

On the Path of Community Ideological and Political Education of Adult College Students

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Abstract: Adult colleges and universities are important organizations for adult education in China. As adult colleges and universities face the general public, there are big differences among students, and most of the students learn independently in their spare time, so there are less paths and more difficulties in ideological and political education for students. This paper expounds the significance of strengthening students' community ideological and political education in adult colleges and universities, analyzes the current difficulties faced by adult colleges and universities in strengthening ideological and political education, and puts forward the paths to realize ideological and political education, hoping to play a reference role for adult colleges and universities in carrying out students' community ideological and political education.

1. Introduction

2020 is an important year to achieve the Centennial goal and embark on a well-off society in an all-round way. To build a well-off society as soon as possible, we can't do without the development of science and technology and culture, and we can't do without the improvement of the ideological and moral quality of the whole people. In particular, the ideological and moral construction provides an important ideological guarantee for realizing the grand goal of building a well-off society in China. However, the current ideological and political education in China is not ideal, especially in adult colleges and universities. Therefore, strengthening the ideological and political education of adult students and improving their ideological and moral quality are of great significance to improve the quality of talents.

2. Significance of Strengthening Community Ideological and Political Education of Adult College Students

2.1. Need of the Development of the International Situation

How to improve the community ideological and political education of students, improve their ideological and moral quality, and promote the development of society is one of the problems that adult colleges should pay attention to. Therefore, adult colleges and universities should first strengthen the ideological and political education of students. Only in this way can adult students cultivate the correct values and outlook on life, enhance the students' concept of distinguishing right from wrong, identify the direction in the struggle of the international situation, and enhance their awareness of self-precaution.

2.2. Need of Social Development in China

With the continuous development of market economy, China's social form is constantly developing in the direction of diversification, which makes the society develop and grow continuously, but also brings negative effects on social development, such as serious corruption, large difference in living standards, serious unemployment and other problems^[1]. These problems restrict the development of students who are eager to find a way out. In view of these problems, adult colleges and universities should strengthen ideological and political education for students, make students clear the Party's line and policy, and let students understand that such problems can

be solved, not the inevitable result of social development. Only in this way can adult students meet the needs of social development in their own development, which is more conducive to the stable development of society.

2.3. Need of Students' Own Development

Although the adult students have different learning purposes, they are all in order to become qualified talents of socialist modernization. Whether adult college students can become qualified socialist modernization talents mainly depends on their value orientation and professional technical skills. Professional technical skills can bring more direct economic benefits to students, which is easy to achieve. But the outlook on life and values is an abstract existence often ignored by students. However, it is the development of this aspect that determines students' self-development. With the diversified development of society, people's thoughts will change, and adult college students have experienced the development of society. Therefore, strengthening the ideological and political education of students' community will help them form a correct outlook on life, values and the world, and cultivate them to become qualified socialist modern talents.

3. Dilemma of Strengthening Ideological and Political Education in Adult Colleges and Universities

3.1. Complex Structure of Students

The students in adult colleges and universities are basically social people who take part in work. They already have relatively perfect values, so it is difficult to remodel education. Moreover, the quality of students is quite different, and the age span is also large, and the cognitive level of society is also different. In addition, they are engaged in different industries, so the differences in ideological and social awareness are more obvious [2]. These students have very clear learning purposes, some are for their own skills, some are to make their qualifications and knowledge keep up with the needs of the development of enterprises, some are just for a diploma. Because of the different learning purposes of students, their ideological levels are also different, and there are obvious differences in the degree of active participation in the ideological and political education carried out by schools. It is precisely because of the complex structure of students that adult colleges and universities face, so they will face many difficulties in carrying out ideological and political education.

3.2. Ignorance to the Ideological and Political Education in Adult Colleges and Universities

At present, the main forms of adult education are self-study examination, correspondence education, distance education and open education. With the gradual expansion of colleges and universities, China's higher education is gradually lagging behind in the importance of adult education, and the ideological and political education of adult colleges and universities is not paid attention to, especially some colleges think that adult college students have formed their thoughts, so there is no need for ideological and political education. It is this wrong idea that makes the ideological and political education of adult colleges and universities into a dilemma.

