MEETING THE NEEDS OF THE NEW SOCIETY IN EDUCATION

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We cannot be unmindful of the growing complexities in our society that pose a challenge for more effort toward the improvement of the quality of human life, thus, to meet the needs and aims, the educational system ensure a continues development in terms of concepts and principles that are more relevant to the global needs of learners.

Shultz, John Dewey (2003) added that a much greater effect of the education in learners growth is to ensure that activities, programs and other related task are organized in terms of learners experiences where it harness the totality of every learner and became a productive member of the society.

Likewise, teachers must be the torch bearers of change, where every learner take part in all fields of human endeavors. Rich opportunities for experience in work or for creative life activities are now included in the school curriculum in order to develop among learners skills that are needed for them to be equipped in all areas as they landed to their chosen field of endeavor.

Gray, Shun J. (2006) stressed that teachers are the key planner teaching the child and not the subject matter.

Therefore, the main goal of the education is the learners’ growth - in knowledge, habits, skills, abilities, and attitudes, where the teacher as molder- the first and foremost duty is to produce and train free, intelligent learners where the ultimate goal is to develop in every learner the value of democratic way of life of the good life.
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