

**GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING, 2ND YEAR, COURSE-11(D), UNIT -02,
TECHNIQUES AND PROCEDURES OF GUIDANCE, -----BY RAJU KUMAR
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2.5.2 Achievement Tests

You have been using these tests to assess student's performance in school subjects. All unit, semester and terminal examination tests are nothing but achievement tests. These tests focus on skills or abilities that are traditionally taught in the schools. Therefore, achievement tests may be defined as tools designed to measure the degree of student learning in specific curriculum areas common to most schools, such as Mathematics, English usages, etc.

Achievement tests are used as learning measures of

- (1) the amount of learning,
- (2) the rate of learning,
- (3) comparisons with others or with achievement of self in other areas,
- (4) level of learning in sub-areas, and
- (5) strengths and weakness in a subject matter area because of their extensive use and relatively easy task of identifying appropriate context measures.

**HOME WORK (ASSIGNMENT) FOR B.Ed. STUDENTS OF A.N.D. COLLEGE
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Notes: a) Write your answers in the space given below.

- Write the importance and need of achievement tests in school in brief.

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