



THE EVOLUTION OF PEDAGOGY: “FROM TRADITIONAL TO PROGRESSIVE METHODS”

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***Annotation:** This article analyzes the process of transition of pedagogy from traditional methods to progressive methods. As the educational system is constantly evolving, pedagogical approaches are also adapting to the needs of the times. While traditional pedagogy methods have been more teacher-centered, progressive approaches tend to be learner-centered. The article covers such issues as encouraging student activity, using interactive methods, and the importance of technology. The introduction of new pedagogical technologies is emphasized for the future development of pedagogy.*

***Key words:** pedagogy, traditional methods, progressive methods, education, teacher, student, technology, methods, innovation, development, interactive, modern approach, future.*

Introduction

The history of pedagogy goes back centuries, and along with the development of society, its main approaches have also changed. In the past, educational processes were based on more traditional methods, where the teacher was considered the main source, and knowledge was transmitted to students in one direction, that is, from the top down. In this approach, students' creative and independent thinking was limited.

Today, as a result of the globalization of education and the development of technologies, pedagogical approaches are changing significantly. Progressive approaches are based on increasing students' activity, developing their thinking, problem solving and teamwork skills. These methods aim to make the educational process more interactive and interesting. This article analyzes the role and importance of progressive methods in the modern education system along with the study of traditional and progressive pedagogical methods. It also talks about the changes necessary for the development of pedagogy in the future.

The main part

1. Traditional pedagogical methods

Traditional educational approaches are based mainly on one-way communication between the teacher and the student in the learning process. In these methods, the teacher participated as a source of information, while the student played only the role of a listener. This educational process is often limited to using



textbooks, listening to the teacher's lectures, and retesting the acquired knowledge through tests. In this approach, the primary goal of education is to impart certain knowledge to students, but little attention is paid to students' independent thinking, problem solving, or creative approaches. Students participated in the lesson as more passive participants and only followed the teacher's instructions.

2. Progressive pedagogical methods

In the modern education system, progressive methods are becoming more and more widespread. These approaches are introduced to encourage students to be active, to put them at the center of the learning process, and to allow them to think independently. Progressive methods encourage students to learn according to their mastery and focus on the development of their individual skills.

Progressive pedagogical approaches include interactive methods, group work, problem-solving tasks, and extensive use of technology. Through these methods, students have the opportunity to learn not only from the teacher, but also from each other. For example, the use of online resources and the introduction of distance learning are an important part of progressive approaches.

3. The role of technology in modern education

Today, technology has become an integral part of education. Technologies not only accelerate the educational process, but also make it interesting and interactive. For example, digital textbooks, presentations, video lectures and distance learning platforms provide additional opportunities for teachers and students. With the help of technology, the educational process can be made more flexible. Students can learn at their own pace and master according to their individual abilities. Technology also helps students develop creative skills, as they have the opportunity to work with a wide variety of resources and applications.

4. Importance of interactive methods

Interactive methods are the main part of progressive pedagogy. Such methods encourage students to actively participate in the learning process. For example, by solving problem situations, working in groups, using game methods, students strengthen their knowledge and exchange ideas with each other. Also, interactive methods develop students' social and communicative skills. This will help them to be successful in teamwork and solving problems together in the future.

5. Changing the role of teachers

Progressive learning approaches also change the role of teachers. Now the teacher appears not only as a provider of knowledge, but as a coach who guides



students and develops them through their independent activities. This requires continuous development of pedagogical skills of teachers.

Conclusion

The transition of pedagogy from traditional methods to progressive methods ensures that the educational system meets modern requirements. With the help of modern technologies and interactive methods, students can be seen as active participants in the lesson and develop their creative abilities. In the future, the introduction of innovative technologies in the field of pedagogy, the development of distance and hybrid forms of education is expected.

Also, it is necessary to organize regular training programs for teachers to adapt to new methods. This not only improves the pedagogical skills of teachers, but also contributes to the improvement of the quality of education of students. At the same time, it is important to adapt to national educational traditions and values when using progressive methods.

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