

Mapping Teacher Character Respond to The Change of Student Characteristic in Milenial Era

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this research are to find out the characteristics of today's students in teacher perspective, find out the main character ??that teachers need to develop and find out why today's teachers need to develop the main characters? Qualitative research methods used to gather data. The informants of this study were high school teachers who had the criteria to be able to control class and have experience in educating students from diverse backgrounds. Data collection by observation, interviews and focus group discussions. The characteristics of today's students are somewhat different from the characteristics of student before. Today, students have more superior knowledge than before, student more easier to access knowledge using technology such as internet. In terms of personality, student tend to harbor problems and difficult to discuss with others, tend to be individual and depend on high electronic equipment. Social sensitivity and social concern begin to diminish. Therefore, the main character values ??that teachers need to develop are the value of firmness, caring, closeness (snacking), discipline, exemplary and authority. These values ??need to be developed because in the aspect of knowledge, student can maintenance by their self, they cant broad their knowledge with technology, but in the aspects of self and social control, it needs assistance and approaches from the teacher. Teachers need to know the characteristics of each student so they can provide appropriate treatment.

Kata Kunci: *Student Character, Teacher, Main Character*