

## IMPROVING WORKS ON THE THEME OF INDEPENDENCE IN READING LESSONS

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**Abstract.** This article discusses the pedagogical importance of teaching works on the theme of independence in reading lessons in primary grades, methods of teaching them, and ways to improve these works. The role of works of art in the formation of patriotic feelings in students is also analyzed.

**Keywords:** independence, reading lesson, primary education, patriotism, work of art, pedagogical methods, education.

**Introduction.** Educating the younger generation in the spirit of patriotism is one of the important tasks in the education system of any state. In the conditions of independent Uzbekistan, this task is becoming even more urgent. In the educational process, instilling in students the ideas of independence, forming in them a sense of love for the Motherland, national pride and honor is one of the main goals of teachers.

Reading lessons in primary grades play an important role not only in improving students' literacy, but also in shaping their spiritual and moral education. In particular, through works of art on the theme of independence, students begin to understand the meaning and importance of independence. Therefore, it is important to select such works for reading lessons, teach them effectively, and improve them methodologically.

The importance of works on the theme of independence in the education of students. Works on the theme of independence are of great importance in educating the younger generation in the national spirit. Through such works, students learn about the history of their Motherland, its path to independence.

Fiction has a strong impact on the hearts of children. Through poems, stories and fairy tales given in reading lessons, the following qualities are formed in students:

- Loyalty and love for the homeland
- Respect for the values of independence
- National pride and honor
- Respect for the heritage of ancestors

Such works, along with forming a positive worldview in children, develop their thinking. Students learn such qualities as kindness, courage, and selflessness through the example of the heroes of the works.

Also, works on the theme of independence serve to form civic consciousness in students. They realize that every person is responsible for the prosperity of the Motherland.

**Methods of teaching works on the theme of independence in reading lessons.** To effectively teach works on the theme of independence, the teacher must use various pedagogical methods. These methods serve to increase student activity in the lesson process.

**Expressive reading method.** Expressive reading is one of the main methods of reading lessons. The teacher arouses interest in the text by reading it expressively. Students, in turn, develop their speech culture by reading the text expressively.

**Question and answer method.** After reading the text, the teacher asks the students various questions. These questions develop the students' thinking and help them understand the content of the text more deeply.

**For example:**

- What do you understand by independence?



- What qualities does the hero in the work have?
- What does it mean to serve the homeland?

**Role-playing method.** Role-playing games develop students' creative abilities. Students better understand the content of the text by playing the roles of characters in the work.

**Cluster Method.** Through the cluster method, students freely express their thoughts on concepts such as "Homeland", "Independence", and "Freedom". This method develops their independent thinking.

**Ways to improve works on the theme of independence.** In reading lessons, it is necessary to use a number of methodological approaches to improve works on the theme of independence.

**Enrich the content of the work.** It is important that the works reflect the development of independent Uzbekistan, the opportunities created for young people, and the changes in our country. This will help students understand the real results of independence.

**Use of modern pedagogical technologies.** The use of interactive methods, multimedia tools and innovative technologies in the lesson process increases the interest of students.

For example:

- presentations
- videos
- interactive tasks

**Develop students' creative activities.** Students can be given creative tasks such as writing a short story, drawing a picture, or memorizing a poem on the theme of independence. This develops their independent thinking.

**Use of historical materials.** Using historical information in the lesson process expands the scope of students' knowledge. For example, you can provide brief information about Independence Day, national symbols, and historical figures.

**Creating an educational environment in reading lessons.** Creating an educational environment is important when teaching works on the theme of independence in reading lessons. The teacher should use various educational methods to form a sense of respect for the Motherland in students.

For example:

- Reading poems about the Motherland
- Holding events dedicated to the Independence Day
- Organizing conversations about national symbols

Such activities strengthen the sense of respect for national values in students.

**Conclusion.** In conclusion, teaching works on the theme of independence in reading lessons is important in educating the younger generation in the spirit of patriotism. Through such works, students develop love for the Motherland, national pride and respect for the values of independence.

The effectiveness of education can be increased by using modern pedagogical methods in the lesson process, enriching the content of the work and stimulating the creative activity of students. As a result, students will grow up as well-rounded individuals who deeply understand the ideas of independence and feel responsible for the prosperity of the Motherland.

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