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Moodle virtual classroom to motivate physical education learning at the Universidad Regional Amazonica Ikiam

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Abstract

The COVID-19 pandemic forced a transition from a face-to-face education model to a purely virtual one, for which the implementation of virtual classrooms became essential. This was a challenge in the subject of physical education, since it was developed exclusively in a face-to-face manner. Therefore, the objective of this research was to implement and evaluate a virtual classroom in Moodle, using a series of ICT tools to promote learning in the aforementioned subject. The methodology used consisted in the design of a virtual classroom based on the pedagogical model of constructivism and supported by the methodological strategy of ERCA (Experience, Reflection, Construction and Application), supported by digital tools and a subsequent evaluation through a student survey. As part of the results, it was determined that 68.6% have a laptop or computer and 85.7% have Internet at home. In turn, it was determined that 85.2% considered that the virtual classroom used and all its components contributed significantly to the learning of physical education, reducing sedentary lifestyles and inserting physical activities in their daily routine.

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