

Reinforcement

- A. What are the four types of reinforcement?
- 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
- B. Name at least two positive reinforcers a teacher can give students.
- 1.
 - 2.
- C. What is the hierarchy of positive reinforcers?
- D. Tell what category of reinforcement each of these statements are—positive, negative, or extinction:
1. To change a behavior you are not pleased with to something you are more pleased with.
 2. If I use this behavior, I will probably see the behavior occurring more and more often and then just drop off.
 3. If I said, “That’s a horrible thing you’re doing there,” I indicate I want to get rid of the horrible thing and make it something I desire.
 4. If you want to maintain or strengthen some behavior, which one might you consider?
- E. Terms to define:
1. Extinction
 2. Negative reinforcer
 3. Positive reinforcer
 4. Reinforcement
 5. Tangible reinforcer