

(80-83) Read the following passage and answer the questions .

Each family these days has fewer children than before. Anus. parents and teachers, want out children to be better than us. Academic studies have become the focus of life for a child. All parents feel that their child should perform well, get good grades to ensure a brilliant future. All other matters are of secondary importance.

Teachers put pressure on the child when the child fails to perform well. Parents blame the teachers for the poor grades of their wards. The child is at the receiving end from both sides, and starts

showing behaviour problems. Matters seem to go downhill on all fronts.

Research has revealed that all children do not learn at the same place or by the same method. Some are quick on the uptake but bad at reproducing on paper. Some seem to learn fast and forget quickly. Others seem to have a mental block that prevents them from learning. Unfortunately our education system tries to equalise all of them. This results in some children getting left behind much to the anguish of parents and the irritation of teachers.

80. Which of the following would be the most suitable title to this passage?

- 1) Importance of good academic performance
- 2) Child's academic performance and problems
- 3) Parental pressure on children
- 4) Good grades for children

81. What do the parents expect of their children?

- 1) Children should do well at examinations
- 2) Children should be obedient and courteous
- 3) Children should grow healthy and strong
- 4) Children should relax and enjoy?

82. Why do children show behaviour problems at school?

- 1) Children are not disciplined
- 2) Children are jealous of their classmates
- 3) Parents and teachers put pressure on the children
- 4) Parents and teachers neglect the children

83. Why do not all children perform equally well?

- 1) Some children are weak while others are strong
- 2) Parents and teachers are impatient with them
- 3) Schools do not work well
- 4) Children have different methods of learning