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1 ICTs and New Scenarios for Diversity

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6 **Abstract**

7 Research is a process aimed at seeking new knowledge, in this case, it will be to find
8 alternative paths in the field of new technologies that serve to support special educational
9 needs. Society demands these technological contributions to solve problems that contribute to
10 inclusion, which led man to work with greater ergonomics; The school, a social institution,
11 also needs these resources so that all students can build a teaching process of functional and
12 meaningful learning for each and every student. The educational system outlines an education
13 that attends to the educational needs of all students; and from these pages the intention is
14 that new technologies are a path of support that assists diversity and inclusion.

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16 **Index terms**— ICTs, diversity, inclusion.

17 Introduction society advances at a dizzying pace, the future is immediately present, the institutions that make
18 up the different spheres provide efficiency, quality, drive and validity in a minimum time; and education cannot
19 be withdrawn, it must be in accordance with the world in which we live. And a key part of most social systems
20 are new technologies, they support current and future projects in all areas, and we stop here, since it is also
21 educational.

22 ICTs as an educational instrument will have to create immediate responses in order to attend to diversity;
23 will have to solve pending questions in the education regarding the subjects with deficiency, handicap and/or
24 disability; new challenges will have to be faced in the face of equal opportunities for all subjects with the right to a
25 decent education; It will create material resources so that students, whether or not they have special educational
26 needs, can learn without distinction; In short, research must be at the service of the educational process, in this
27 case, innovating and creating technological resources that can be incorporated into the inclusive classroom.

28 We can observe that when speaking of the media and new technologies applied to attention to diversity, it is
29 to focus on two important points:

30 to. Keep in mind that these materials are intended to integrate students; Teachers must include these means
31 as a resource capable of adapting to a wide range of educational needs of students; otherwise, we would be
32 segregating subjects for having some learning difficulty.

33 Research must be at the service of education to design and produce specific means that can be of help and
34 benefit to people with special educational needs.

35 Educational institutions, throughout their history, have used different technological resources to support their
36 activities. Traditionally, the educational resources used only allowed to carry out information transmission
37 processes in a unidirectional and passive way for students through standard formats, while On the contrary, the
38 new ICTs incorporated in the last decades have made it possible to guarantee two-way communication, higher
39 levels of interaction between teachers and students, and the use of new multimedia formats. In the case of
40 Chile, in recent years the use of ICT in education has increased considerably, responding to the changes brought
41 about by the introduction of new technologies to the teaching and learning processes, which has opened up the
42 possibility that education Reach a larger number of students, also allowing to generate a greater personalization
43 of the teaching and learning processes, a necessary condition to achieve significant learning and finally, it has
44 provided the possibility of providing students with the technological and pedagogical resources that eventually
45 allow them to be agents in the production and distribution of knowledge.

1 I. THE CONCEPT OF ICTS AND EDUCATION

46 This introduction of ICT to education has been the result of a process fundamentally planned, implemented and
47 promoted by the Enlace Program, an initiative that dates back to the early 1990s. This program began in 1992 as
48 a pilot initiative and aimed to introduce infrastructure and connectivity in schools, implement digital resources,
49 develop teacher training and carry out methodological support, promoting educational equity and quality. In
50 1998, this program became a national-level initiative under the Ministry of Education, and in 2006 92% of public
51 schools already had appropriate infrastructure. According to Sánchez and Salinas, the implementation of Links
52 considerably improved the access and use of ICT. Even the report of the World Economic Forum, which aims to
53 compare the use of technology among 143 countries in different social areas such as work, daily life and education,
54 places Chile as the best positioned Latin American country in the region. However, the measurements made in
55 2011 by the Chilean Ministry of Education, through the SIMCE ICT for New Ideas in Educational Computing
56 TISE 2015, 222 school students, show some limitations.

