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Quality early childhood schooling can make a great contribution to the physical, social and emotional improvement of the child, which include the acquisition of languages and early literacy.

The first eight years of a child's life are a period of tremendous growth and development. Brain connections increase exponentially in the first three years, and the chances of optimal development are very high by age eight. It is imperative to take full advantage of and strengthen this true “window of opportunity” to ensure long-term benefits for the growth of individual children as well as for the wider community. Much of the development of the human brain occurs after birth through interaction with the environment. The effects of early experience have a greater impact on development than on heredity.

Meaning of ECE

Early Childhood Education (ECE) is generally defined as the care and education of children from birth to eight years. It includes:

* Early Encouragement programmes through home provocation for 0–3-year-olds.
* Early childhood education (ECE) programmes for 3–6-year-olds.
* Early Primary Education Programmes as part of schooling for 6–8-year-olds.

Objective of ECE

• Develop a child's physique, proper muscle coordination, and basic motor skills.

• Develop a child's health habits and acquire the basic skills necessary for personal adaptation. B. Change of clothes, meals, laundry, cleaning, etc.

• Develop desirable social attitudes and behaviours to promote healthy group participation and make children sensitive to the rights and privileges of others.

• Develop emotional maturity by guiding children to express, understand, accept, and control their emotions and feelings.

• Promote aesthetic evaluation.

• By providing opportunities for exploration, research and experimentation, it stimulates intellectual curiosity, helps us understand the world in which they live, and encourages new interests.

• Foster independence and creativity by providing children with ample opportunities for self-expression. When

• Develop a child's ability to express their thoughts and feelings in fluent, accurate and clear language.