CULTIVATING LIFELONG READERS

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Reading is one fundamental skill that must be fully acquired by the learners. It can be used not only in school but also in everyday living. Wherever you go, reading is considered necessary.

To develop a lifelong reader, the teacher has to consider several things. Think that you are not only doing it for the sake of teaching but for the sake of shaping a life-long reader.

Developing the passion for reading is the foremost step in developing a life-long learner. Have within the child the love and interest for reading. Passionate readers are created through proper encouragement and motivation brought by teachers and the people around.

Instilling the advantages of reading is another worthwhile step. Think that it is done because once you read a lot it makes you knowledgeable and well-informed. It is through reading that man would gain a lot information and may attain an understanding of the world.
To develop a life-long reader, the teacher one must implant the habit of reading in every student. Making reading a part of daily life is very powerful in creating a life-long reader who may spend a part of the day in reading books or any kind of educational reading materials.

Setting a good example is another way of persuading the students to become a life-long reader. Teaching the basic sounds and leading the students to the most complex selections would be very instrumental in stimulating the learners to be life-long readers.

Sending students to the library regularly is also a good strategy in embedding the love for reading. The voluminous reading materials are enough to satisfy their tastes on reading.

Exposing the students to colorful and exciting reading materials These educational materials are not only providing them with ideas but also fun in them as they enjoy looking at the colorful pictures, charts, diagrams and tables.

Wisdoms can be learning through reading. Telling the learners that reading makes a wise man is inspiring and believing in this transforms one to be a life-long reader.

The aspiration for reading is absolutely powerful for it makes one to be a lifelong-reader.
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