



PEDAGOGICAL POSSIBILITIES FOR DEVELOPING YOUTH PATRIOTISM BASED ON NATIONAL VALUES

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Annotation: *This article analyzes the pedagogical possibilities of developing youth patriotism based on national values from a theoretical and practical perspective. The study highlights the content and essence of patriotic education, its cognitive, emotional-axiological and behavioral components, and the role of national values in this process. It also substantiates the possibilities of increasing the effectiveness of developing youth patriotism through the integration of national values in a modern educational environment, the use of innovative pedagogical technologies and digital educational resources. The results of the study confirm that national values are an important pedagogical factor in patriotic education and serve to develop scientific and methodological recommendations for improving the educational process.*

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ENTRANCE

In today's globalization environment, complex socio-political, cultural and information and communication processes taking place on a global scale have a different impact on the minds of the younger generation. In particular, various ideas spread through the Internet and mass media, cultural expansion, the strengthening of individualism and elements of mass culture make the issues of national identity, preservation of historical memory and strengthening of patriotic feelings one of the urgent problems of pedagogical science. In such conditions, educating young people in the spirit of

national values, forming in them loyalty to the Motherland, national pride and civic responsibility is an important factor in the development of the state and society.

is a complex socio-pedagogical phenomenon that expresses a person's loyalty, respect and responsible attitude to his Motherland, people, national interests and spiritual heritage. This quality is one of the important criteria for the moral maturity of a person, his civic position and social activity. Therefore, the issue of developing patriotism among young people is recognized as one of the priority areas of the education system, and special



attention is paid to improving its content, forms and methods.

are a socio-cultural phenomenon that embodies the customs, traditions, spiritual heritage, moral principles, historical experience and cultural wealth of the people formed over the centuries. They serve as an important pedagogical resource in forming the spiritual worldview of the younger generation, strengthening national identity and developing patriotic qualities. In particular, the heritage of ancestors, the activities of national heroes, examples of folk oral art, national holidays and customs serve to strengthen the love of young people for the Motherland, to instill in them a sense of national pride and honor.

The educational reforms being implemented in the Republic of Uzbekistan also set as priority tasks the upbringing of young people on the basis of national and universal values, the enhancement of their spiritual and educational potential, and the strengthening of the spirit of patriotism. In the normative and legal documents, youth policies, and educational concepts adopted in our country, special attention is paid to the issues of raising a harmonious generation, strengthening the sense of involvement of young people in national interests, and protecting them from various ideological threats. This further strengthens the need for scientific research into the pedagogical possibilities of developing youth patriotism through national values.

Although many scientific studies have been conducted in the field of pedagogy on patriotic education, civic education, spiritual and moral education, and the educational potential of national values, there remains a need for a systematic study of the integrative pedagogical potential of national values in the development of youth patriotism in the modern educational environment. In particular, improving the mechanisms for integrating national values into patriotic education based on innovative educational technologies, a competency-based approach, and the principles of person-centered education is of great scientific and practical importance.

The purpose of this article is to theoretically analyze the pedagogical possibilities of developing youth patriotism based on national values, to reveal their role and significance in the educational process, and to substantiate effective pedagogical approaches. The results of the study serve as an important theoretical and practical basis for developing scientific and methodological recommendations that serve to improve the system of educating young people in the spirit of national values, strengthen their civic position and loyalty to the Motherland.

LITERATURE ANALYSIS AND METHODOLOGY

The issue of developing youth patriotism based on national values is a complex scientific problem studied at the intersection of pedagogy, psychology,



sociology, and philosophy. An analysis of the theoretical and methodological foundations of this problem shows that a number of scientific studies have been conducted by international and domestic scientists on the role of patriotic education and national values in personal development.

In foreign pedagogical and psychological literature, the concept of patriotism is interpreted as an important component of civic consciousness. In particular, in J. Dewey's concept of democratic education, the principles of individual responsibility to society, civic activity and social cooperation are highlighted as the theoretical foundations of patriotic education. In L. Kohlberg's theory of moral development, the stages of the formation of a person's conscious attitude to social values and civic responsibility are analyzed. Also, in the scientific views of E. Erikson, A. Maslow and other scientists, the formation of national identity, self-awareness and a sense of social belonging are assessed as important factors in the spiritual maturity of a person.

