

## DEVELOPMENTAL PERSPECTIVES IN EDUCATION: ITS RELEVANCE IN THE WORKPLACE

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Understanding various developmental philosophies is crucial for educators since it aids in appreciating developmental phases and processes including social, cultural, political, environmental, and personal growth. The following are most beneficial or pertinent to me in my position as DepEd Bataan's Education Program Supervisor:

“A nation’s culture resides in the heart and in the soul of its people.”

Mahatma Gandhi

As DepEd Supervisor, I now have a broader perspective on culture as it relates to education, sustainable development, and governance. I also have a better understanding of the distinctive values, norms, cultural beliefs, knowledge, practices, heritage, language, and experiences of the individual and the community. I was able to gain a deep comprehension, awareness, and respect of Philippine history, culture, legacy, and geography. I was also able to see the effects of culturally literate and empowered Filipinos who are nationalistic and patriotic on education.

I think that enhancing cultural values in schools has a favorable impact on a number of factors. In the Province of Bataan, culture strengthens community engagement, fosters a feeling of identity and belonging, and fosters a respect for and understanding of history and cultural heritage.

As Education Program Supervisor of DepEd Bataan, incorporating culturally-based education methodologies into the curriculum aids students in acquiring the

competencies and cultural know-how needed for social interaction. In order to better understand Bataan as the Bayan ng mga Bayani at Banal, DepEd Bataan collaborates actively on programs, projects, and activities with the Provincial Government of Bataan, the Department of Tourism, and other local organizations. These efforts aim to educate students by fostering their identity and enhancing their understanding of the community's culture.

“Political Economy or Economics is a study of mankind in the ordinary business of life.”

Alfred Marshall

My observation during this session underlined the link between economic development and education on the economic perspective, pointing out that education serves as a catalyst for economic growth. Education is an investment in human capital that is anticipated to produce benefits that will contribute to the expansion and enhancement of the economy, particularly in the Province of Bataan.

In order to transform the Province of Bataan into a hub of knowledge and innovation with a highly educated, highly skilled workforce and citizens who play an active role in the province, As agent of change from DepEd, I shall collaborate with local government to create an environment that encourages learning among citizens of all ages as well as among university students. Education was a priority for Bataan as a means of promoting local economic growth, and the province made investments in human development such as scholarship programs for students and teachers and the highest Special Education Funds in the Region, which support the Department of Education's programs, projects, and activities.

“The environment is everything that isn't me.” Albert Einstein

My ecological viewpoint and perspective deepens my appreciation on how to preserve and protect even better my lovely province of Bataan and its abundant natural resources while also realizing a sustainable partnership with Local Government Units by

implementing specific action plans and programs that involve the participation of our students.

True to its mandate, all DepEd Bataan schools sincerely support environmental projects and initiatives like awareness in Climate Change, establish garden in school, Tree Planting, Manila Bay Rehabilitation, Coastal Clean Up, and established Youth for Environment Organization (YES-O) to carry out ongoing efforts to conserve, protect, and restore the environment. Additionally, we urged students to continue taking part in and supporting the DepEd's green efforts in order to demonstrate their concern for Mother Nature to guarantee the best environmental actions for both the present and the generations to come. Moreover, as Supervisor of DepEd Bataan, I will also exhort all schools to take the initiative and make decisions that will enable beneficial social and environmental consequences by promoting the adoption of ecologically friendly products.

“Too often we participate in the globalization of indifference. May we strive instead to live global solidarity.” Pope Francis

The session topic of globalization made me realized how important globalization is in the education system in the Philippines. Since only those who are prepared for their future generations can survive in the global economy, liberalizing the educational system, especially the Department of Education (DepEd), is essential to preparing our students for the workplace where instruction is constantly upgrading. With this mind, I will foster an environment for borderless teaching and learning as well as an expansion of opportunities for changing education in global perspective. So, from an international perspective, I will initiate liberalization that boosts competition and raises educational standards and platform from elementary to college-level institutions to make them more competitive globally.

Education is simply the soul of a society as it passes from one generation to another.” GK Chesterton

My perspective and understanding of sociology – which is the study of the growth, organization, and operation of human society – have been significantly increased. In addition to this, it is a discourse that refers to the method of articulating power and knowledge through which certain theories, conceptions, and practices for social change are developed and perpetuated.

As Supervisor, I will make sure that the programs project and activities in the school always required parental involvement as a crucial component in the development of the school and community. Parents need to be involved in their children's education. I believe that parental involvement in their child's education improves their mood, attitude, and academic performance in all subject areas. It also supports better behavior and social adjustment in children. Parental involvement in a child's schooling also aids in their development into successful, responsible people. This shows that including parents in their kids' education is equal to saying the school is proactive in fostering improvements or student advancement. When parent involvement increases, teachers and school officials are more likely to make high-quality educational reforms.

“Education remains the key to both economic and political empowerment.”  
Barbara Jordan

There were serious indications of an education problem in the SDO Bataan even before the outbreak. It was confirmed when the division took part in the International Student Assessment (PISA) in 2018, which revealed that Filipino learners had the lowest scores among 79 nations in the subjects of Reading, Science, and Mathematics.

DepEd understands the significance of addressing problems and gaps in achieving quality basic education in the Philippines, as Science Supervisor, I will push for collaboration through transformed development programs for all personnel, engagement

of all stakeholders in the department are the integral contribution as fundamental and relevant to provide educational reforms. The teachers and educational program supervisors are expected to provide provision for technical support in academic learning from various seminars and trainings attended.

Furthermore, I will encourage school heads to shift the education paradigms and called for bandwagon of positive change to improve the school academic performance. No Filipino learner should be left behind, according to DepEd, and it takes a nation to educate a child. DepEd therefore urges the whole country to participate actively and work together to improve the standard and quality of education in the Philippines.

In a nutshell, understanding Development Perspective enables us to analyze comprehensively the problems from various perspectives and consider different beliefs, experiences, and points of view. This improves our comprehension and empathetic capacity. It lessens prejudice, condemnation, and conflict.

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