Application of Internet + to Modern Ideological and Political Education and Its Significance

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Abstract: The modernized mode of ideological and political education refers to the mode where the Internet education is combined with traditional education to popularize the ideological and political education of Internet + in modern society. To some extent, explaining communist thought is of great help for modern people’s ideological and political study. This paper introduces the significance of Internet + to modern ideological and political education from the perspective of ideological and political education based on Internet +. Also, it elaborates on the application of the Internet+ to modern ideological and political education. Lastly, it summarizes the practice of combining Internet + with modern ideological and political education.

1. Introduction

With the application of the Internet+, ideological and political education becomes more comprehensive and complete. For example, Internet + can be used to rationally promote the studies on the theoretical and practical issues of party building and supervise CPC members to fill out anonymous questionnaires. Also, teachers can combine textual research materials and referential materials from the Internet into complete teaching materials. In the modern sense, the ideological and political education starts with applying Internet-based teaching equipment. The traditional classroom teaching has one intention and principle: Teaching is the primary goal, and students’ learning is the subject. Based on keeping the advantages of traditional classrooms, the traditional classroom that applies the Internet+ integrates all elements and eventually reaches the goal of modernized teaching.

2. An Overview of Ideological and Political Education Based on Internet+

Unlike the significance of traditional ideological and political education modes, the ideological and political education based on Internet+ not only provides education via the Internet, but also is an innovative education mode based on the Internet. As modernized Internet devices become increasingly mature, they are capable of setting up and inputting in the teaching system entirely through Internet modes and devices to modernize the teaching modes of ideological and political education. The modernized ideological and political education related to the Internet starts with teachers’ preparing for lessons. Firstly, teachers make complete and adequate preparations for lessons through the Internet. In the classroom, teachers teach and display to students through modernized devices. After getting rid of the boring mode of the traditional ideological and political education classroom, students who experience the modern and scientific education naturally take in knowledge increasingly better. It thus reaches the final goal of improving teaching quality. After the class, students discuss and communicate online through modernized means. Meanwhile, teachers are allowed to take active participation, which maximizes the rate for students to consolidate knowledge. However, how to use the Internet is a problem that needs to be continuously improved. It makes students main referential objects in the subjective learning of ideological and political education.
3. Significance of Internet + to Modern Ideological and Political Education

In traditional ideological and political education, teachers’ teaching is the main object, while the changes in students’ thoughts and psychological construction are information that teachers should know in time. The modern ideological and political education based on the Internet + got rid of the boring mode of traditional ideological and political education. It creates the student-oriented learning mode and keeps ideological and political knowledge complete based on innovations. Currently, it is a favorable trend for developing ideological and political education.

3.1 Complete the Modernized Ideological and Political Education System

Modernized ideological and political education should not only pay attention to making the classroom practical, but also ensure the form of classroom meets the development of the times. Thus the modernized ideological and political education that applies Internet technology improves the teaching system. Based on completing the ideological and political education system, it keeps optimizing the structure of the system. Regarding optimizing the ideological and political education system, the Internet plays a significant role because it includes inclusive ideological and political knowledge. Thus the development of the Internet makes ideological and political knowledge comprehensive and infinitely saturated. The ideological and political education, which has numerous branches, is closely related to optimizing the ideological and political education and lays a foundation for improving the ideological and political education system.

3.2 Innovate in Ideological and Political Education Modes

The application of the Internet + to every aspect can complement and make the industry more complete. In the mode of ideological and political education, the Internet is applied, which ensures the ideological and political education enjoys innovative development. Traditional ideological and political education modes are centered on teachers’ oral presentations. As a result, the efficiency for students to take in knowledge generally fails to reach established standards. Without the assistance of the Internet, students’ discussions about knowledge cannot enrich their knowledge reserves. By comparison, the modern ideological and political education mode which applies the Internet+ is oriented on students. Also, the classroom atmosphere and tendency enable students to receive ideological and political education based on the constructed knowledge network. It ensures that the knowledge received by students meets the demands of modern society. Meanwhile, it meets teachers’ teaching goals. In conclusion, the innovative ideological and political mode is the product of the Internet era. For another, it is a precondition and advantage for improving the teaching quality.

3.3 Meet the Tendency of Scientific Development in the Era

The development of human society is indispensable with one fundamental condition—education. It can be said that the modern ideological and political education based on the Internet + meets the tendency that the era becomes increasingly scientific and advanced. After its advent, the Internet has been developing. Now it can make due contribution to the productive social force and education undertaking. It takes the assistance of modern technology for the ideological and political education to become an essential link to education. The application mode and development tendency of the Internet can be conducted by different means in the classroom. Meanwhile, advanced teaching equipment can be used to impart knowledge to students. It has reached the goal of using the Internet directly or indirectly. In the meantime, teaching efficiency will be significantly improved through advanced teaching. Besides, students’ ability to accept knowledge will improve while using the Internet. Eventually, all students can optimize their abilities of self-study.