3.3. Single Teaching Method

In the past, the ideological and political theory teaching generally adopts the indoctrination education, which is often taught by teachers and listened by students. Moreover, most students do not voluntarily accept the ideological and political education, while the teachers who teach adult ideological and political education have formed a fixed mode of thinking due to the long-term use of this mode of teaching. In addition, the ideological and political education for adults is not their main teaching task, so they do not study the teaching methods, and always adopt the mode of teaching according to the book.

4. Specific Paths of Ideological and Political Education in Adult Colleges and Universities

4.1. Improve Ideological and Political Education Mechanism and Strengthen the Quality Education of Students

In order to realize the ideological and political education of students, adult colleges should adhere to the concept of “moral education first” as the guiding ideology, strengthen the ideological and political education of adult students, enhance students’ professional ethics, strengthen students’ ideological and political construction, strictly follow the Party’s line and education policy, improve the ideological and political education mechanism of adult colleges, and clarify teachers’ ideological and political education responsibilities, carry out targeted ideological and political education according to the differences in age and cultural level of adult students, as well as other particularities of adult students to help the student community establish correct outlook on life, values and world [3]. In this process, teachers are the main imparters of ideological and political education. Therefore, strengthening the construction of teachers, establishing a team of teachers with good style, strong professional ability, high ideological level and familiar with the adult education mode are important to realize the ideological and political education in the community of adult college students. At the same time, colleges should strengthen the cultivation of teachers’ professionalism, solidarity, sense of responsibility, patience, service ability and scientific research ability to ensure that teachers’ ideological and political level keeps pace with the times, so as to better do the ideological and political education work for adult students. If the teachers of adult colleges and universities face the complexity of the student structure and insist on strengthening the quality education of students, then they will realize the community ideological and political education of adult colleges.

4.2. Strengthen the Importance of Ideological and Political Education in Adult Colleges and Universities

As important places to train qualified talents for socialist modernization, adult colleges and universities play a vital role in China’s higher education. Adult students are in the practical work of the society, which plays an important role in promoting the development of the society and is an important force to realize the socialist modernization in our country. Therefore, adult college students with higher ideological and political quality have a direct impact on the grand goal of realizing a well-off society as soon as possible in our country [4]. As a result, adult colleges and universities should pay more attention to the ideological and political education of adult college students, increase the input of human and material resources in education, actively guide adult college students to carry out ideological and political learning, include the ideological and political education of college students in the scope of assessment, ensure the guidance and training function of adult colleges and universities for college students, and strengthen the organization and system construction of ideological and political education in adult colleges and universities, so that these are closely related to the right of running a school and the promotion of leaders, and fundamentally ensure the realization of ideological and political education.

4.3. Innovate Teaching Methods

The innovation of teaching methods is one of the important ways to change the single teaching method and realize the ideological and political education of adult colleges to student community. Therefore, we should change the traditional indoctrination education, pay attention to the spiritual needs of students, and stimulate the enthusiasm of students to participate in learning independently. The first thing to do is to break the previous single way of education and realize diversified teaching methods. According to the purposes of adult learning and their own development characteristics, teachers can reflect on teaching methods, make in-depth study of teaching methods and teaching content, and develop a scientific and reasonable teaching program according to the specific situation of students and the actual situation of the school. For example, case teaching is using real cases to guide students into the real situation, and then think and explore. In this teaching process, we should

pay attention to the guiding role of teachers. Reflective teaching is to let students think rationally according to their own problems, and reflect on their own problems through the logic of finding, analyzing and solving problems. Through the reform of diversified education methods, students' cognitive level can be improved to a great extent, so that students can integrate theory with practice, effectively apply the learned knowledge to work, so as to meet the students' needs of seeking truth and pragmatism. In addition, the improvement of teaching content can also meet the different needs of adult college students, enhance their interest in learning and stimulate their self-learning ability.

5. Conclusion

To sum up, because the ideological and political education in adult colleges and universities has not been ignored, it is very difficult to carry out ideological and political education in student communities. In view of the important significance of strengthening ideological and political education in adult colleges and universities, we should fully realize the importance of strengthening ideological and political education in adult teaching. In this regard, adult colleges and universities should strengthen the ideological attention, change the teaching mode, improve the ideological and political education mechanism to help adult colleges and universities realize the ideological and political education, which has an important role in promoting the improvement of the cultural quality of the whole people.

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