TESOL for children

1st Essay

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There is a famous proverb, “As the boy, so the man”. As proverb said, it seems that

there is a strong relationship between how people were when they were in early

childhood and how people are after growing up. Therefore, it is very important how

we educate or teach people in early childhood.

It is not difficult to hear the news about the students who are suffering from violence

and bullying in thier school. Those kinds of problems are considered as very serious

problems in our society. In my own view, these kinds of phenomenon are caused by

wrongs within their education. So, it is required to find the way how to solve those

kinds of problems by reviewing the importance of education for children.

According to study and research by child psychologists and child educators, it

seems very important to educate people when they are in early childhood. Freud

reported that a human’s personality is formed by until about 5 years of age, Erikson

also said that human’s morality is decided between 1and 3 years of age, which is

called the Anal Stage. He also said it is difficult to fix their morality if it is wrongly

settled in this stage. Bloom insisted that 80% of human’s intelligence is developed by

8 years of age. Early childhood is very important because this period decides a huge

part of one’s personality, morality, intelligence, and so on.

Thus, it is possible to say that early childhood education forms the groundwork for

building up a man’s character, and childhood is the most desirable stage to be

affected by learning. For this reason, I think it is very meaningful to educate children,

and it is also the main reason why I prefer to educate children more order group of

age.

Nowadays, English is recognized as a global language in the world. If we educate

children by using English, it can be such a desirable skill to catch both intelligence

and competitiveness. Also, as I referred to above, early childhood might be a key

period for educating people in that type of skill. I want to gain useful skills about

program how educate children effectively by using English from YL TESOL program.

References

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