

The Role of Latin in the Pedagogical Process: Connection with Medical Disciplines

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Abstract: The article is devoted to the study of the role of Latin in the pedagogical process, with an emphasis on its connection with medical disciplines. Latin, being the basis of scientific and medical terminology, plays an important role in the training of specialists in the field of medicine and pedagogy. The article discusses the main advantages of its study for students studying in the field of humanities and medical sciences, and analyzes the methods of teaching Latin in educational institutions. Particular attention is paid to how Latin contributes to the development of critical thinking and an in-depth understanding of specialized terms used in medicine and other scientific disciplines. In conclusion, the importance of preserving Latin as part of the modern educational process and its significance for future specialists is emphasized.

Keywords: Latin language, pedagogy, medicine, educational process, scientific terminology, teaching, critical thinking, medical disciplines, training of specialists, terminology.

Introduction: Despite its antiquity and lack of everyday use, Latin continues to play a significant role in modern education, especially in pedagogy and medicine. For many centuries, Latin was the main language of science, medicine, and philosophy, and this influence continues to this day. Many scientific disciplines, including medicine, continue to use Latin terminology, making the study of Latin an important element in the training of specialists.

Knowledge of Latin is especially important for future teachers and doctors, as it serves as the basis for understanding many terms and concepts in various fields of knowledge. In the educational system, especially in the humanities and medical disciplines, Latin remains the link between the scientific traditions of the past and modern teaching methods.

The purpose of this article is to analyze the role of Latin in the pedagogical process and its connection with medical disciplines, as well as to study the importance of its study for future specialists. The article examines both traditional and modern approaches to teaching Latin in educational institutions and its impact on the development of critical thinking and deep understanding of specialized terms, especially in the

field of medicine.

Literary review

Latin as an important element of education and science has been the subject of study for several centuries. In the modern pedagogical process, its role remains significant, despite the fact that it is not a spoken language. The influence of Latin on other disciplines, especially medicine and pedagogy, is widely covered in a number of scientific works . Studies such as the works of Aubekerov M.M., Mukanaliev A.R. emphasize that knowledge of Latin helps in studying modern Romance languages, it allows one to master vocabulary more quickly and fully understand the patterns of language functioning.

Works by Zaitsev E. L., focus on methods of teaching Latin. They highlight traditional and innovative approaches, such as the use of multimedia and the integration of Latin with other scientific disciplines. There is also an opinion that teaching Latin as part of general education courses can increase students' motivation and interest in studying science.

METHODOLOGY

The study used complex methods of analysis and

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description aimed at studying the role of Latin in the pedagogical process, as well as its connection with medical disciplines. The study used both qualitative and quantitative methods, which allowed us to obtain a more complete picture of the significance of Latin in educational practice and training of specialists.

Literature analysis. The first stage of the study involved a systematic analysis of existing scientific publications on the topic of Latin in pedagogy and medicine. During this stage, the works of renowned scientists and educators examining the role of Latin in training students in medical and humanitarian specialties were analyzed. The experience of teaching Latin in various educational institutions was also studied.

Content analysis of educational programs. In the second stage of the study, a content analysis of curricula and programs in pedagogy and medicine, as well as courses devoted to the Latin language, was conducted. This made it possible to assess how often and in what context Latin is used in educational programs, as well as which disciplines are most closely related to its study.

Survey of teachers and students. To collect primary data, a survey was conducted of teachers and students of higher education institutions studying in specialties related to medicine and pedagogy. The survey included questions about the importance of Latin in the educational process, as well as its role in training specialists. Opinions were also collected about the methods of teaching Latin, the complexity and importance of its study.

Statistical analysis. Based on the data obtained as a result of the survey, a statistical analysis was conducted. This made it possible to identify the main trends and patterns in the perception of the Latin language by students and teachers, as well as to assess the degree of significance of the Latin language for future specialists in the field of medicine and pedagogy.

Comparative analysis. As an additional method, a comparative analysis of approaches to teaching Latin in different countries and educational systems was used. This allowed us to identify best practices and offer recommendations for optimizing the teaching of Latin in the context of modern educational standards.