4. Application of Internet + to Modern Ideological and Political Education

The modern ideological and political education based on Internet + generally tends to be integrated with traditional ideological and political education. It makes perfection and innovation based on retaining the original advantages of ideological and political education. It reflects not only
the attitude of respecting the classical classroom but also the determination to be close to modern social development. Meanwhile, it perfectly matches the concepts and contents of ideological and political education.

4.1 Actively Explore and Utilize New Internet + Modes

Now the era is developing rapidly. It is necessary to make active explorations in modern ideological and political education through the Internet+ teaching mode. Modern people’s ideological development and traditional thoughts vary widely. The modern youth should hold positive attitudes when discussing current affairs and hot issues. Their values for current discussions characterize the current affairs and hot issues. The Internet thus provides conditions for having real-time discussions online. Apart from changing the teaching mode, students’ discussions should be coordinated and planned online in the exploration process. The teaching mode generally changes along with the teaching equipment in the classroom. In the beginning, the Internet could only be used to inquire about simple materials. Then materials can be displayed in the class. Next, the Internet can be used to display videos online. Eventually, systematical ideological and political classroom education can be provided online and offline in the teaching process. All these are new classroom teaching modes produced by actively exploring the latest Internet + development tendency. Currently, the modernized ideological and political education modes have not reached perfection. While students discuss with each other and communicate with teachers online, big data statistics can be made via the Internet. Also, the Internet can make big data statistics of discussions between students and teachers. It optimizes teaching contents reliant on data and achieves an outstanding effect for accurate teaching.

4.2 Solve Challenges for Ideological and Political Education in the New Period with Red Thinking

It is necessary to keep coping with the challenges in the ideological and political education when providing modern ideological and political thinking through the Internet. Currently, China is promoting studies on the theoretical and practical issues of party building, which should normalize the system in talent cultivation. The ideological and political knowledge is real-time and all-rounded. Teachers should comprehensively teach the involved knowledge to students based on the advantages of Internet-based information transmission and information reserve. It tests whether educators and learners are capable of utilizing the Internet efficiently to maximize the information transmission of the Internet in teaching. Nowadays, current affairs and political news are being updated constantly. Educators must analyze students according to the fundamental points of such news. Meanwhile, teachers should adapt to the change in teaching that students become subjects of Internet-based teaching. Besides, teachers should place students’ opinions and discussions in important links, play secondary roles in teaching, and guide students when necessary. In this way, students not only grasp knowledge more deeply through explorations but also improve their learning abilities in this process. Thus it makes the ideological and political education efficient and real-time. On the one hand, it is an opportunity for modern ideological and political education. On the other hand, it is a challenge for students and teachers.

4.3 Provide Education Integrating Traditional Ideological and Political Education and Internet+

To some extent, the traditional ideological and political education has some advantages, which need to be combined with new teaching modes when developing in the Internet era to achieve complete ideological and political education modes. The education integrating the Internet + and traditional ideological and political education should keep the advantage of teaching in the traditional classroom, so that teachers’ teaching play a guidance role. Thus the process where students study independently will shift to the right direction and eventually reach the goal of learning and consolidating knowledge. While learning ideological and political knowledge, students can summarize their existing knowledge structure. It is an advantageous link in the traditional ideological and political classroom. Meanwhile, the integrated education mode selects essences for
the traditional classroom, which helps to upgrade and optimize modern classrooms. Lastly, an Internet-based classroom should be constructed from the perspective of the traditional ideological and political classroom to ensure the entire ideological and political classroom is advanced. Meanwhile, the advantages of the traditional ideological and political classroom should be kept. The integrated education mode is the reasonable planning of modern education. Only integrated education is the correct form for the modern ideological and political education.

5. Conclusion

The Internet+ is a vital link deriving from the rapid development of the era. The development of industry, manufacturing, and business is indispensable with and even reliant on the Internet. The application of the Internet to the education industry is generally reflected in applying advanced teaching equipment, offering online after-class tutoring, and having interactive communications. The ideological and political education mainly aims to achieve ideological construction and dynamic discussions for students. The Internet + technology improves traditional ideological and political education across the era. Combining the ideological and political education and the Internet, integrating the ideological and political education modes with the Internet, and advancing existing teaching modes have been the mainstream tendencies for current ideological and political education. In the future, the ideological and political education will be combined with the development of the era. It is thus an inevitable trend to develop ideological and political education by positively adopting advanced teaching modes.

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