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New addition is a summary of the *keynote (special) address* delivered by **Prof. Pon Subbiah, CIIL, Mysore** at a seminar on *Effective Teaching, Engaged Learning* organised by the *Curriculum Planning & Development Division* of the **Ministry of Education, Government of Singapore** on 6th September, 2006 . Hundreds of teachers and educationists participated.

The following are the highlights of the 45 minute address made in Tamil with bilingual illustrations :

-  begins with a briefing on the essentials of evaluation in the context of effective teaching and engaged learning
-  elucidates the intricacies often encountered while teaching a language in different contexts and situations
-  enumerates the areas of inadequacy that proliferate the problems of assessment in language education
-  examines the academic ramifications that have arisen from the assumptions and ambiguous statements in the syllabus document
-  explores the possibility of making the content-inputs and the consequential effects more explicit and self explanatory
-  suggests ways & means to enhance the quality of teaching by adopting the system of evaluation as a method of teaching so that it could facilitate engaged learning
-  provides a glossary of about 250 technical terms along with nearest Tamil equivalents as part of clarifying the interdisciplinary concepts

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*Comments / queries of the viewers either on the **concepts** or on the **terminology** are welcome. These may be sent through **FAQ** which will be attended to on a **fortnightly** basis.*

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