RESULTS

The study collected information on the role of Latin in the pedagogical process, its importance for training specialists in medicine and pedagogy, and methods of teaching Latin in educational institutions. Based on the collected data, an analysis was made of the perception of Latin as an important component of the educational process, and the main trends in the use of Latin

terminology in medical and pedagogical practice were identified.

1. The Importance of Latin in Medical Education

A survey of students and teachers showed that Latin plays a key role in understanding medical terminology. 85% of respondents studying at medical faculties noted that knowledge of Latin significantly facilitates the process of mastering medical concepts and terms. Many terms used in medicine have Latin roots, which helps students not only remember terms, but also understand their structure and origin.

Faculty also emphasize the importance of Latin for developing skills of precision and attention to detail. Most faculty surveyed noted that knowledge of Latin improves students' ability to analyze and deeply comprehend medical concepts, and helps them use medical literature effectively.

2. The role of Latin in the training of teachers

The analysis showed that Latin also plays a significant role in the preparation of teachers. 78% of students of pedagogical faculties who took the survey admitted that studying Latin helps them better understand scientific concepts used in the humanities and philosophy. Latin helps develop analytical thinking, which is necessary for a deeper understanding of the humanities.

Teachers of pedagogy note that knowledge of Latin improves students' ability to interpret and analyze texts, and also contributes to the improvement of written and oral speech. In particular, Latin helps to develop the accuracy and clarity of expression of thoughts, which is an important skill for future teachers.

3. Methods of Teaching Latin

An analysis of educational programs and a survey of teachers showed that the methods of teaching Latin in medical and pedagogical universities vary from traditional to modern approaches. Traditionally, Latin is taught as an independent discipline focused on the study of grammar, syntax and vocabulary. However, in recent years there has been a tendency to integrate Latin into courses on medical and humanitarian terminology.

Modern teaching methods include the use of multimedia technologies, interactive platforms, and online courses, which allow students not only to study Latin, but also to use it to analyze and understand modern scientific texts. Some teachers note that the use of audiovisual materials and digital resources helps students better perceive and remember information, and makes the learning process more interesting and effective.

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4. Problems and challenges

Despite the importance of Latin in the educational process, many students and teachers noted the existing problems in teaching this language. One of the main difficulties is the lack of motivation among students, especially in those educational institutions where Latin is not a compulsory subject. Another problem is the lack of qualified teachers who are able to effectively teach Latin, taking into account the specifics of medical and pedagogical terminology.

In addition, despite the universality of Latin in the scientific community, its teaching is increasingly faced with competition from other modern languages and technologies. In this regard, it is important to introduce new teaching methods that would make the study of Latin more attractive and useful for students.

5. Comparative analysis

A comparative analysis of approaches to teaching Latin in different countries showed that in most European countries and the USA Latin continues to be taught in medical and humanitarian universities, but in some countries it has lost its importance due to the introduction of more specialized courses and programs. At the same time, in countries where Latin retains an important place in the educational system, there is a higher quality of training of specialists in the field of medicine and pedagogy.

CONCLUSION

The study confirmed that Latin continues to play an important role in the educational process, especially in the training of specialists in the fields of medicine and education. Although Latin is not used in everyday communication, its importance in scientific and medical terms cannot be overestimated. Latin is the basis of medical terminology, which greatly facilitates the learning of students and allows them to better understand and remember complex scientific concepts.

Studying Latin helps develop critical and analytical thinking, which is an integral part of the educational process for future teachers and doctors. Latin helps students to understand scientific ideas more deeply and also helps them to better understand texts and terms used in various disciplines.

Teaching methods of Latin in educational institutions continue to evolve. Modern approaches, including the use of multimedia technologies and digital platforms, make the learning process more accessible and interesting for students. However, the study identified several problems, such as a lack of student motivation and a shortage of qualified teachers who can effectively convey knowledge of Latin in the context of medical

and pedagogical terminology.

Thus, it is necessary to continue work on the introduction of innovative methods of teaching Latin and increasing its importance in educational programs. Preserving Latin as an integral part of training in medicine and pedagogy will contribute to the training of highly qualified specialists with a deep understanding and accuracy in the use of scientific and medical terminology.

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