57 The assessed skills, which go beyond a purely technical domain, assume the ability to solve real-life problems in
58 digital environments. The results obtained reveal that three quarters of the students can be considered functional
59 manipulators of technologies, that is, that they have the ability to search for information, organize and manage
60 digital information. Notwithstanding the foregoing, only a third of students are capable of developing higher-
61 order cognitive processes, which involve the development of their own ideas in digital environments. In summary,
62 although there has been an intention to promote the use of ICT, particularly in education, a large part of users is
63 still not able to build and/or distribute agent knowledge and information. Considering the above, it is necessary
64 to know what is effectively investigated when empirically studying the relationship between ICT and education.
65 With this objective, this review seeks to account for the current state of research in this area, through an updated
66 and systematic review of the literature that allows assessing the state of research regarding the use of technology
67 and its relationship with processes. of learning in which it is involved, seeking to answer the following questions:
68 What are the real uses of technology for educational purposes? What is the effect of its uses on the teaching and
69 learning processes?

70 1 I. The Concept of icts and Education

71 As a previous step to the description of the findings of this review, it is necessary to clarify the terminology
72 related to the topic that gives rise to this work. In more concrete terms, address concepts and definitions related
73 to ICT and education in Chile. The concepts that arise from this thematic area are related, for the most part,
74 to the use or employment of technology to the teaching and learning process. When talking about the use or
75 application of technology in educational contexts, we commonly refer to digital technologies in general, which can
76 include software, television, smartphones and the internet. More specifically and for the purposes of this review,
77 the ICT concept will include all those digital technologies or resources, mentioned above, used for the purpose of
78 communicating, creating, disseminating, storing and managing information in teaching and learning situations.

79 One of the main and most recurring concepts in the literature reviewed is that of information and
80 communication technologies or ICT. For this same reason, this concept also has multiple meanings, something
81 similar occurs with the term e-learning or online learning/education, Distance Learning and Computer Supported
82 Collaborative Learning (CSCL). Similarly, the term e-learning or online learning/ education refers to the teaching
83 and learning processes facilitated through ICT, specifically the internet. Distance learning/education, meanwhile,
84 defines all those teaching and learning situations where teachers and students do not share the same space and
85 time. The foregoing is also related to the concept of blended learning or b-learning, which refers to those instances
86 that combine teaching and learning processes in face-to-face and non-face-to-face contexts. For Allen & Seaman
87 blearning (also called hybrid learning) consists of instructional processes where much of the content (30% to 80%)
88 is provided online.

89 A line of research that manages to group together these commonly used generic concepts when we refer to
90 technology and learning is Computer Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL). CSCL is a multidisciplinary
91 research line based on collaborative learning and information and communication technologies. In simple terms,
92 this area of research studies how people learn in conjunction with the support of computers, emphasizing the
93 construction of knowledge that occurs in teaching and learning situations.

94 This area of research has different approaches, but fundamentally focuses on the idea that the construction of
95 knowledge and subsequently, learning are processes that occur through the mediation of technology. This concept
96 of mediation has its origin in the sociocultural perspective of teaching and learning that arises in agreement with
97 the ideas of Vygotsky and his followers. As Coll, Mauri and Onrubia maintain, the development of higher
98 psychological processes that operate in learning are characterized by the use of instruments of symbolic origin
99 acquired socially such as language and other systems of representation that mediate between the subject and
100 that which is the object of your learning (content).

101 Similarly, ICT is a means of representation that can introduce favorable changes in learning since it implies
102 that students develop new skills through these new forms of transmission, processing and use of information.
103 According to what Rasmussen & Ludvigsen has stated, this mediation process is based on the hypothesis that
104 individual agency and, therefore, the construction of knowledge, occurs through the relationship and interaction
105 with other individuals in diverse social contexts. Similarly, the relationship between the learning process and
106 technology is located at the intersection between the individual and what surrounds him, that is, this relationship
107 occurs through the mediation of cultural tools, which can be mental and/or materials. Another dimension of

108 the relationship between ICT and education relates to the abilities or skills that students have to use these
109 tools, called computer literacy, media literacy or ICT skills in English. This area is related to the development,
110 measurement and comparison of skills and/or abilities in the use of ICT in teachers and students.

