Perspectives for Integrating Media and Information Literacy and Intercultural Dialogues into Education Policies and Plans

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Thailand 4.0 Policy

- Develop a valued-based economy or digital-based economy.
- Transform citizens into more competent people.
- Learners will be equipped with skills to utilize the power of digital technologies.
Digital technologies

- Change the way people communicate, collaborate, solve problems, make decisions, and consume information
- Learners will experience a range of different cultures
- Digital contents and resources require digital literacy skills to ensure quality of learners.
Thailand’s National core curriculum

- Cope with rapid economic and social changes
- Possess desirable values, skills for communication, critical thinking skills, problem-solving skills, etc
- Preserve all aspects of local culture and wisdoms
- Protect and conserve environment,
- Dedicate to public service for a peaceful and harmonious co-existence
Social studies, Religion and Culture

- Learners understand cultural diversity and respect the differences of people
- Provide learners with
  - knowledge and understanding of themselves and others
  - being tolerance
  - accept the differences of people and learn to be good national and global citizens.
Occupation and Technology

- Learners understand technology, designing and creating objects through creative and technological processes.

- Integrate concept of media literacy into different subjects

- Integrate into science and mathematics to solve problems efficiently.

- Learn how to choose technology for societies and environments

- Learn how to live in harmony with others

- Learners can search information from reliable sources, use logical reasoning to solve problems and their benefits
Policy and Laws on Digital Transformation

- Thailand’s Open Government Data
- Personal Data Protection Act of 2019
Conclusions

▶ Core curriculum promotes the wellness of people in the digital world

▶ Learners to participate increasingly in saving the digital environments of the world

▶ Digital technology encourages cultural interaction among people with different regional, political or ethical differences.

▶ Thai learners will be employed with cognitive and social skills, values and attitudes so that people can co-exist in a more peaceful, tolerant, secure and sustainable society.