

THE HABIT OF WORK IN MODERN STUDENTS' ACTIVITY

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To be a student is a profession. Why? It is necessary to be a good student. But not everyone is taught to be a good student. One can notice that some students are very progressive and successful in studying. But at the same time the other ones are considered to be practically failures because they lag behind their friends and they are not interested in studying at all. But where is the reason of it? Some students do their homework regularly, take part in different conferences and seminars, get only good and excellent marks in different disciplines and, of course, demonstrate good results.

On the one hand, these students are gifted and capable. But, on the other hand, their success is caused by so-called habit of work. There is no secret in it. There are a lot of sensible young people who know what they want. At first, they manage their time in a reasonable way. Secondly, such students are aware that there are a lot of different disciplines in educational institutions and, certainly, they understand what subjects have a positive influence on their studying and give them necessary knowledge [1].

Successful students try to achieve their aims in all spheres. If they don't understand the essence of the lecture, they always address to their tutors and ask them to explain it. They try to achieve positive results by all means and often use all their efforts for it.

Now let us tell about such a wonderful human quality as curiosity. Persistent and purposeful students are not limited only by books or notes. They try to find out a lot of information in supplementary sources and often use Internet. So, this is the factor which contributes to the development of the habit of work in modern students' activity. It allows not only to enlarge their knowledge, vocabulary but also provides them with a splendid opportunity to surprise their tutors with competent and

meaningful answers and to make a good impression on them.

The habit of work also helps students to analyze their mistakes and to work at them. In this case they also have a marvellous chance to pay too much attention to burning problems, to learn skipped material and to pass their credit tests or exams successfully.

Creative activity also motivates students to become direct participants of various events. Group discussions, round tables, quests and presentations help them to become more confident, to work in group and to feel one with the group. In its turn, joint enterprise also helps shy students to get over psychological barriers and not to be afraid of expressing their own point of view according to the given question or problem. All these factors develop the habit of work systematically and let students accumulate acquired experience [2].

Independent and individual work also encourage the development of the habit of work. It stimulates students to use not only mental but visual capacities. Search activity helps to analyze knowledge, to make them logical and systematic. It is not enough for a good student to memorize material from cover to cover. Such student will strive to find a suitable rule, synonym, antonym, definition, a bright example or an unusual word or word-combination. A good student will be creative in everything [3].

Successful students also set new goals and achieve them. They think about long-term perspective. Their aims are considered to be daily, monthly or even annual. The habit of work promotes self-perfection. Owing to it purposeful students try to learn something new and they do it every day with pleasure.

So, it is possible to tell with great assurance that if students are really eager to be successful and to show effective results in all disciplines which they study they must follow some rules.

At first, they must work at their home tasks systematically and not postpone them for later. Secondly, it is necessary to develop skills and habits of work. Third, all students, especially freshmen, must be more initiative and take part in after university hours. This activity improves their communicative skills and helps to

acquaint with new interesting people. One can also direct energy into different spheres of our life, broaden horizons and increase motivation in study.

So, development of useful skills and, especially, the habit of work inspires modern students to be active, initiative, self-confident, subsequent and rational in all their doings. In its turn it also improves cooperation between tutors and students, promotes mutual understanding and increases their effectiveness.

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