

Questions for Discussion for ECE412, Social Studies for Young Children (Face to Face Tutorial – 8th of October)

Topic 1: Discuss the importance of studying humanities among children.

Topic 2: Why should we teach critical thinking to kindergarten children? Suggest critical thinking activities for preschool children.

Topic 3: Why teach economics to young children? Suggest one activity to teach 'opportunity cost' to kindergarten children.

Topic 4: Describe how you would teach the following topics to the preschool children: (a) Neighbourhood, (b) National Flower, (c) Malaysian Flag, (d) Malaysia National's animal

Topic 5: Why should children learn history? Explain with examples how to make learning history fun for preschool children.

Topic 6: Suggest learning activities for the following geography concepts/ideas:

Geography Concept/ideas	Learning Activities
1. Direction	
2. Maps	
3. Location	
4. Weather	

Topic 7: What are the benefits of environmental education to young children? Suggest learning activities for teaching environmental education to children.

Topic 8: Describe a learning activity to teach each of the topic: (a) People of Malaysia. (b) Traditional Costumes, (c) Malaysian food.

Topic 9: How do you inculcate the following values in the teaching and learning activities of young children: (a) Honesty, (b) Kindness

Topic 10: Differentiate between formative and summative assessment