



THE EFFECTIVENESS OF TEACHING PHYSICS THROUGH PEDAGOGICAL INNOVATIONS

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Abstract

In the modern era, the development of the education system is closely linked to the implementation of pedagogical innovations. The use of innovative methods and technologies in teaching physics increases students' interest in the subject and helps develop their creativity and research skills. The article analyzes the main types of pedagogical innovations, their application possibilities in physics lessons, and the outcomes. The presented results play a key role in improving the quality of the teaching process.

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Introduction

The application of pedagogical innovations and the introduction of new creative methodologies are more appropriate in the teaching of each subject. Physics plays a significant role in the formation of scientific knowledge and in the development of logical and analytical thinking. Traditional teaching methods can lead to a tendency for passive learning among students. Therefore, the implementation of pedagogical innovations is relevant for improving the quality of education. The use of innovative methods not only enriches the teacher's activity but also ensures active student engagement in the subject [1].

The types of pedagogical innovations and their application in teaching physics play a fundamental role in enhancing subject knowledge. ICT-based approaches allow for the visual explanation of abstract physical phenomena through simulation programs. Examples of such programs include PhET, Algodoo, and others. At the same time, the use of interactive whiteboards and digital laboratories strengthens the teaching process.



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Project-based learning is a process in which students investigate physical phenomena in groups. The application of solutions to problems taken primarily from real life, based on physical knowledge, is one of the main types of innovations. The STEAM approach involves the integration of physics with mathematics, engineering, and technology. Teaching any topic in physics using this approach results in increased efficiency of the learning process. Through experiments, students' creativity and inventive skills are enhanced. The application of theory to practice leads to an improvement in the quality of the teaching process [2].

Another pedagogical innovation is the Flipped Classroom model. This is an inverted classroom approach, where theoretical material is studied at home, while discussions and practical activities are conducted in class. Instead of delivering knowledge in the classroom, teaching is carried out at home through video materials. This innovative method facilitates active student engagement in the learning process. Gamification as an innovative method refers to teaching through game elements. Explaining physical concepts using game elements is a key tool for understanding the topic. For example, teaching the topic of energy with LEGO or interactive applications helps students analyze and comprehend the subject [2]. One of the effectiveness aspects of innovative approaches is motivation. These approaches increase students' interest and eagerness to learn. Reinforcing concepts by visualizing abstract ideas leads to more effective learning outcomes. Creative thinking innovation develops students' ability to solve problems in non-traditional ways. Research skills enhance students' ability to make observations, accelerate hypothesis formulation, and support drawing conclusions. The development of collaboration skills through group work plays a fundamental role in forming social competencies [3].



Figure 1. Pedagogical innovation in physics teaching

Conclusion

Pedagogical innovations in teaching physics make learning more engaging, effective, and practical. Innovative approaches strengthen students' scientific thinking, encourage creativity, and prepare them for future scientific activities. The effective mastery and implementation of these methods by teachers directly influence the improvement of education quality.

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