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I Read the following then answer the questions

Things to be learned can be learned rapidly, slowly or not at all depending on a number of factors governing learning. The educator is interested in such factors because they determine how efficiently education can proceed. Psychologists are interested in them for what they contribute to an understanding of the learning process. The principal factors affecting the rate of the learning can be divided into three main groups: 1. those lying within the individual, 2. the methods used in learning, and 3. the meaningfulness of the material to be learned. We are going to examine the first of these groups.

Individual factors. Individuals differ in all sorts of ways, many of which have little to do with learning ability. Those that do influence learning fall into five main categories: intelligence, chronological age, motivation, previous learning and anxiety.

Attempt the following:

1-Why are educators and psychologists interested in the factors of learning?