New Methods in Teaching English Language

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Annotation: This article explores the new methods in teaching the English language and how they effectively enhance the learning process for students. The article discusses interactive methods, the integration of technology, blended learning, flipped classroom approaches, and other new pedagogical strategies. These methods help to ensure student engagement, reinforce learning, and boost motivation. By applying these new methods, learning English becomes more efficient and interesting.

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INTRODUCTION.

English is one of the most important and widely spoken languages in the modern world. Today, learning English influences both personal and professional development. In Uzbekistan, teachers are increasingly adopting new pedagogical methods to improve English language teaching. This article analyzes the new methods employed in English language teaching. Modern technologies and interactive methods assist students in learning English and increase their motivation to learn. Additionally, practice-oriented approaches encourage students to engage actively in the learning process.

Main Body: Interactive methods in teaching English encourage students to actively participate. Techniques such as role-playing, debates, and problem-solving allow students to use the language in creative and free ways. Group work, discussions, and simulations are effective ways to enhance student engagement. In Uzbek literature (e.g., Sh. Rashidov, S. Abduvahhobov), applying interactive and practical approaches in teaching increases student involvement in lessons.

Today, technologies are widely used in teaching. Online platforms, multimedia resources, and applications provide students with opportunities to learn English at their convenience. For example, platforms like Duolingo, Memrise, and Quizlet help students learn at their own pace and time. These technological tools significantly enhance student motivation to learn.

Project-based learning (PBL) involves students in solving real-world problems using the English language. This method allows students to learn the language in a practical context. Moreover, project-based learning encourages independent thinking, teamwork, and the development of communication skills. In Uzbek literature, especially through projects, methods that motivate students to achieve their goals during the learning process are discussed.

Blended learning combines traditional classroom instruction with online learning, allowing students to learn at their own pace. Online resources help students reinforce lesson materials, while the teacher supports them with difficult tasks during classroom sessions. This method encourages students to apply their knowledge in practice.

The flipped classroom model involves students learning new material at home, while class time is used to discuss and apply the learned content. This method fosters independent learning skills. Students are ready to participate actively in class because they have already reviewed the material at home.

Gamification involves the use of game elements in education. This method makes learning more engaging and motivating. Quizzes, word games, and competitions allow students to learn in a fun, game-like environment. This approach increases students' interest in learning.

English for Specific Purposes (ESP) focuses on teaching English for specific fields, such as business, medicine, or science. This approach helps students apply the language in their particular professional or academic context. ESP methods enable students to learn English effectively for their specific goals.

Modern pedagogical approaches aim to renew the interaction between students and teachers in the educational system. The new methods in teaching English are constantly evolving to make the learning process more effective. The core theoretical principles of these methods are as follows:

Constructivism — Constructivist pedagogy focuses on enabling students to construct their own knowledge. According to this method, students actively assimilate new knowledge based on their prior learning. In teaching English, the constructivist approach helps students apply the language in real-life situations, making the learning process more effective. Teachers should encourage students to strengthen their understanding through practical exercises, group work, and problem-solving tasks.

Interactive Pedagogy — Interactive methods promote student engagement and encourage them to apply their knowledge in practice. Communication between students and teachers enhances the learning process. These methods allow students to absorb the material in an interesting and creative way. For instance, role-playing, debates, and discussions are suggested to help students learn the language in an engaging manner.

Skills-based Teaching — Modern teaching methods, especially in English language instruction, focus on developing various language skills. Students should not only learn grammar but also use the language in communication, writing, speaking, listening, and reading. This approach enables students to effectively apply English in a modern communicative context.

Multimedia Approach — Technologies play a significant role in the educational process. Multimedia resources (videos, interactive programs, online platforms) help students learn English more effectively. The multimedia approach increases student interest by presenting materials in various forms. For example, interactive lessons or online quizzes in English motivate students to engage actively in the learning process.

Personalization — Teaching must be adapted to meet the unique needs, interests, and learning styles of each student. A personalized approach allows students to choose methods that suit them best, which increases their motivation to learn. As a result, the learning process becomes more efficient and tailored to the individual student's needs.

Conclusion: New methods in teaching English language help students learn the language in an effective and engaging manner. Interactive methods, the integration of technology, project-based learning, and gamification increase student engagement and make the learning process more efficient. These new pedagogical approaches allow students to apply their knowledge in real-life contexts, thus improving their language skills. In

Uzbekistan, implementing such methods can enhance the quality of English language teaching.

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