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ORGANISED BY : CBSE,COE, DELHI WEST
THEME : WORKING WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES
RESOURCE PERSON : MS.HEMA KALAKOTI (EDUCATIONIST)
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Webinar report on topic” **WORKING WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES**” organised by **CBSE,TRAINING HEADQUARTERS** by resource person **MS.HEMA KALAKOTI (EDUCATIONIST)** focusses on following main points-

Initiative for improvement of working with learning disabilities:

- Inclusive education
- Persons with disability act
- Serva Shiksha Abhiyan
- RTE
- Department of empowerment of persons with disabilities Accessible Indian complain
- Divyagyan schemes

Other prevailing terms which are used for person with disabilities:

- impairment
- handicap
- special child
- differently abled
- children with special needs
- Divyang

Knowing various disabilities:

- locomotor disability
- acid attack victim
- leprosy cured person dwarfism
- Muscular dystrophy Visual impairment
- hearing impairment
- speech and language disability
- intellectual disability Autism spectrum disorder
- mental illness
- multiple sclerosis

What is learning disabilities?

Learning disabilities means a heterogeneous group of conditions where there is a deficit in processing language, spoken or written that may manifest itself as a difficulty to comprehend speak, read, write, spell or to do mathematical calculations.

learning disabilities include:

- Dyslexia(difficulty with reading)
- Dysgraphia (difficulty with writing)
- Dcalculia (difficulty with maths)
- Dyspraxia (difficulty with fine Motor skills) Development aphasia (difficulty with language)

What learning disabilities are not:

- learning problem due to deficiency in the sensory or motor organs and emotional or environmental issues are not considered as a learning disabilities
- learning disability is not mental retardness
- some children may not be interested in specific types of learning
- some may begin as slow learners

Can learning disability be cured?

Learning disability is not a disease and cannot be cured. However early diagnosis and ongoing intervention can improve adaptive functioning throughout one's childhood and into adulthood. With ongoing support and intervention, children with learning disabilities can learn to do many things.

How do you teach students with learning disabilities in classroom?

- Collaborate with entire team
- know that each child is unique
- identify how child learn best
- structure lesson plans to support inclusivity communicate clearly with student and parent
- break down the content allowing kids to move while learning
- provide additional rest periods
- use accommodation and modification to get to the learning targets
- make feedback immediate

Really, it was totally knowledgeable session as it reflects the knowledge about disabled students and their mode of teaching.

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