

# Making teacher education relevant for 21st century Africa



## What is meant by LCE?

Indicate whether you think each of these statements about learner-centred education (LCE) are true (T) or false (F).

1. 'Learner-centred' means that the pupils are in charge.
2. 'Learner-centred' means taking account of the needs of all pupils.
3. 'Learner-centred' means taking account of what pupils already know.
4. If you are teaching in a learner-centred way, you do not need to plan your lessons.
5. In a learner-centred lesson there will always be a lot of noise.
6. A learner-centred teacher believes that all children can learn.
7. If pupils are working in groups then the lesson must be learner-centred.
8. Learner-centred approaches are not possible with large classes.
9. Good learner-centred lessons require a lot of planning.
10. Learner-centred lessons always require a lot of resources.
11. Learner-centred means not telling pupils when they are wrong.
12. A learner-centred teacher encourages pupils to talk about their ideas.

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