

Children Coping

Definition

The child's ability to demonstrate a behavior, or series of behaviors that permit the child to appropriately resolve a stressful situation by the successful management of environmental factors.



The Teacher's Role



To engineer the environment so that the student is able to focus on a limited range of stressful situations and has the opportunity to deal with these successfully. That is, the student is able to demonstrate, at least an approximating behavior, and receives supportive feedback and reinforcement.