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# How to Strengthen the Cultivation of Marxist Theory for Communist Party Members

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**Abstract:** Theoretical cultivation is the core content of improving the ability and strengthening the Party spirit cultivation of the Communist Party members. Marxist theoretical cultivation is the core and soul of the quality of leading cadres. Improving theoretical knowledge cultivation is the magic weapon of the CPC to defeat the enemy, and is also the essential quality of every Communist Party member. In the new development situation, it is very important to strengthen the cultivation of Marxist theory. Each party member must be strict with himself, constantly strengthen the accumulation of knowledge, arm his mind with advanced ideas and keep sober at all times.

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With a history of more than 100 years, Marxism has had a profound impact on the world and China. For China, which has moved towards high-quality development, how to treat Marxism scientifically is related to the future and destiny of the Party and the country. The reason why our Party is an advanced political party, first of all, refers to the advanced theory, which has formed the theoretical achievements of the localization of Marxism in China in a large number of practices. Under the new situation, Communist Party members must strengthen their theoretical cultivation, firm their ideals and beliefs, improve their Party spirit and do a good job in ideological and political work.

# 1. The Necessity and Importance of Improving CPC Members' Marxist Theoretical Cultivation

# 1.1 Necessity of improving CPC members' Marxist theoretical accomplishment

## 1.1.1 It is the need to adhere to the guiding ideology of Marxism

The reason why the CPC has always had a strong vitality lies in its adherence to the guidance of Marxism. With advanced guiding ideology and theoretical basis, the Communist Party of China will have a driving force for development. Since the birth of our Party, we have always taken Marxism as the guiding ideology. Under the guidance of this "great banner", our Party has led the people of the country to carry out a series of struggles and reforms, and is striving to move towards the "Chinese Dream". It has been nearly 170 years since the Communist Manifesto was published. Its practicality and class nature determine that it will definitely serve the proletarian revolution. Theory originates from practice and guides practice. Marxism can keep up with the development of the times, accurately grasp the pulse of the times, and has distinctive characteristics of the times, providing strong guidance for our party to complete tasks in different times. In a large number of practices, the theoretical achievements of the sinicization of Marxism have been gradually formed, promoting the smooth progress of China's socialist construction. The times are in constant change, and the economy and society are also changing rapidly, but the only constant is to adhere to Marxist ideology.

## 1.1.2 Theoretical armed forces are an important guarantee for the victory of socialist revolution and construction

Under the leadership of the Party, China has achieved a series of revolutionary victories. No matter how the times change, we should adhere to the study of Marxist theory to ensure the purity and progressiveness of our Party. Under the guidance of advanced theories, the comprehensive quality of the Communist Party members has been significantly improved, and the leaders have also put forward a series of theoretical ideas according to the actual situation, making the party building ideas

more rich and diverse. In the end, the Chinese revolution, under the leadership of the Party armed with Marxist theory, achieved victory and led the people of the country to see hope. For Party members and cadres, we must use Marxism as a "weapon", see the essence through the phenomenon, and flexibly handle various unexpected problems, so that the practical work can be carried out more smoothly.

#### 1.1.3 The reform and opening up and the new era urgently need to improve the Marxist theoretical literacy of Party members

In recent years, the reform of China's market economy system is being further promoted. Foreign cultures and ideas have caused a great impact on party members and cadres, and even some of the Communists' outlook on life and values have been distorted. In the face of external challenges and shocks, Communists must strengthen their ideals and beliefs, and improve their Marxist theoretical literacy. At present, China's economy has entered a new normal stage. Major social contradictions have changed. The Party and the people are facing new situations, new challenges and new problems. In order to achieve the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation and the two "centennial goals", the majority of Communists must learn Marxism in depth and strengthen their theoretical cultivation. Especially in the new historical period, when the world socialist movement is in turmoil and has encountered difficulties on its way forward, we should pool the strength of the whole Party and unify our thoughts with Marxist theory.

