BATTERY OF TESTS FOR EVALUATION OF MOTOR ABILITIES AT 7 YEARS OLD CHILDREN

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ABSTRACT

Motor abilities are one of the basic criteria for evaluation of the effects of physical education teaching process and also an objective manner to determine the students' final achievement. Motor tests used to estimate motor abilities are related to children's age. Every age period requires standardized motor tests. Therefore, the aim of this paper is to suggest a battery of tests with suitable for evaluation of motor abilities at 7 years old children. The research is conducted at sample of 123 examinees, 7 years old male children, pupils in second grade in five primary schools in Skopje, Republic of Macedonia. 33 motor tests were used for estimation of nine motor abilities. Tests characteristics: discriminativity, reliability, validity and representativity were determined using adequate statistic procedures and methods. According the obtained result, a battery of 12 motor tests with significant metric characteristics it's proposed as adequate for further use in evaluation of motor abilities at 7 year old children.

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