

Intersection b/n meaning, features & advantages

1. Competence

“It is an approach that focuses on competencies”

“One important feature of modular approach is its heavy reliance on the identification, specification, incorporation and evaluation of competencies.... Competencies are very important elements of modular approach.”

“Modular approach is good because it gives more emphasis for competencies rather than academic knowledge [theoretical] which I think are very important to make our students competent in the world of work.”

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2. Student participation,

“It is an educational philosophy that emphasizes on student-centred instruction.”

“One major characteristics of the current education is the stress given to student participation. We are expected to do many things to successfully accomplish our courses.”

“Modular approach is advantageous in many ways. One of these advantages is that it gives ample opportunities for students to participate in the teaching learning process. This, in turn, enhances students self confidence to perform by themselves.”

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3. Freedom

“In principle, modularization is an approach that gives freedom for the student to do things in their own pace and preference; to choose the type of courses they wanted to take or study programs they wanted to join.”

“One feature of modularization is the freedom that it provides for students to choose and carry on their study based on their preference and capability.”

“It is helpful for the student because it gives them the opportunity to...; and the freedom to leave their education at any time and come back in another time”