111 In the field of teaching, much of the research carried out corresponds to teacher training, which in turn is
112 divided into initial teacher training and university teaching training. In this area, a previous review carried out
113 by ??laro (2015), which summarizes research related to the impact of ICT on the learning of Chilean students,
114 indicates that the improvements reported in learning are fundamentally related to the development of specific
115 skills in the use of ICT in also specific areas of knowledge, reporting greater impacts on the uses and skills of
116 ICT in the areas of language, mathematics and science.

117 There are also minor impacts on 'other' learning, such as motivation, digital literacy, and development of
118 transversal skills and abilities. In short, considering the background set out above, it is widely known that ICTs
119 can contribute to considerably improve in the processes of New Ideas in Educational Computing (TISE 2015),
120 teaching and learning, in some occasions, an adequate use of these Technologies can generate a significant impact
121 within the classroom, specifically when they mediate the relationship of the users of these technologies with
122 information and with other users.

123 In this sense, there is also an agreement that the use of ICT contributes considerably to facilitating processes
124 related to learning, such as the transfer of information, the exchange and development of ideas, the exploration
125 of shared resources and collaboration in the construction of knowledge. However, the aforementioned, this
126 relationship is somewhat more complex, considering that the introduction of technology to teaching processes
127 does not by itself modify or improve learning processes.

128 Returning to the approaches held by the sociocultural perspective mentioned above, the acquisition or
129 development of skills in the use of ICT refers to the meaning given to information through the use of socially
130 and culturally available resources and the way they are used said resources in communication through different
131 formats and media. Thus, technology is conceived as an available cultural tool that also changes over time. In
132 this same sense, the acquisition of competences and/or skills in the use of technology for educational purposes
133 overcomes the simple "literacy" that is related to basic communication skills with the support of technology and
134 is closer to higherorder cognitive skills than They are linked to the creation of content and the construction of
135 knowledge through or through the mediation of technological tools or supports.

136 Sefton-Green, Nixon & Erstad , point out that these ICT skills and competences can be summarized as:
137 basic skills (general use of a computer that includes aspects such as the use of text editing software and other
138 basic programs), skills related to information access and management (searching the internet, downloading
139 information, classifying and reorganizing it critically) and skills related to content creation (communicating
140 information through different media and formats and interacting or collaborating with others to create new
141 content).

142 **2 II. What do We Understand by New**

143 Educational Technologies?

144 We can say that technological development defines social change, and that consequently technology has a direct
145 and significant influence on society, which also has an impact on the educational field. But what is understood by
146 "New Technologies", according to Martínez (1999) states that in recent years this term has been coined to name
147 a series of machines that have the common denominator of having been created from the material development
148 of microelectronics and that they are being applied in various communication systems; and the idea of "progress"
149 has been associated with new technologies; in short, they are electronic tools in continuous development.

150 These new technologies are made up of a formal aspect, since they are "means" that consume, store, use and
151 provide data; and a material aspect, they have storage capacity and complementation, and speed.

152 The new educational technologies that are being progressively incorporated in the Educational Centers are
153 innovative means that will allow members of the educational community to develop more complete and effective
154 training due to the characteristics offered by these resources, among which we can highlight: great ability to
155 adjust and adapt to the different characteristics of individuals, group work, the sender and the receiver can be
156 found in different places and times, training in technological content, among others.

157 In the educational process, technological resources must be incorporated that are truly useful for all students
158 because, given a diversity of individual characteristics, the teacher must resort to mechanisms that offer adequate
159 performance. Many are the social institutions, worldwide, that obtain a beneficial result from these technologies,
160 and at the educational level, the compensation that working with them should also be used.

161 **3 III. How to Attend to Diversity with Technological Tools**

162 Educational development is based on an understanding between the teacher and the students, for this, good
163 communication is necessary; This does not occur in a vacuum, in this case, its context is the classroom,
164 and according to Schramm (1973; cit. In Cabero, 1999: 39) "to communicate you have to want to do it."
165 Communication is a process of data transmission and acquisition, it is an explicit and implicit manifesto of
166 information that the issuer intends to manifest to the receiver; In an inclusive classroom, individual differences
167 are quite a lot, so attention must be paid to ensure that there is fluid communication between members.

