ZZISH: ONLINE APPLICATION FOR NEW NORMAL EDUCATION

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Our life these days was moved and changed 360 degrees in a different way. There is uncertainty in every aspect, and no one has the answer when will it end. With the mishap and all, we the people chose to continue the path towards living life at its fullest with all the courage and the tools we got. It is true that we are now living in a world relying with technology, but it was still squeezed and used in the possible way we can to touch and connect with everybody as are no longer free to move around because of virus threat. So, what does it has to do with the new normal in the society?

Six months ago, the whole world was shaken by the threat of Corona Virus and one of the most affected aspects of human life is the education. As what the DepEd Secretary Leonor M. Briones quoted “Education must continue even in times of crisis whether it may be a calamity, disaster, emergency, quarantine, or even war.” The Department of Education search for different ways in which learning can continue even in this time of pandemic. One of the education partners that DepEd has partnered with is the ZZish.

ZZish is a classroom tool and resource that teachers can use as part of their classroom activities to administer quizzes and tests to students. Teachers can create assignment and quizzes as homework for students and view simple reports on class and individual performance which highlights and celebrates students’ progress over time.

This tool is accelerating student progress and advancing more personalized approaches to teaching through data and technology. It helps teachers identify where students are excelling or struggling. It enables teachers to get easy and instant insight on
class and learners’ performance so they can identify all-important learning gaps and help individuals learn better and faster according to their learning needs in ways better than ever before. Teachers can spot if one class is falling behind, or if all classes are having problems with a specific lesson so they can act immediately to make sure all students have a chance to succeed.

In this new normal, technology is a must in delivering learning, but we must not forget technology alone will not bring success if teachers are not working with technology to ensure the pursuit of education. Technology and teachers together make up the teaching and learning process in this time of pandemic. With the adage, “alone we can do so little; together we can do so much”. Man, we will, we can, we move on!

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