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Critical Pedagogy

Critical pedagogy in school

Critical philosophy is a progressive curriculum, where children examine social inequalities and injustices. They create a discourse around them, leading to action. It would require a whole social revolution to change society. But yes, we as teachers have the power of beginning it in the classroom, if not in the cradle. So here are a few things we as teachers can do!

Career development

Encourage girls and boys to dream of careers in professions which are challenging. Read books about women achievers in the classroom. Invite women achievers to talk to them, especially those who are part of the society around the school: women working in banks, as drivers, as entrepreneurs, as scientists, business women, sports, art, music... Create role models which they can follow.

Learning to question

The classroom should be a space for debate and discussion. The time table should set aside an hour for reading and debate every week. The discussion should center around both men and women, for critical pedagogy helps you become aware of inequalities and injustice. A debate on topics like, 'house work should be paid work'. Research on how much women and men laborers are paid in the village and to correct the inequalities in payment. In my experience men are paid double the money than women. Do rural classrooms ever discuss this? Let children get their minds around this and may be soon, things will change.



Start a school newspaper

Begin a newspaper which inspires children. It records both the happenings in the village and the world. Let it be by the children, of the children and for everyone. Keep a special space in the newspaper for achievements by village children, however small they are. Also keep a special space for issues: drinking, lack of work in the monsoons, failure of crops and exploitation by certain sections of society. Deal with the issues in a rational and balanced manner and suggest practical, humane, sensitive and sustainable solutions.

Street drama

Start a critical drama club in the school. Take up issues and sustainable solutions. Highlight the issues and write small plays about them. Let them be done in the streets of the village every few days. As we all know, 'the pen is mightier than the sword.' we will soon feel the change beginning to happen all around us.

Drawing and painting

Hold regular competitions of drawing and painting. Highlight issues like cleanliness, access to water, garbage disposal, use of plastic, health care in the village, etc. Questions that trouble people livestock should be given priority

Open a library

Beginning small with their own room library in school with their computer and internet access encourage children the region whichever language that was sent as you often need out of the-box solutions. Reading gives you a window to the world. It opens doors for children to widen their knowledge and develop perspectives.

Conclusion

The importance of critical pedagogy in the classroom cannot be undermined. School is not some esoteric space and knowledge is not some high priestess. The issues that children face in everyday life are real and the space of school cannot be divorced from the lives of children. It is our work to build bridges from children's lives to school and make knowledge worthwhile for living. The school must respond to the world around it. And that is why critical pedagogy is the pedagogy of today, the need of the day.

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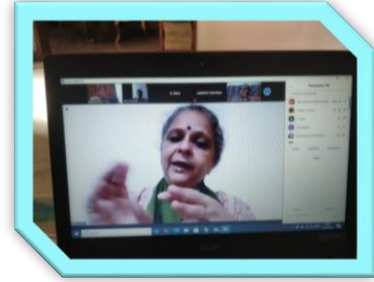
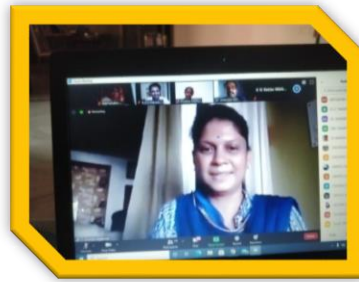
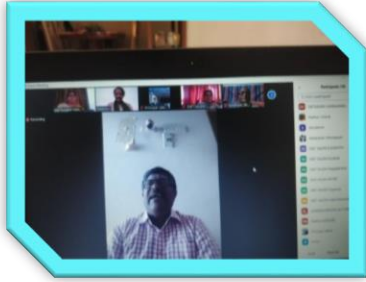
Participated in the Tele - conference

Date	Time	Agenda	Organized By
05.05.2021	11.30 Am	PGT Training Module Presentation	JD (Training)
10.05.2021	11. Am	Workbook Video Shooting	JD (Syllabus)
17.05.2021	11.30.Am	Workbook5 th Std Video Shooting	JD (Syllabus)
18.05.2021	2.50.Pm	VENTEL MGNCRE Hyderabad Course	JD (Syllabus)
19.05.2021	11.30.Am	Refresher Course	JD (Syllabus)
24.05.2021	11.30 Am	Refresher Course	JD (Syllabus)
25.05.2021	11.30.Am	Work Book Video Shooting	JD (Syllabus)

