

IMPLEMENTATION OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT) IN ALBANIAN EDUCATION

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Abstract

The use of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) in all life spheres has become a daily necessity all over the developed world. ICT has changed the way of how our communication and information function as individuals and/or organizations. One of the most specifically affected organizations is the school. ICT has brought changes in the development of learning in education. Ministry of Education and Science relying on the European models for education introduced the integration of ICT in teaching and learning. The presence of ICT in the classroom offers great benefits for students, enhances conceptual and perceptual skills of the students in the classroom, facilitating the learning process. This possibility brings dynamism in teaching and learning, puts students in control of their learning by creating progress in the independent development. This research paper will reflect the implementation of ICT in educational curricula and whether or not of the objectives fulfillment. The paper will directly address: every school nationwide to be equipped with computer labs and Internet, teachers skills in implementing ICT and the internet access in every classroom. The paper is based on interviews, documents and reports of various institutions.

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