PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED IN TEACHING

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Teaching strategy is a comprehensive plan for a lesson which includes stricture, desired learner behavior, in terms of the goals of instruction and an outline of tactics or plans necessary to implement the strategy (Strasser, 1964). It is very useful to attract, encourage or motivate the students to listen and to participate in the lesson.

Methods and strategies can create a fun learning environment. It can also provide challenge that can lead to confidence in knowing and expressing the material and it can provide feedback coming from the students. Strategies should also be a problem in teaching because if we have inappropriate strategies in a certain lesson, it might cause a larger damage to the learning of the students. Because strategies should help or motivate the learners not to distract the learners.

Teachers are the one to be responsible to any methods and strategies that they implement to a certain lesson. The teacher and the students should do the strategy cooperatively for the students to be actively engaged in any discussion. The teachers should also implement the strategy appropriately and comprehensively. The teachers should test if his or her students got higher than the passing score in a given test. It only means that his or her strategy is successful and you must integrate it again, but if the students got lower than the passing score then it means they your strategy is a failure, it is not appropriate and need to change for a better results.

To avoid distraction and less learning, the teacher should be prepared and has an imaginative power to integrate his or her lesson properly and entertaining. The teachers
may also use different strategies like using randomized activities, games, simulation and others in teaching to arouse the interest of the students. Students are the focus of all the efforts of the teacher, they need to be feed by different information and assess if they understand what the teacher is saying or discussing.

Using the different strategies that are arising nowadays, the teacher should be prepared and creative in using the strategies for it to become effective. The purpose of using strategies is to provide teachers with practical examples and resources to help them progress from dependent to independent learners. Aside from that, teachers will develop a community of learners by effectively balancing major approaches.

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