4 BRAIN INJURIES AND COGNITIVE DELAY:

168 We must say that the new technologies as an educational resource will help us so that the teachinglearning
169 process enjoys good communication since there are hardware and software adapted to the educational needs of
170 the students and thus, the teacher can impart their work without difficulty of understanding.

171 Educational technological resources have a high capacity to adapt to the handicaps, deficiencies and/or
172 disabilities that may arise in the classroom; An example of this may be the different hardware and software that
173 we can resort to so that students work with multimedia equipment and can access it without causing segregation
174 between subjects with special educational needs and the rest of the individuals. Regarding these hardware and
175 software mentioned, we can present a series of examples depending on the type of disability (Toledo, 2001):

176 1. Motor disabled: Keyboards adapted to subjects with psychomotoric problems where the repetition rate of
177 the keys and the sequence of keystrokes, switches or pointers are modified to access computers, telephones, etc.
178 for students who cannot move their fingers and type (hardware); speech recognition programs for subjects who
179 cannot use the keyboard due to their limitations (software). 2. Visually impaired: Screen amplifiers for people
180 with low vision, and they would become like a kind of magnifying glasses (hardware); The "DILE" program is
181 an encyclopedic dictionary in Spanish designed to be used by blind people or people with severe visual problems
182 (software).

183 4 Brain injuries and cognitive delay:

184 The "Millie's House of Mathematics" program that consists of six activities where students can explore
185 mathematical knowledge (software); "Trudy's House of Time and Space" also includes five activities, but related
186 to geography and time (software).

187 Equal opportunities can be a reality today with the help of these technological advances. All subjects enrolled
188 in Educational Centers who receive formal education must receive adequate support according to their specific
189 characteristics (Arnaiz, 1996); education must be tailored to everyone, otherwise we would be segregating and
190 discriminating against students (García Pastor, 2000); From these pages we propose how necessary is a legal
191 framework that responds to diversity, as well as functional, human and material resources to bring the theory
192 to an educational practice accessible to all. We previously said Fuentes 4 Magazine, Pere Marquès Pilar Casals
193 ??2003), that educational research is an essential tool for teaching to develop and adjust to all learners; New
194 technologies can provide this service as material capable of adapting to special educational needs, and the teachers
195 trained in these resources will be the appropriate personnel to instruct.

196 The use of new technologies for educational purposes must open new doors in the teaching-learning processes
197 for those who use them and may obtain important benefits in education. Although we do not intend to cut
198 traditional material such as textbooks, blackboards, worksheets, we must say that these are characterized by the
199 unidirectional relationship between them and the receiver; and in favor of new technologies, we must say that a
200 good use and knowledge of these promote bidirectional communication processes, for which we say that for this,
201 both students and teachers must be trained in handling, language and ideological criticism.

202 In this educational context, and Fuentes 4 Magazine, Pere Marquès Pilar Casals (2003), Muntaner (2000:
203 775) exposes: "... interactivity with computer and audiovisual technologies should mean the construction of new
204 knowledge that can be represented in a way different from what we are used to."

205 Now, since the presence of personal computers began to expand in the 1980s, a career of advances began that
206 had a boost in 1990 with the penetration of the Internet and that in recent years with the possibilities that our
207 cell phones have. society has changed. A change that should be reflected in education. There are many looks to
208 be made in which, perhaps, the educational use of these tools is a very important topic, but it is not the only
209 one.

210 Let's start with initial education, where everything begins. The digital world is approaching these levels. Is
211 it appropriate? Should the construction of all the competencies be different? Families play an important role
212 in these ages. Are you aware of the harm/benefits of parking your child with technological devices? Something
213 similar occurs in primary education. The media is full of news, some not so true, that in a reference country
214 handwriting is eliminated, the fact that a public school in Madrid forces 6-year-olds to equip themselves with a
215 650-euro iPad, and many similar ones. Faced with these situations, what attitude should education take? At this
216 level, the relationship with two aspects of life such as nature and art. Are they used? Are they taught? What
217 role should we give to technologies in the education of a 10-year-old boy or girl?

