

The Art of Learning

SMP MUHAMMADIYAH 7 EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

In "Archive No. 2: The Teaching System," it is noted that SMP Mutu follows the "Curriculum Merdeka," which promotes a personalized learning experience. The school aims to help students reach their potential by offering diverse opportunities to explore and develop their talents.

SMP Mutu provides students with a variety of extracurricular activities and classes to explore and develop their skills in specific areas.



"Learning outside the four corners of the classroom."

They offer **entrepreneurship** classes where students interested in business can learn and showcase their DIY products. **Photography** classes allow students to focus on the arts and further develop their skills. **Podcasting** courses help students interested in broadcasting develop useful skills for the future. There is also a **Canva class** that teaches students how to use the platform in various ways, along with **exercise or sports** and **music** programs.

One class that I have observed during extracurricular day was the entrepreneurship class here I saw students craft their menu for their upcoming activity where they will be tasked to prepare the foods and beverages written in their menu which they will showcase in one school event. Unluckily, I didn't get the chance to witness it.



SMP Mutu also aims to broaden their students learning ground by participating in contests and conferences. In addition, they also have out learning classes where students learning are applied in local contexts.



Out Learning Class

Application to Local context



English Class Application

On English class they discussed how to use English language in giving direction to someone. To apply the learnings of the students in a real life context we had an activity to visit Pasar Gedhe.



What is Pasar Gedhe?

Pasar Gedhe is a traditional market in Indonesia where we can see all of their traditional foods and fruits.

How does learning take place?

Since it is a traditional market, the students are tasked to take us around and help us (Filipina-English speakers) learn the direction to buy their local foods by speaking English.



How did it ended?

I get to try their famous traditional foods and get the chance to learn Bahasa language. As for the students, their English speaking skills are put to test since they are being practice to learn how to speak and communicate in English.

Purpose...

The over-all purpose of the activity is to teach the students how to give proper directions using the English language in a local context. They also stands as the translator for the locals who wants to communicate with us in English.