

WEBINAR REPORT

DATE : 24TH MAY, 2021 [11:00 to 12:15pm]
THEME : EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING IN PRACTICE
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CBSE-Thiruvananthapuram has organized a webinar on the topic "Experiential Learning in Practice" with the objective to acquaint the teachers with the theory and pedagogy through application of Kolb's experimental learning cycle and develop the competencies and skills to embed inquiry into experiential learning. National Education Policy-2020 has changed the landscape of learning in India and moves away from rote learning to experiential learning.

Below mention topics were covered in detail:

FIVE THEORIES OF LEARNING:

- **Social & Contextual**-Learn from and with others.
- **Experientialism**- Learning experiences
- **Constructivism**-Mental Models
- **Cognitivism**- Flow of knowledge
- **Behaviourism**-Stimulus response

WHAT IS EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING?

- Experiential Learning focuses on the practical application of knowledge and skills to real world experiences to increase learner's understanding and develop competence in skills and behaviours. This concept was first explored by John Dewey, Kurt Hahn, Kurt Lewin and Jean Piaget.

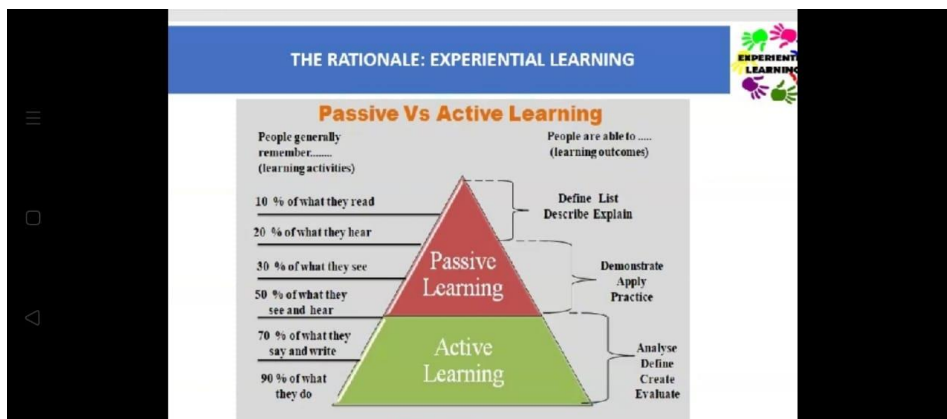
WHY IS EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING?

- Experiential Learning is critical to advancing skills of students' observation, inference, analysis and many higher orders thinking skills. It is an active, learner-centric methodology and engages students in interactive activities where learner put knowledge and skills in a meaningful manner.

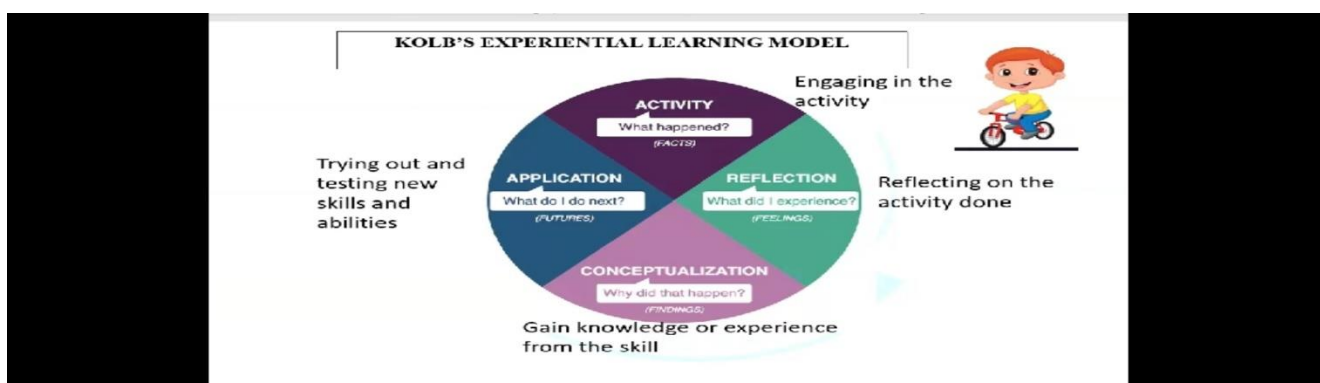
INCORPORATING SIMPLE EXPERIENTIAL ACTIVITIES IN CLASS:

- Determine what goals or outcomes the students need to meet or attain.
- Choose or modify an activity that helps to meet those goals.
- Have a clear time-line for the execution of an activity.
- Challenge the students to take time to consider the lesson they are meant to learn.

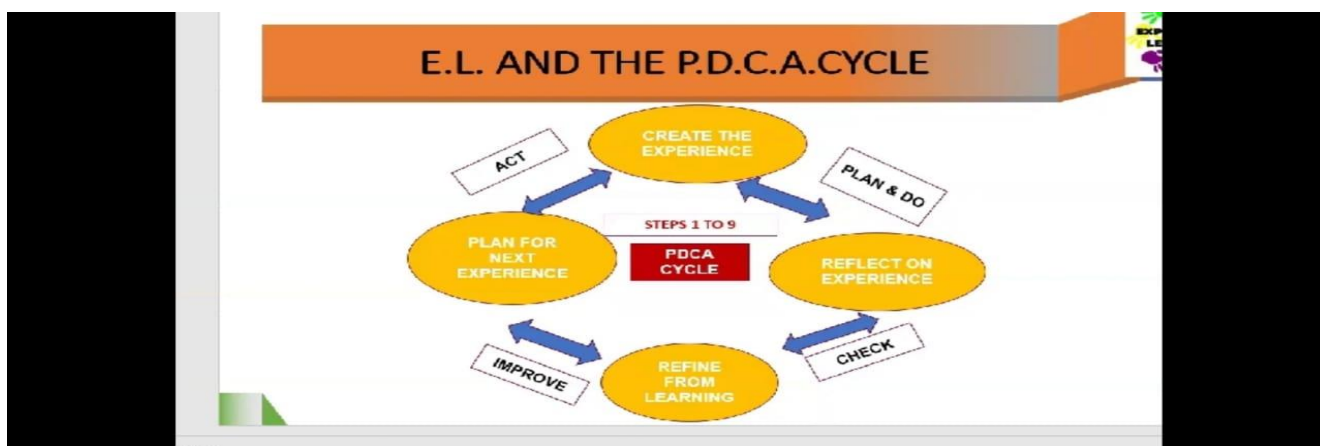
THE RATIONALE : EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING



KOLB'S EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING MODEL



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING & P.D.C.A CYCLE



Resource person recommended to watch the video entitled “Math in Morocco: Where Math grow on trees”. Significance and relevance of Experiential learning in learning process was discussed in detail with several real life examples.

Wonderful and informative session it was and enriches our knowledge to explore various means to make our teaching learners-centric.

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