

CREATIVE AND CRITICAL THINKING FORMATION – THE FOUNDATION OF FREEDOM OF THOUGHT IN PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

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Abstract

This article analyzes the concepts of creative and critical thinking, their significance in professional education, and their role in fostering freedom of thought. The primary goal of modern education is not only to impart knowledge but also to develop independent, well-reasoned, and innovative thinking skills in students.

Keywords

education, creativity, critical thinking, youth, management, lifelong learning.

Introduction

The issues of developing creative thinking skills among learners under "Lifelong Learning" educational programs are considered pressing in the theory and practice of pedagogy. According to UNESCO's Convention on Technical and Vocational Education, in the context of globalization, it is crucial to innovate and implement educational services based on labor market demands to foster students' professional thinking and creative capabilities.

Main Body

In international pedagogical practice, forming and developing the essential personal qualities of learners hold a significant place. In this regard, fostering creative thinking skills in students of general education schools is crucial. Using modern didactic tools and electronic information resources effectively in the process of

forming their cognitive and reflective abilities, such as learning motivation, independent thinking, creativity, and self-activation, contributes to the development of integrative technical knowledge and skills.

The Importance of Critical Thinking

Critical thinking refers to the ability to analyze phenomena, draw logical conclusions, and provide reasoned evaluations and interpretations...

Creativity and Critical Thinking in Professional Education

Modern technological and global developments demand that professional education institutions not only prepare skilled workers but also nurture individuals capable of independent decision-making and open-mindedness...

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