

The Functions and Development Strategies of Integrating Traditional Culture into Young Pioneers Education

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Abstract: With the rapid development of globalization, the younger generation has grown up in the wave of informatization, and the content and values they are exposed to have also become diversified. The exchanges, blending and confrontation of various ideological and cultural cultures around the world are becoming more frequent, and social ideas are becoming increasingly active. In this process, traditional culture faces the risk of being ignored and forgotten. The unique value system of China's excellent traditional culture is a concentrated expression of the influence and cohesion of the Chinese nation's common values in the new era. As an educational organization widely carried out among primary and secondary school students, the correct use of China's excellent traditional culture to cultivate Young Pioneers and the application of China's excellent traditional culture to Young Pioneers education not only guide the values of Young Pioneers, but also practice the spirit of inheriting the country's excellent traditional culture. In the educational practice of the Young Pioneers, the inheritance of China's excellent traditional culture can provide the Young Pioneers with a more unique Chinese aesthetic quality.

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1. Current status of traditional cultural values of Young Pioneers in the context of globalization

In the context of globalization, the traditional cultural values of the Young Pioneers are facing unprecedented challenges and opportunities. They live in a world of information explosion and cultural diversity, and are exposed to a variety of cultural information every day. However, due to limitations of age and experience, their knowledge and understanding of traditional culture often remain superficial and lack in-depth understanding and experience. At the same time, the cultural impact brought about by globalization has also made some Young Pioneers doubtful and even resistant to traditional culture, which to a certain extent has affected their recognition and inheritance of traditional culture. Therefore, we need to strengthen the education of the Young Pioneers to guide the Young Pioneers to correctly view traditional culture and recognize its value and significance in modern society, thereby cultivating their traditional cultural values.

2. The function of integrating excellent traditional culture into Young Pioneers education

2.1 Maintaining the safety of national traditional culture

Under the impact of globalization, various foreign cultures continue to pour in, posing a threat to the country's traditional cultural security. Excellent traditional culture, as the foundation and soul of the national spirit, is an important barrier to safeguarding national cultural security. The young pioneers' shaping of correct traditional cultural values will contribute to the stability and unity of the country's ideological and cultural future and the maintenance of national cultural security^[1]. Integrating excellent traditional culture into Young Pioneers education will help cultivate the cultural consciousness and cultural self-confidence of the Young Pioneers, enhance the Young Pioneers' cultural discrimination ability, and enhance their sense of identity and belonging to traditional culture,

thus building a solid defense line for national cultural security.

2.2 Enhance the national cultural identity of the Young Pioneers

Excellent traditional culture contains rich national spirit and values and is an important carrier of the national spirit. Through in-depth understanding and study of traditional Chinese culture, the Young Pioneers felt the profound cultural heritage of the Chinese nation and developed a sense of identity with their own national identity. “The traditional culture of a nation all reflects the national spirit and the concept of patriotism”^[2]. This strong sense of identity can enhance the young pioneers’ yearning and love for Chinese culture. Through Young Pioneers education, allowing Young Pioneers to deeply study and understand excellent traditional culture can help them better understand their national identity and cultural roots, and enhance their sense of identity and pride in national culture. This cultural identity helps cultivate the patriotism and national spirit of the Young Pioneers and provides strong spiritual support for their growth and development.

2.3 Inheriting China’s excellent traditional cultural heritage

The excellent traditional Chinese culture is the spiritual treasure of the Chinese nation and the precious spiritual wealth of future generations. Implementing the inheritance and development project of China’s excellent traditional culture is a major strategic measure for the party and the country to continue the Chinese context and inherit excellent traditions^[3]. As an important organization for children and young people, the Young Pioneers shoulder the important task of inheriting culture. Integrating excellent traditional culture into Young Pioneers education can guide Young Pioneers to learn, inherit and carry forward traditional culture, allowing them to become inheritors and innovators of cultural heritage. This not only helps protect and inherit China’s excellent traditional culture, but also provides a steady stream of motivation for future cultural innovation and development.

3. Development strategies for applying excellent traditional culture to Young Pioneers education

3.1 Using the local cultural base as the fulcrum to build a local Young Pioneers traditional cultural education system

The local cultural base is an important place to inherit and display local traditional culture and has rich educational resources. We can use these local cultural bases to carry out traditional cultural education activities for the Young Pioneers, so that the Young Pioneers can personally experience the charm of traditional culture. At the same time, combined with local characteristic culture, we build a traditional Young Pioneers cultural education system with local characteristics to make traditional cultural education closer to reality, life, and Young Pioneers.

3.2 Taking local characteristic culture as the core and innovating a unique campus Young Pioneers brand

Educational anthropology believes that “education is a ‘life mechanism’ of culture. The inheritance of culture cannot be separated from education. The preservation, continuation and development of culture depend on the inheritance, communication and innovation of education”^[4]. Every place has its own unique cultural characteristics and cultural resources. We can deeply explore these local characteristics and integrate them into Young Pioneers activities to create a campus Young Pioneers brand with unique charm. This will not only enhance the appeal and influence of the Young Pioneers activities, but also allow the Young Pioneers to have a deeper understanding and feel of the charm of local culture while participating in the activities.

3.3 Incorporate excellent traditional cultural elements and deepen the reform of the Young Pioneers activity curriculum

General Secretary Xi Jinping pointed out: “For history and culture, especially the values and moral norms passed down by our ancestors, we must persist in serving the past for the present, weeding out the old and bringing forth the new, treating them with discrimination, inheriting them in a sublime manner, and properly handling the relationship between inheritance and creative development. Key points Do a good job in creative transformation and innovative development, and strive to use all the spiritual wealth created by the Chinese nation to educate people with culture and culture^[5]. Young Pioneers activity courses are an important part of Young Pioneers education. We can integrate excellent traditional cultural elements into In the Young Pioneers activity courses, enrich the course content and improve the quality of the course. For example, you can design some themed activities related to traditional culture so that the Young Pioneers can understand the historical origins, cultural connotation and value of traditional culture while participating in the activities. At the same time, Traditional cultural resources can also be used to carry out some creative practical activities, so that the young pioneers can feel the charm of traditional culture in practice.

3.4 Carry out Young Pioneers cultural practice activities from the perspective of excellent traditional culture

Practice is the only criterion for testing truth. We can carry out various forms of Young Pioneers cultural practice activities so that the Young Pioneers can deeply understand and experience the charm of traditional culture in practice. For example, young pioneers can be organized to visit museums, historical sites and other places to let them personally experience the historical heritage of traditional culture; traditional cultural experience activities can also be carried out so that young pioneers can feel the unique charm of traditional culture through personal participation and experience. These practical activities can not only enhance the young pioneers' sense of identity and belonging to traditional culture, but also cultivate their cultural literacy and comprehensive abilities.

4. Conclusion

As the future successors and builders of the country, children's attitudes and awareness of traditional culture reflect the entire society's recognition of socialist culture with Chinese characteristics to a certain extent, and their level of cultural confidence is directly related to the overall level of national cultural confidence. In the process of guiding the development of young pioneers, we should focus on cultivating their cultural identity and self-confidence, maintain the cultural characteristics of the Chinese nation amidst the impact and influence of multiculturalism, combine traditional culture with modern society, and actively explore ways to adapt to the changes of the times. Innovate the education model to provide a comprehensive and distinctive educational environment for the growth of young pioneers.

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