



Cotswold Edge Sixth Form



Subject:	CPLD @ BGS	Assessment Point 1 - Coursework
Title of the project:	Child Development	
Due date:	First lesson back September 2019	
Learning skills and their place in the specification	Knowledge, application, analysis and evaluation	
Specification link	http://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/BTEC-Nationals/Childrens-Play-Learning-and-Development/2016/specification-and-sample-assessments/9781446938256_BTECNationals_CPLD_ExtCert_Spec_Iss2v3_S9.pdf	
Tasks set	<p>Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chomsky's theory of language• Skinner's theory of operant conditioning• Bandura's social learning theory• Vygotsky's Zone of Actual/Proximal Development (ZAD/ZPD) <p>Design a revision sheet for each. Read the scenario</p> <p><u>Family background information</u></p> <p>Alexi is three years old. Nadia is aged seven. They live with their parents. They have just moved to a small, rented run-down cottage in a rural area. The family moved to the United Kingdom two years ago and English is their second language. The parents do not speak English at home. The parents do seasonal work for local farmers. They eat fresh local food that is supplied by the farms. The family moves house every year to live where there is available work. They have few possessions, and the children have limited toys and books.</p> <p><u>Alexi</u></p> <p>Alexi enjoys playing ball games in the fields with other boys. Usually the boys play well together, taking turns and sharing when playing. Alexi is very pleased with himself when he scores a goal. Alexi copies his friends and enjoys their company but does not play with his sister's friends when they visit. Alexi imitates the boys' use of the English language and this has expanded his English vocabulary, however one of the boys has been using bad language, which Alexi has also picked up.</p>	

	<p><u>Nadia</u> Nadia is withdrawn; she has low self-confidence and can get extremely angry when she is criticised by her parents. She knows right from wrong and whilst at home seeks to please her parents. She can dress herself. Nadia is frequently away from school with infections.</p> <p><u>The Village Primary School</u> Nadia and Alexi have just started attending a small village school. Alexi is in the nursery class and is just getting to know Mrs Batt, his teacher. Alexi enjoys indoor play and usually follows Mrs Batt's instructions. Alexi enjoys story time and has an estimated vocabulary of 150 words of English, using two-word phrases. On one particular occasion, he used bad language in front of Mrs Batt and was told off for it. He has never used bad language since. Alexi enjoys playing with other children and in particular likes role play. Nadia is in the infant class but lacks confidence and needs a lot of encouragement to carry out tasks. She is behind in both literacy and maths due to her many absences. Mr Green, her teacher, is attempting to put strategies in place to enable Nadia to catch up. Nadia is good at running and almost always wins races on sports day. Nadia loves to dance and her excellent balance enables her to ride a two wheeler bike. She can perform handstands and is eager to improve her dance movements.</p>
How this links to the exam specification	Research, application, analysis
How to complete the task:	<p>Apply your research to answer the following questions:</p> <p>1 (a) Identify two examples that indicate Alexi's English language development is not meeting the norms for his age. (b) Describe two ways Chomsky's theory of language may be used to understand Alexi's English language development.</p> <p>2 Describe two ways Skinner's theory of operant conditioning could be used to support Nadia's behaviour.</p> <p>3 Describe two ways Bandura's social learning theory could be used to understand how Alexi learns from his friends.</p> <p>4 Nadia is seven years old and is in Mr Green's class. Analyse how her teacher can use Vygotsky's theory to help him support Nadia's literacy skills.</p>
Resources or links	Internet or text books
Staff contact and email address:	khuggins@brimsham.com
Number of learning hours it will take to complete	Minimum 10 hours