire form.

Sample items are:

"Do you like to take toys to school and show them to the children?"

"Do you think you will pass to the second grade?"
"Each circle stands for some person, which one are you?"

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"Would you rather have a penny today or wait until tomorrow for 5c?"

64. The Faces Inventory

This 32 item instrument is designed to measure children's attitudes toward certain situations in their lives. The child responds to items by marking one of the four faces that depict these moods; very sad, s little sad, a little happy and very happy.

Examples of test from are:

"How do you feel when you go to the zoo?"

"How do you feel when you go to the doctor?"
"How do you feel when you learn to read in school?"

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65. The Story of Jimmy

The Institute of Child Study Sscurity Test called "The Story of Jimmy" is organised around the concept of accurity. The test is designed to obtain a measure of sacurity as revealed by the child's pattern of security development. The test also provides a measure of the child's consistency in dealing with the current aignificant events of his life.

The test is in story form and describes a day's events as thay happen to "Jimmy."

An example is:

"Jimmy arrived at school. The grounds were empty and everyone was in class.....

Jimmy felt that he might have to give the teacher some explanation for being late.

He wasn't too sure what he would say. Jimmy wondered whether to:

| | | he would try his best to plan not to be late sgain | Ç |) | |
|---|----------|--|----|---|---|
| ٠ | count on | the teacher not asking for an explanation | ١. | , | |
| | | teacher that he slept in | (|) | |
| | | teacher wouldn't be angry at him | (|) | |
| ٠ | sav that | it wasn't his fault he was late | (|) | • |

66. The Story of Tommy

This test has the same objectives and administrative form as "The Story of Jimmy", but is designed for the primary level. See the description for the test, "The Story of Jimmy."

67. Torrance Test of Creative Thinking*

These tests assess various kinds of creative functioning, various types of creative development, and outcomes of experimental materials and methods. They are also useful in identifying certain types of creative potentialities.

Individual administration is necessary with kindergarteners through third graders, except with the figural tests. All other tests may be group administered.

68. Understanding Others

This test is one of 9 tests designed for a study of the quality of education.

The test consists of 9 items which pertain to attitudes toward those who differ in race, religion, and economic status.

69. Van Looy's Expectancy Scale*

This scale was designed to measure pupils' self-expectations and their perceptions of their parents', teachers', and peers' expectations of them. The scale can be administered to groups, and no time limit is imposed. It consists of 48 items such as the following:

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| | I am expected: | parent* | teacher | friends | nyself |
|-----|----------------------|-------------|---------|---------|--------|
| 1) | To take care of my | | | | |
| | personal property | | | | |
| 2) | Not to fight | | | - | |
| 17) | To be popular | _ | _ | _ | · — |
| | To finish a job once | | | | _ |
| | I've started it | | _ | | |

by my

Students make four responses to each item according to a scale with five levels - never, sometimes, about half the time, most of the time, always.

70. Vocational Development Inventory

This test is one of 9 tests designed for a study of the Quality of education. The test consists of 39 items which measure maturity of attitudes toward a career choice and the development of educational/occupational plans. The relative importance of work and the satisfaction derived are also measured.

71. What I am Like*

This is a self-rating scale based on Osgood's concept of the semantic differential. It should be used only for group comparisons, not for individual pupil diagnosis.

The instrument consists of three subtests, each containing 10 items. The first, "What I Look Like," consists of adjectives characterizing physical attributes (short-tail, clean-dirty, awake-sleepy, etc.). The second, "What I Am," attempts to measure self-image from a psychological point of view (happy-sad, somebody-nobody, bold-shy, etc.). The third, "What I Am Like When I Am with My Friends," concerns accial attributes (give-receive, agree-fight, follower-leader, etc.). Five-point bipolar scales are used in each subtest.

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72. What Would You Do? (10X)

This inventory presents eighteen fictitious situations, each followed by four actions or interpretatione. The person completing the inventory is eaked to choose one of the four alternatives that is most like what he would think or do. Two of the four choices ere designed to reflect the behavior or thoughts of one who possesses a positive self concept, two choices to reflect the behavior or thoughts of one with a negative self concept.

The items in the instrument deal with the following dimensions: (s) accommodating to others, (b) expectations of acceptance, (c) courage to express opinions, (d) willingness to participate, (e) expectation of success.

An example is as follows:

"Your club is planning to put on a puppet show. You want to...

- work a puppet
 paint the scenery
 watch the show
 not have to do anything" A) B) C) D)

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