The research conducted by scientists from the countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States has extensively covered the pedagogical mechanisms of patriotic education, theoretical and practical aspects of educating young people on the basis of national and civic values. In particular, the works of VA Sukhomlinsky, KD Ushinsky and AS Makarenko have developed pedagogical foundations for educating the younger

generation in the spirit of love for the Motherland, national pride and social responsibility. These scientists emphasize the importance of using folk pedagogy, national traditions and spiritual heritage in the educational process.

The scientific research of Uzbek scientists also studies the issues of national values and patriotic education as an important scientific direction. In particular, A. Avloniy, M. Kuronov, E. Yusupov, N. Jo'rayev, O. Musurmonova, R. Mavlonova, B. Khodjaev and other researchers have covered the theoretical foundations of the spiritual and moral education of young people, the formation of a well-rounded personality based on national identity, historical memory and national values. These studies scientifically substantiate the educational potential of national values, their role in shaping the worldview of young people, and their importance in protecting them from various ideological threats.

The analyzed scientific sources show that although national values are recognized as an important factor in the development of youth patriotism, there remains a need for systematic research into their pedagogical potential in a modern educational environment based on a competency-based approach. In particular, identifying the mechanisms of influence of national values, combining them with pedagogical technologies, and developing effective methods in organizing the spiritual and moral education of young people in the digital



information space is one of the urgent scientific tasks.

This study used the concepts of systematic approach, axiological approach, competency approach and person-oriented education as a methodological basis. Based on the systematic approach, national values and patriotic education were analyzed as an interrelated pedagogical system. The axiological approach made it possible to assess the content and essence of national values from the point of view of the value system and determine their impact on the development of the personality of young people. Through the competency approach, the structural components of patriotic competence and the mechanisms of their formation were studied.

theoretical and empirical methods was used in the research process. As theoretical methods, analysis of scientific-pedagogical, philosophical, psychological and sociological literature, comparative-comparative, generalization, systematization, and conceptual approaches were used. Within the framework of empirical methods, observation, interview, questionnaire survey, pedagogical monitoring, and expert evaluation methods were used. In order to ensure the reliability of the results obtained, statistical analysis and pedagogical interpretation methods were used.

Thus, the results of the literature analysis confirm that national values are an important pedagogical tool for developing youth patriotism. The selected

methodology of the study serves to deeply study the theoretical foundations of this process, identify its pedagogical potential, and develop scientific conclusions on its effective implementation in educational practice.

RESULTS

During the research process, the pedagogical possibilities of developing youth patriotism based on national values were analyzed theoretically and empirically, and the following scientific results were identified.

First, it has been scientifically proven that the system of national values (historical memory, customs, traditions, spiritual heritage, activities of national heroes) is the main axiological source for shaping the patriotic consciousness of young people. The analysis shows that national values are important not only as a cultural heritage, but also as an educational resource that determines the civic position of a person. In particular, the image of historical figures and national heroes serves as a powerful motivational factor in strengthening such qualities as loyalty to the Motherland, selflessness and responsibility in the minds of young people.

Secondly, it was found that the integrated use of national values in the pedagogical process (training sessions, spiritual and educational activities, project work, museum pedagogy, interactive methods) has a significant positive impact on the development of patriotic competence of young people. As



a result of experimental work, knowledge, attitudes and behavioral indicators related to patriotism in groups where educational technologies based on national values were used showed a steady growth trend.

Thirdly, the results of the study showed that the structural components of youth patriotism - cognitive (knowledge about the Motherland), emotional-axiological (love and pride for the Motherland), and behavioral-activity components - are formed in a systematic relationship. It was empirically confirmed that the harmonious development of these components occurs more effectively in a pedagogical environment organized on the basis of national values.

Fourth, it was found that the impact of the modern digital information space causes a transformation of values in the minds of young people, justifying the need to integrate national values into digital educational resources. It has been scientifically proven that conveying national values through multimedia tools, virtual museums, digital stories and interactive platforms increases the interest of young people and enhances the effectiveness of patriotic education.

Fifth, the results of pedagogical observation and expert evaluation showed that the teacher's personal patriotic position and attitude to national values directly affect the effectiveness of the educational process. That is, the personal example of the teacher is one of the most important factors of educational influence .

