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**WAYS TO INCREASE STUDENT ACTIVITY IN TEACHING ENGLISH**

*«Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn.»*

*Benjamin Franklin*

The XXI century is the century of education and technology. In the modern education system, the focus is on the activity and independence of the student. Especially in teaching a foreign language, including English, the active participation of the student is the main condition for mastering language skills. Active teaching methods and technologies form the student not only as a listener, but also as an active participant in learning.

English is a global communication tool. To master it, it is necessary that the student has a high level of interest and activity. This article discusses effective ways, methods and technologies for increasing student activity in teaching English.

**The concept of active learning and its importance**

Active learning is a set of methods and techniques that ensure the active participation of the student in the educational process.

These approaches develop the student's ability to think, analyze, comment, and be creative.

* Purpose of active learning:
* Improving the student's language competence
* Development of communication skills
* Improve creative and critical thinking skills
* Formation of cooperation and teamwork

**Active methods in teaching English**

Communicative method

Communicative method-aimed at the student's free communication in the language environment. It is carried out through dialogue, discussion, interviews, role-playing games.

Example:

* "Airport conversation – - role-playing game
* "Debate club" - Organization of discussions

**Project method (Project-Based Learning)**

Students conduct research on a specific topic and present the result in the form of a presentation or essay.

**Example:**

* Project" My dream country"
* Video project" English in my daily life"

**Gaming Technologies**

Play is the most effective way to involve a student in active activity. Students ' interest is increased through quiz, word games, quest, Kahoot.

**Example:**

* «Word Bingo»
* «Grammar Race»

**Task-Based learning**

The use of language by solving real life situations. For example: drawing up a travel plan, conducting a shopping dialogue in the store.

"Flipped classroom"

Master the theoretical material at home and perform practical tasks in the classroom. This technique increases the autonomy of the student.

**Increasing activity through digital technologies**

Digital tools play an important role in modern learning. They increase the student's learning motivation and allow you to organize the acquisition of knowledge in a playful way.

**Applicable platforms:**

* Quizlet-vocabulary exercises
* Duolingo-grammar tasks
* LearningApps-interactive exercises
* Padlet-group projects

**Example:**

* "Create your own vocabulary list – - via Quizlet
* "Interactive grammar quiz" – via Kahoot

**The role of the teacher and the organization of classes**

The teacher is the main person in increasing student activity. He:

**Organizes classes interestingly**

* Takes into account the individual characteristics of the student
* Offers differentiated tasks
* Conducts reflection

**Lesson structure:**

* Warm-up (arouse interest)
* Presentation (new material)
* Practice (exercise)
* Production (creative work)
* Feedback

**Assessment and reflection**

In active learning, evaluation includes not only the result, but also the process.

* Types of assessments:
* Formative assessment
* Self-esteem
* Group assessment

**Reflection methods:**

* «Two stars and a wish»
* «Exit ticket»
* «Traffic light»

In short, increasing the student's activity in teaching English is the main way to acquire language skills, develop communication skills, and form a personality. Active methods and digital technologies will interest the student and allow him to take an active part in the educational process.

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