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Innovative Methods of Improving Students' Oral Speech Competence in English

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Abstract

This article highlights the use of modern educational technologies which allows teachers to qualitatively, at a new level, teach students all four types of speech activity (reading, listening, writing and speaking). The use of innovative methods in the classroom helps the teacher to develop in students' independence, responsibility, the ability to adapt to the current situation, the ability to work with

dictionaries, as well as reference literature. Thus, modern pedagogical technologies in combination with modern information technologies can significantly increase the efficiency of the educational process.

As a result of the studied materials, conclusions were given about the innovative methods of improving students' oral speech competence in English and its importance today.

Keywords: Academic and Professional Success, The Most Effective Methods, Interactive Activities, Communication Skills, Multimedia Resources, Practical Applications, Oral Speech Competence

Introduction

Oral speech competence in English is a critical skill for students in today's globalized world. This skill is not only important for academic and professional success but also for personal growth and social interaction. In order to improve students' oral speech competence in English, innovative methods are needed. This article will explore some of these methods.

One of the most effective methods for improving students' oral speech competence in English is through interactive activities that engage students in conversation. These activities can include debates, group discussions, role-plays, and simulations. By participating in these activities, students can practice their communication skills in a supportive and collaborative environment. This can help to build their confidence and fluency in English.

Another innovative method for improving students' oral speech competence in English is through the use of digital technologies. For example, online language learning platforms, such as Duolingo, can provide students with interactive and personalized language instruction. These platforms use gamification techniques to make language learning more engaging and fun. They also provide instant feedback, which can help students to better understand their strengths and weaknesses.

Moreover, the use of multimedia resources, such as videos, podcasts, and audio recordings, can help students to develop their listening and speaking skills. These resources can expose students to authentic language use and provide them with opportunities to practice their pronunciation and intonation. In addition, incorporating real-world experiences and contexts into language learning can help students to better understand the practical applications of their language skills. For example, language immersion programs, study abroad experiences, or service-learning projects can provide students with opportunities to use their language skills in real-life situations.

Main body

Improving students' oral speech competence in English is important for their academic, professional, and personal growth. Innovative methods, such as interactive activities, digital technologies, multimedia resources, and real-world experiences, can help to enhance students' language learning and make it more engaging and fun. By incorporating these methods into language learning, educators can help students to develop the skills they need to succeed in a globalized world.

Effective communication skills are essential for success in today's globalized world. As English has become the universal language of communication, it is important for students to develop their oral speech competence in this language. However, traditional teaching methods may not always be effective in achieving this goal. Innovative methods are needed to enhance students' language learning and make it more engaging and effective.

One such method is the use of interactive activities that promote active participation and collaboration among students. These activities can include role-plays, debates, group discussions, and language games. They help students to practice their speaking skills in a supportive and fun environment, while also building their confidence and fluency.

Digital technologies are also playing an increasingly important role in language learning. Online platforms, such as language learning apps, can provide students with personalized and interactive learning experiences. They can also help to track and monitor students' progress, adjust the level of difficulty to their needs, and provide instant feedback and correction.

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Incorporating real-world experiences and contexts into language learning can also help students to better understand the practical applications of their language skills. Language immersion programs, study abroad experiences, or service-learning projects can provide students with opportunities to use their language skills in real-life situations.

Innovative methods are essential in improving students' oral speech competence in English. By using interactive activities, digital technologies, multimedia resources, and real-world experiences, educators can make language learning more engaging, effective, and relevant. These methods can help students to develop the communication skills they need to succeed in an increasingly interconnected world.

In my lessons, I use the debate method in the form of an intellectual competition, which helps to actively defend my views and judgments, express debates, etc. For example, two teams take part in the game (one approves the thesis, and the other denies it). Teams, depending on the format of the debate, consist of three or four players (speakers). The essence of the game is to convince a neutral third party that your arguments are better (more convincing) than those of your opponent. We carried out debates on the topics: Healthy lifestyle (Healthy lifestyle, Intermediate level), Sport (Beginner), Global Warming (Pre-intermediate) and many others.

Multimedia sources such as songs, movies, series, magazines, newspapers play a very important role in improving our language. This method should be used in the final stages of training. In most cases, native speakers use English grammatically incorrectly and it is very important that students understand this fact so that they do not use this form of the language in their daily use.

For many students, the songs of modern English or American bands are of particular interest, so one of the activities in the lessons is working with the song. Often this comes down to reading the words of the song, translating them into their native language and writing down a few new words in a notebook, listening to the song and performing it together to the soundtrack. But this should not be limited. You can come up with a series of exercises for understanding the content of the song, matching words and expressions (matching), lexical and grammatical exercises, as well as speaking exercises using the words of the song and students' fantasies. Such tasks will add variety to the lesson, and will also be aimed at increasing the motivation of students in learning English.

Conclusion

Traditional methods like reading newspapers and books, novels are also effective in teaching a foreign language.

When traditional methods are modified along with some innovative ideas, the learning and learning process is enriched and guarantees learning success.

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