# 1.2 The importance of improving the Marxist theoretical cultivation of the Communist Party members

First, it will help broaden our vision and cultivate a broad horizon. At present, China's modernization drive is proceeding in an orderly manner. We should proceed from the perspective of the world, be deeply aware of the shortcomings of current development in all aspects, strengthen the awareness of opening up, broaden our horizons, improve our theoretical cultivation, and analyze problems with correct methodology and world outlook. Second, it is helpful to cultivate strategic thinking ability. Communists should have the strategic thinking ability to think independently and observe the overall situation. They should be able to view and think about problems from a long-term perspective, starting from the overall situation. Especially in complex situations, they should learn to judge and analyze. The profound theoretical foundation of Marxism is an important basis for improving the ability of strategic thinking. Only by continuous learning and improving self-cultivation can we solve various contradictions and problems in a more comprehensive and in-depth way. Third, it helps to ensure the correctness of decision-making. The leadership process of the Party is a process of continuous decision-making. A large number of historical facts show that key decisions will directly affect the success or failure of the cause of the Party and the country. Since its establishment, the Party has always adhered to the guidance of Marxism, scientifically applied its basic principles and methods, and made comprehensive and feasible decisions. It is precisely because of this that our Party can maintain its youth and vitality, and its decision-making level can be improved.

# 2. Strategies for CPC members to strengthen their theoretical cultivation of Marxism

# 2.1 We must unswervingly inherit and adhere to Marxism

Communists must be treated scientifically, adhere to and defend Marxism, which is determined by its scientific and revolutionary nature. Marxism reveals the universal laws of the development of nature, society and thinking, which is objective and has accepted a lot of practical tests. Marxism is mainly composed of Marxist philosophy, political economy and scientific socialism. It is an important theoretical basis for the proletariat to formulate a correct ideological line, reveals the universal law of the development of nature, society and human thinking, and is progressiveness and scientific. The general principles and principles of Marxism on scientific socialism are still not outdated today. With the economic and social progress with the times, they are constantly innovating. The lofty goal of Marxism about the communist society is the ideal and belief of the CPC people, and we must unswervingly inherit and adhere to Marxism.

# 2.2 We must unswervingly develop and innovate Marxism in practice

Since the birth of Marxism more than one hundred years ago, great changes have taken place in the world pattern. During these more than one hundred years, socialism has progressed through twists and turns, and made constant innovation and breakthroughs in the traditional construction model. Marxism should also keep pace with the times and achieve theoretical innovation. For Communists, they must adhere to Marxism and the great achievements of human spiritual civilization. The people of the CPC are building socialism with Chinese characteristics. In this critical period, we must arm our minds with scientific theories, organically combine Marxism Leninism, Mao Zedong Thought, Deng Xiaoping Theory, etc., follow the principle that "practice is the only standard for testing truth", and say "no" to dogmatism, empiricism, and formalism. Adherence should be closely combined with "development". Any "persistence" in development that is separated from persistence or "development" that is separated from persistence will make

Marxism lose vitality.

# 2.3 We must adhere to the principle of "one center, three focuses"

More than one hundred years of practice has shown that Marxism is progressiveness and scientific, and Communists must adhere to, inherit and develop it, always in the right direction. We should adhere to "one center, three focuses", "one center", that is, theoretical knowledge should serve practice. Marxism requires practice as the center, based on the actual situation, and seeking truth from facts. The "three focuses" are to emphasize the different aspects of theory and practice. The details are as follows: First, the "focus". Communists should learn to use Marxism to understand and transform the world. If they just study theoretical knowledge, instead of applying it, it will be meaningless. Second, "focus on", theory should come from practice, and constantly summarize and think, from perceptual knowledge to rational knowledge, and improve theoretical consciousness. The third "focus" is that Marxism needs to be tested and revised by practice, so that it can continue to develop and add new content.

# **Conclusion:**

In a word, China is experiencing the biggest change in a century, and the world situation is very complex. Under the new challenges and requirements, the Communists must broaden their vision, seek truth from facts, firm their Marxist beliefs, constantly enrich, develop and innovate Marxism in practice, work hard, and contribute all their strength to the realization of the communist ideal.

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