Attended Collector's Tele – Conference meeting at Collectorate-Salem

Date	Time	Agenda	Organized By
02.06.2021	11.30 Am	+2 Refresher Course Module Preparation	JD (Syllabus)
03.06.2021	11.30 Am	+2 Refresher Course Module Preparation	JD (Syllabus)
04.06.2021	11.30 Am	PGT Training Module Preparation	JD (Training)
07.06.2021	11.30Am	+2 Refresher Course Module Preparation	JD (Syllabus)
09.06.2021	11.Am	PGT Training Module Preparation	IFIC - DIET
14.06.2021	10.00 Am	Orientation To PGT	
15.06.2021	2.00 Pm		
16.06.2021	12.00Pm	+2 Refresher Course Module Preparation	JD (Syllabus)
22.06.2021	11.30.Am	6 th Std Math Assessment MCQ Review	JD (Syllabus)
23.06.2021	11.00.Am	PGT Training Module Preparation Orientation To PGT	JD (Training)
24.06.2021	7.00 Pm	PGT Training Module Preparation Orientation To PGT	JD (Training)
28.06.2021	2.30 Pm	MCQ Preparation.	JD (Syllabus)

- Participated Online-International Story Telling Workshop On 30.06.2021.



PRE - SERVICE TEACHER EDUCATION:(PSTE)

Dr.P.GOVINDAPRAKASH, SENIOR LECTURER

- 3.5.21 to 5.5.21 - AR Documentation.
- 6.5.21-50% Documentation Work.
- 7.5.21 - Work From Home 10.5.21 To 31.5.21 Lockdown.
- 7.6.21 to 8.6.21 - AR Documentation Work From Home.
- 9.6.21- 35% - AR- DIET Tiruvanamalai model Abstract Preparation.
- 10.6.21 to 11.6.21 - AR Documentation Work at Home.
- 14.6.21-33% DIET AR Abstract Preparation Work.
- 15.6.21 - AR Document Consolidation Work.
- 16.6.21 - AR Documentation Work.
- 17.6.21 - DIET AR Abstract Preparation Work.
- 18.6.21- AR Document Work -Work From Home.
- 21.6.21 - AR-Consolidation Work.
- 22.6.21- DIET AR Abstract Preparation Work mail sent to DIET Tiruvanamalai.
- 23.6.21 to 24.6.21 Research Consolidation Work.
- 28.6.21 - 50% DIET AR Documentation Work
- 29.6.21 -Research Documentation Work
- 30.6.21 - 50 % DIET Research Documentation Work


Mrs. M.MAHALAKSHMI,LECTURER

3.5.2021	Research Document Submitted. Research Abstract Prepared.
18.6.2021	6 th Std MCQ's Preparation Work.
21.6.2021	6 TH Mathamatics 100 MCQ's Preparation Work.
22.6.2021	100 MCQ's For 6 th Std Verification Work.
25.6.2021	6 th Mathamatics Question Verification Work.
29.6.2021	Cross Verification 6 th Mathamatics 100 MCQ -Preparation Work With Dr K.Kannaki.
30.6.2021	Story Telling Training

Dr. S.PETTER ANANDH, LECTURER

- 3.5.21-Ethics and Indian Culture Preparatory Work.
- 7.5.21-Ethics And Indian Culture Proprietary Work.
- 1.6.21 To 30.6.21-Prepared Video Lesson For Ethics And Indian Culture Carried Out Video Shooting Editing And Presented To DIET - Mannarkudi.

IN-SERVICE FIELD INTERACTION INNOVATION AND COORDINATION :(IFIC)

DATE	
06-05-2021-TAMIL 06-05-2021- ENGLISH 10-05-2021-MATHAMATICS 11-05-2021-SCIENCE 12-05-2021- SOCIAL SCIENCE	Organized Video Shooting Work shop For the Preparation Of Workbook Videos - Class-5 For Kalvi TV. 



- 1.6.21 to 2.6.21- Research Documentation.
- 3.6.21-Selection of Resource Person for PG Teachers.
- 4.6.21-Online Meeting for PG Training.
- 7.6.21 to 8.6.21- PG Training Work.
- 9.6.21- Online Meeting for PG Teachers.
- 10.6.21 to 11.6.21-PG Training Work.
- 14.6.21-Research Documentation.
- 15.6.21- Meeting for Conducting PG Training Online Video Shooting for PG Module.
- 16.6.21-Preparation of Expert List for Each Unit.
- 17.6.21-Coordinating Module Preparation for PG Training.
- 18.6.21-Arrangement for PG Training Workshop.
- 19.6.21-Arrangement for PG Training Work.
- 20.6.21- Sunday, Research Project Documentation.
- 21.6.21-PG Training Module Preparation.
- 22.6.21-Research Document Preparation and Binding.
- 23.6.21-PG Teachers Training Digital Content Preparation Meeting.
- 24.6.21-PG Training Module Correction.
- 25.6.21-PG Training Module Correction and Meeting And Video Shooting.
- 26.6.21- Zoology Video Shooting at Sulthan Ismail - Chennai.
- 27.6.21-Sunday- Video Editing Work.
- 28.6.21-BEE Expert Arrangement.
- 29.6.21-BEE Module Preparation.
- 30.6.21- BEE-Module Submitted To SCERT - JD Director Review Meeting.

EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY BRANCH: (ET)**Mrs . G.DHANAMMAL, SENIOR LECTURER**

DATE	WORK DONE
12.5.21	Reviewed the Social Science Video Shooting and Editing Work.
17.5.21 to 18.5.21	Reviewed the Social Science 5 th Std Videos and Editing Work.
30.6.21	Participated International Workshop On Story Telling.

Dr.V.SUGANYA, LECTURER

DATE	WORK DONE
3.5.2021	Newsletter Preparation Work.
4.5.2021 to 5.5.2021	PPT Preparation for Science Video Shooting.
6.5.2021	Foundation Literacy And Numeracy Suggestion And Feedback.
7.5.2021	Workbook Video Shooting For 6 th Science.
8.5.2020 to 31.5.2021	Science Work Book Video Review Work at Home. Basic Civil Engineering Refresher Course Coordination.
24.06.2021	Newsletter preparation Work.
25.06.2021	Attending JD (Syllabus) Regarding Refresher Course Module Preparation.
28.06.2021	News Letter Preparation Work. Attending JD (Syllabus) Meeting Regarding MCQ's For BCE.
30.06.2021	Attended International-Story Telling Workshop.

DISTRICT RESOURCE UNIT: (DRU)

NAME OF THE DIET FACULTY: Dr P.SO.KESAVAN, DRU BRANCH	
Date	DETAILS OF WORK CARRIED OUT
18.5.2021	ATTENDED ON-LINE MEETING: SAP/ VENTEL & COVID WARRIORS ACTION PLAN
2.6.2021	ATTENDED -SCERT JD MEETING-REGARDING CLASS XI REFRESHER COURSE MATERIAL PRPARATION THROUGH GOOOLE MEET.
11.6.2021	II BATCH : DIET: SWAYAM FORTHCOMING COURSE DETAILS COLLECTED-REPORT PREPARED AND SUBMITTED TO THE PRINCIPAL.
16.6.2021	II BATCH : DIET:ACTION RESEARCH -ABSTRACT PREPARED IN THE GIVEN FORMAT AND SUBMITTED TO PSTE BRANCH MAIL.

CURRICULUM MATERIAL DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATION :(CMDE)

Dr. R. NAGALAKSHM , SENIOR LECTURER

- Prepared and Finalized Chemistry Worksheets with Question and Answers from Reduced Syllabus On 03/05/2021 & 04/05/2021.
- Draft Guidelines On Foundational Literacy And Numeracy Prepared By NCERT – Was Reviewed to Give Feedback And Suggestions (Chapter Wise) On 05/05/2021 & 06/05/2021.
- Participated In SAP VENTEL Programme-ZOOM On 18/05/2021.
- Attended Zoom Meeting for Preparation of Refresher Course Module for Chemistry Class 12th on 03/06/2021, 11/06/2021 & 16/06/2021 Conducted By JD-SCERT.
- Created Resource Group of Post Graduate Teachers Handling Chemistry And Carried Out The Process Of Preparing Content For Refresher Course Module.

Mrs. B.ANANTHI, LECTURER

- Coordinated Refresher Course Module for English Standard 1- 4 From 01/05/2021 To 31/05/2021.
- Prepared Additional Activities for Refresher Course Module For Classes 1-5 From 08/06/2021 To 11/06/2021.

PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT: (P&M)

Dr. K.KANNAKI, SENIOR LECTURER

- Bridge Course Video Shooting Review Work for Primary Mathematics.
- 6th Standard Mathematics Term Wise Multiple Choice Questions Review Work.
- 6th Standard Mathematics 100 Multiple Choice Questions Preparation Work For Term - 1.

WORK EXPERIENCE: (WE)

NAME OF THE DIET FACULTY: Dr S.V. VIJAYALAKMI SHANKAR,	
SENIOR LECTURER, WE BRANCH	
Date	ACTIVITIES
May 2021 Lock Down	BCE -XII Standard-Question and Answer Preparation -Coordination Work. Attended SAP Programme Through Zoom Meeting. VENTAL Cell Programme-Coordinated- Meeting Conducted By MGNCRE.
01.6.2021	Research Project Work
05.6.2021	Research Project Work

06.6.2021	Research Project Work
08.6.2021	Research Project Work
9.6.2021	Research Project Work
12.6.2021	Research Project Work
15.6.2021	Research Project Work
16.6.2021	Research Project Work
19.6.2021	DRC -Research Project Submission -Rough Draft
20.6.2021	DRC -Research Project Submission -Rough Draft
21.6.2021	VENTAL Cell -Meeting Conducted by Principal
22.6.2021	Research Project -Documentation Work
23.6.2021	Research Project -Documentation Work

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