

MICROTEACHING



INTRODUCTION

- ❖ The art of teaching is a complex process, which is not limited to transferring of knowledge from one to another.
- ❖ It requires good verbal and non-verbal skills. It includes various techniques in order to transfer knowledge effectively.
- ❖ With the vast growth in all sectors, effective teaching skills are in great demand. Therefore, due to this demand, the concept of micro teaching came into action.
- ❖ It is a new innovative program for teachers, which enhances their classroom attitude and behaviour.



FEATURES OF MICRO-TEACHING

- ❑ Micro-teaching is relatively a new innovation in the field of teacher education
- ❑ Real teaching: Micro-teaching is real teaching but focuses on developing teaching skills.
- ❑ Scaled down teaching: Micro-teaching is a scaled down teaching:
 - (i) To reduce the class size to 5-10 pupils.
 - (ii) To reduce the duration of period to 5-10 minutes.
 - (iii) To reduce the size of the lesson.
 - (iv) To reduce the teaching skill.



SKILLS OF MICRO TEACHING

- Introduction Skill
- Skill of Probing Questions
- Skill of Explanation
- Skill of Stimulus Variation
- Skill of Blackboard Writing
- Skill of reinforcement
- Skill of using Teaching and Learning Aids
- Skill of Achieving Closure



SKILL OF ACHIEVING CLOSURE

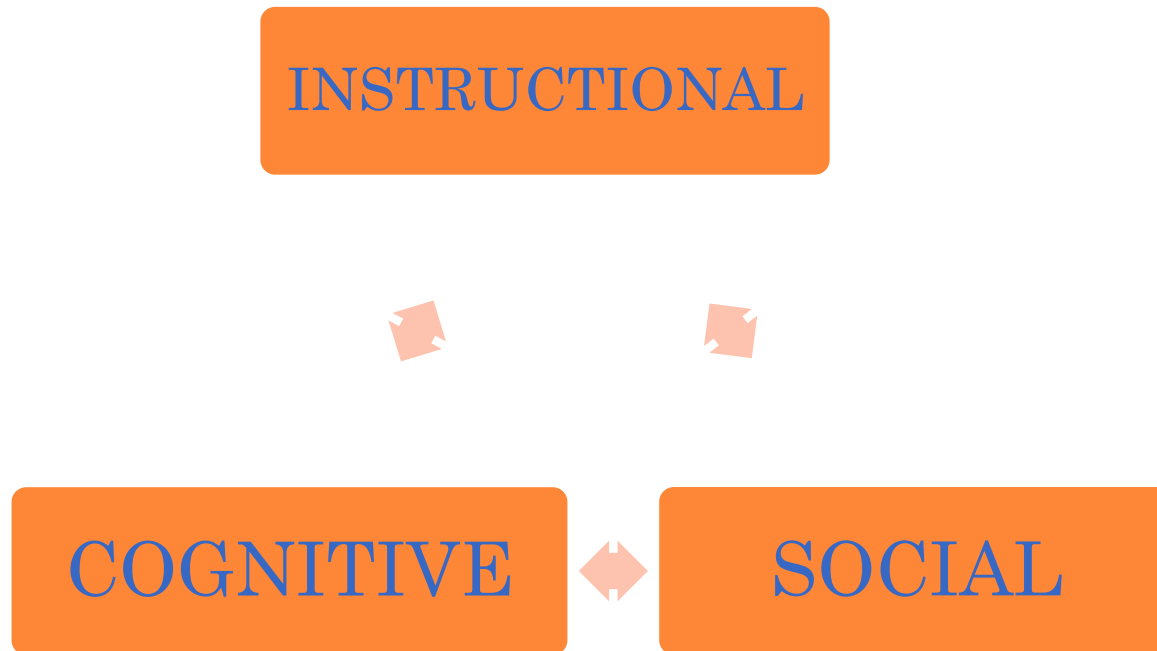
- ❑ Summing up the lecture in a proper and attractive way.
- ❑ A teacher begins the lesson with set induction and ends with closure
- ❑ Closure is concerned with the ways of closing the teaching and learning process.

ACHIEVING CLOSURE OF THE LESSON

- ❖ Summarization
- ❖ Establishing link between the present learning with earlier as well future learning.
- ❖ Creating a sense of achievement in pupils.



TYPES OF CLOSURE



- **INSTRUCTIONAL CLOSURE** – Instructional closure is reached when the lesson is completed and the teacher shows the link between past knowledge and the new knowledge.
- **COGNITIVE CLOSURE** – Cognitive closure is reached when the students have reached closure and have made the link between old and new knowledge.
- **SOCIAL CLOSURE** – Social closure is the act of giving pupils a feeling of achievement after a lesson and encouraging them to continue to strive and make improvements.





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