

Participatory Methodology

Total self-giving, involvement, genuine empathy, sharing in the situations of people and participatory processes are characteristics of Participatory Methodology. In the history of Montfortian education, these cherished values as an educational methodology go a long way in bringing about personal and social transformation.

During the session, participants will learn about the values of Participatory Methodology and its transformative effects as an educational methodology in the Montfort schools. Instances of Participatory Methodology in the school context will be shared during the session. The facilitators will use guiding discussion questions to generate productive conversations. At the end of the session, participants will be able to draw on the ideas and suggestions learnt from one another to manifest the practice of Participatory Methodology in their own schools.

Discussion Questions:

1. Share an occasion where you have demonstrated or you have observed someone in school demonstrated the values of Participatory Methodology.
2. Share an existing practice in your school that promotes the values of Participatory Methodology.
3. If you have the power and resources, how would you create a school culture where all the stakeholders readily embrace the values of Participatory Methodology?