I.R.E ITEM DEVELOPMENT AND ITEM SPECIFICATION.

Items can either be;

- Scenario
- Text

Item development is a process that describes how items are developed.

Characteristics of an item.

- Problem
- Task
- What and how to assess students

PRINCIPLES OF ITEM SPECIFICATION.

- Concise; gives clear information in a few words
- Clear; understand properly
- Complete; it should have all the necessary information to help the learner handle the tasks effectively
- Consistent

CHARACTERISTICS OF A GOOD SCENARIO.

- Clear
- Valid
- Reliable
- Consistent
- Meaningful

COMPONENTS OF A SCENARIO

- Introduction
- Problem
- Support information
- Task

ELEMENTS OF A GOOD SCENARIO

• Objective in mind

- Fairly clear
- Main characters with in the scenario
- There should be characters
- It should be related to the elements of construct.

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