

Impact of Sociolinguistic Competence Development on Speaking Skills Among the Young Generation

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Abstract

As an important part of communication competence, sociolinguistic competence means using language correctly in a range of social and cultural settings. Its growth is key to improving speaking skills, especially among younger people who depend on effective communication for success in school, work, and personal life. This study looks at how sociolinguistic competence affects oral proficiency and what that means for schooling, identity formation, and understanding other cultures. This paper uses current research, theory frameworks, and empirical studies to look into how mastering sociolinguistic nuances helps people change how they talk to different people in different social situations, which makes them more confident and skilled in speaking. Also, the study shows how important it is to include sociolinguistic understanding in language classes so that students are ready for communication problems they might face in real life. Overall, this paper wants to give useful information about how sociolinguistic competence and oral communication work together, arguing that it plays a big part in forming the communication skills of young people.

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Introduction

Effective communication is essential in today's multicultural and interconnected world, especially for younger people who often interact with people from different languages and cultural backgrounds. Human interaction no longer limits verbal communication to the use of proper language and grammar. Social and linguistic literacy includes being

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