Sixth, based on the methodological approaches developed during the research, a pedagogical model was proposed that harmonizes national values and patriotic education. In this model, the goal, content, method, means , and result are considered in a systematic unity and are organized based on the principles of person-centered education.

In general, the results obtained confirm that national values are important not only as a theoretical basis, but also as a practical and pedagogical mechanism in the development of youth patriotism. The results of the study showed that the systematic and targeted use of national values in the educational process serves to strengthen young people's civic activity, spiritual immunity, and loyalty to the Motherland.

DISCUSSION

The results of the study confirm that the issue of developing youth patriotism based on national values is one of the most urgent problems not only of pedagogical science, but also of the socio-humanitarian spheres today. The empirical and theoretical results obtained show that the system of national values is not only a source of information in the formation of the patriotic consciousness of young people, but also a powerful axiological and motivational mechanism.

First of all, the results of the study show that the influence of national values on the personality of young people is a multi- stage and complex process. This process occurs at the cognitive



(knowledge), emotional-axiological (emotions and attitude to values) and behavioral (practical activity) levels. It is this triad that serves as a systematic basis for the formation of patriotic competence. This situation means that the pedagogical process should be interpreted not only as a process of imparting knowledge, but also as a process of internalizing values.

and innovative pedagogical technologies along with traditional educational approaches. It is found that approaches such as problem-based learning, project-based learning, case study, collaborative learning, and museum pedagogy are highly effective in integrating national values into the educational process. This takes patriotic education from a formal knowledge system to a level of practical and life experience.

Third, one of the important aspects identified during the study is the dual impact of the digital information environment. On the one hand, it provides extensive information resources for young people, but on the other hand, it also increases the risk of alienation from national values. In this context, integrating national values into digital educational resources and presenting them in modern formats (multimedia, interactive platform, virtual tour) will increase the effectiveness of patriotic education.

Fourth, the role of the teacher in the educational process is of particular importance in the research results. It was confirmed that the teacher's personal

patriotic position, devotion to national values, and professional competence are factors that directly determine the quality of the educational process. This makes the issue of developing spiritual and moral competencies in the system of training pedagogical personnel even more relevant.

Fifth, the results of the study show that an educational environment based on national values serves to strengthen the civic identity of young people. In this process, historical memory, the activities of national heroes, and elements of folk pedagogy appear as important integrative tools. In particular, as the level of self-awareness of young people increases, the sense of patriotism also becomes stable and conscious.

In general, the results of the study indicate the need to interpret the relationship between national values and patriotic education as a systematic pedagogical phenomenon. Effective organization of this relationship should be carried out through the integration of modern pedagogical technologies, axiological approach and principles of person-centered education. In this regard, the results of this study are not only of theoretical importance, but also serve as a scientific and methodological basis for improving the practical educational process.

CONCLUSION

Within the framework of this study, the pedagogical possibilities of developing youth patriotism based on



national values were studied theoretically and practically, and the following scientific, theoretical and practical conclusions were drawn.

First, it has been scientifically proven that the system of national values (historical memory, customs, traditions, spiritual heritage and the activities of national heroes) is one of the most important axiological foundations for the formation of patriotic consciousness in young people. They serve as a decisive educational resource in the formation of a person's loyalty to the Motherland, national pride and civic responsibility.

Secondly, patriotic education is a complex pedagogical process, which is carried out through the harmonious development of cognitive, emotional-axiological and behavioral components. An educational environment enriched with national values plays an important role in the sustainable formation of these components.

Thirdly, it was found based on empirical results that the integrated use of national values in the pedagogical process (interactive methods, project activities,

museum pedagogy, spiritual and educational activities) is highly effective in developing the patriotic competence of young people.

Fourth, in the conditions of the modern digital information space, there is a growing need to combine national values with innovative pedagogical technologies. Conveying national values through multimedia tools, virtual resources, and digital educational platforms increases the effectiveness of patriotic education.

is a decisive factor, and the teacher's personal patriotic position and attitude to national values directly affect the effectiveness of youth education.

In general, the results of the study showed that the pedagogical possibilities for developing youth patriotism based on national values are wide and multifaceted. The effective implementation of these possibilities in practice is of great scientific and practical importance in raising a harmonious generation, raising their civic consciousness, and strengthening their loyalty to the Motherland.

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