

Our Sense Organs

LESSON PLAN

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

The students

- learn about the human sense organs
- learn about the functions of the sense organs

TEACHING AIDS

A chart paper having pictures of sense organs, pictures of sense organs of different pets and domestic animals, blackboard, chalk, duster, etc.

TEACHING STRATEGY

- First the teacher will show the picture given in 'Warm Up'. He/She will ask the question given here and may explain the objective of the question.
- The teacher, then, will show the pictures with names of the sense organs to the students. He/She may follow the interactive ways of teaching by showing his/her or any student's sense organs.
- The teacher, then, will tell about the function of the sense organs in detail with some activities, e.g., blindfolding a student, to ask him/her to read a line, thus, proving that we need eyes to see.
- The teacher may take help of a burning incense stick to show the function of nose.
- In each and every case, the teacher will involve the students and will make the class interactive.

BOOST UP

- The teacher may show a chart paper containing labelled human sense organs. He/She may show another chart paper containing labelled sense organs of pet animals and domestic animals for comparison.
- The teacher may narrate the extraordinary functions of sense organs of some animals, e.g. sniffing ability of a dog, smelling power of the nose of an elephant, etc.
- The teacher can recite the following rhyme and asking the sense organs associated with the activities referred in the rhyme:

THERE'S A FLOWER

There's a flower
Somewhere
I know it's there
I can see
I can hear
I can touch
I can taste
Its honey paste
I can smell
I can tell
It's a soft petal.
There's a flower
In my mind
You cannot find.

- The teacher will explain the information given in the 'Knowledge Zone'.
- The exercises will help the students learn and check their understanding.
- The HOTS gives a scope to learn about the sense organs, their activities and how to protect them more efficiently.
- Activities listed under 'Let Us Do' offer outdoor activities that should be carried out.

EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

The students are able to

- identify the human sense organs
- name the human sense organs
- learn the functions of our sense organs
- take care of their sense organs
- identify the sense organs of pet animals and domestic animals

EVALUATIVE QUESTIONS

The teacher may ask the following questions for evaluating his/her students.

1. How many sense organs do we have?
2. Name our sense organs.
3. What is the function of eyes?
4. What helps us taste a lemon?
5. What helps us tell whether a piece of ice is cold?