GRADUATE STUDIES: A MUST HAVE

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Change. Acceptance. Quality. These are the three elements that revolve around this article. Change, for there are a lot of recent developments in the field of education. Acceptance is one of the best attitudes that an educator should have in a fast changing world; hence, devour linear type of classroom learning. Quality is the main objective why the Department of Education pushes for advancement of teachers’ education and training; thus, building in them the virtue of versatility.

Modernization in the classroom setting has gone a long way. Nowadays, the students not only learn in school but also in the comforts of their homes and peers. Thus, making the former a tedious place of learning. The boom of technology – the internet, in particular makes the role of the teacher intricate. It is because of the wide range of information that the internet can offer to the learners. Worst is when the students know more than the teacher.

To remedy this, educators are advised to take up Master’s Degree or a Post Graduate Program to ensure learning continuum. Having the aforementioned degree entails a lot of advantages in the part of the teacher and the learner. They are as follows:

Greater understanding that leads to better teaching strategies and practices

Better salary or compensation

A lot of leadership opportunities

Gain a deeper respect from the school and the community
Offer rewarding career and breaks

More than all of its rewards, the quality that it offers to education should be instilled in the mind of the teachers.

According to Henry Ford, “If everyone is moving forward together, then success takes care of itself”. Openness to change particularly in the education aspect will open the doors to self-efficacy – an innate ability to achieve goals.

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