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Social Responsibility of Educators as they Guide Young Learners

Educators play significant roles in shaping the minds of the younger generation. Some of the common roles are providing a nurturing and welcoming learning environment for young learners. In this way, they should care and understand how the students fit in the community, hence provide necessary guidance for their survival. Teachers are therefore responsible for improving conditions by raising any necessary concerns of young learners. According to Li (2012), the social responsibility of educators to the younger generation are to impact relevant skills, norms, appropriate values and traditions. In this way, good deeds and academic success will be fully realized. As young learners are in the developmental stage, they need greater influence from educators to excel. This is by showing them how to fit in the community shortly. Gordon & Doyle (2015) also argued that educators should emphasize promoting learning for both students and community members, leadership development opportunities to encourage commitment and celebration of diversity of the school community.

Consequently, being aware of social justice issues in the learning environment aid educators in creating awareness for the young learners. For instance, domestic violence, among other crime-related issues, should be taught at tender age. Therefore, teachers instruct young learners and inspire and influence the character of the younger generation.

The Establishment of a Learning Culture

Little learning is indeed a dangerous thing. Formulation of continuous learning not only assists students but also for organizational development. A well-established learning culture should incorporate values, norms and practices. Educators can formulate the right learning environment, give the necessary rewards to the hard-working students and be a good example to

the learners. Homer (2011) observed that learners often emulate their teachers, thus should always lead by good example. Setting learning goals and being open-minded are some of the superb traits of educators. Hence, being a reflection of what children are supposed to be an aid in well-established learning.

Additionally, plans are crucial in most organizations. It should range from what is considered to be the most significant to the least. Plans enable learners to set goals and formulate success strategies. Moreover, it is significant for the learners and educators to be logic in their teaching. Importantly, encouraging learners to share knowledge is an indicator of well-established learning. Sharing knowledge foster strong learning culture. Kukulska-Hulme (2010) noted that learners are increasingly engaging in educational activities due to the rising personal requirements. This is mostly influenced by the environment students reside. For instance, the evolving technology has influenced adoption of various learning cultures.

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