218 When we face secondary education and high school we must begin to bear in mind the end of that stage. Are
219 the same knowledge that we should give to students in the digital society as in the industrial one? A subject
220 that may require major reforms so that our students upon arrival at the university have the required knowledge,
221 attitudes, aptitudes and content. An example is the ability to work as a team. Another example is digital
222 citizenship. Our students pass secondary school spend a large part of their social life in the digital environment.
223 Do we educate them for it? Do they know how to protect their privacy? Do they know how to react to digital
224 harassment? At these levels, technologies take a more present role in education. Education cannot be neutral
225 against commercial interests and must defend technological independence so as not to create tied consumers for
226 tomorrow.

227 An important point for the new economy is the ability of education to train professionals suited to the new
228 labor markets and in this point professional technical education plays an important role. It must stop being the
229 second option, it must offer attractive studies for its connection to the new society and for its employability.

230 Our public inclusion policies have several constant slogans. One of them, perhaps the main one, is to promote
231 an inclusive education, in which everyone feels welcomed, in which young people have the opportunity to be in
232 classrooms and in which their right to be educated is not expropriated. Can the digital environment help us in
233 this regard? Could it be a means to help us dramatically decrease school failure?

234 Two instruments are mainly affected by the digital environment. On the one hand, literacy and on the other,
235 mathematics. They are two curricular spaces that are present from early childhood education. Their good
236 learning is transferred to other subjects and therefore they have great relevance. How do we approach literacy in
237 the digital society? Mathematics has found a great resource in GeoGebra and other free tools that can be used
238 from primary to university and behind which there are a huge number of developers who improve and extend
239 them.

240 On these reflections we have two pending issues. The first is that of teacher training, both initial and continuing.
241 It is necessary to give a relevant role to the digital environment. Teachers must know the tools that they will
242 have and be able to keep up to date, and collaborative work is essential for this.

243 The other pending issue, and perhaps always pending, is that of evaluation. We must move from words
244 to deeds. Fifty years ago there was talk of ratings, numbers, and increasingly stronger now there is talk of
245 evaluations, that is, appreciations not always transferable to numbers. Many teachers find themselves with an
246 elaborate assessment work that they cannot later transfer to the data collection tools that are not allow you to
247 enter anything other than a number. We must break the numerical inertia and go to the qualitative. Are new
248 possibilities opened up thanks to the digital environment?

249 IV.

250 5 The Chilean Experience

251 In recent years, Chile has considerably increased the use of ICT in educational contexts. Despite this progress,
252 there is little information to report the research that has been carried out in this area. With the purpose of
253 knowing the state of the arts in education that uses information technologies, a systematic search of the literature
254 was carried out, which resulted in 90 works, of which 45 were selected, corresponding to studies published since
255 2005 in forward and obey previously defined criteria to ensure the rigor and quality of the review. The findings
256 refer to three This modality was born in the context of a line of teacher training with the support of a virtual
257 component implemented by the CPEIP. On the other hand, a recent study carried out under the Links project
258 shows that 92% of establishments have technological infrastructure and 76% of teachers have been trained in the
259 use of ICT, the foregoing as a result of project implementation. Links. On the other hand, the penetration of
260 ICT use in teachers is increasing, 80% of teachers with equipment in the home, 51% with Internet, 58% with
261 broadband ??Collect and Links 2004).

262 The development and implementation of the experience included: a) the selection and training of tutors, b)
263 the pedagogical design of the course, c) the design and implementation of the course on the Moodle platform;
264 d) development of various content support resources, e) application of Pre and Post Test and summative and
265 formative evaluations. The course trained 786 teachers nationwide, divided into 29 courses, with an average of
266 27 students per course. For tutorial support during the implementation of the course, a community of tutors
267 was created to support them in their tasks of tutoring the course in the areas: administrative, technical, social
268 and pedagogical. The work methodology placed the teacher at the center of learning, as an apprentice who
269 autonomously defines her learning path. In this context, the participant builds knowledge through interaction
270 with: the materials, the tutor and the classmates in a diverse educational environment.

271 The development and implementation of the experience included: the selection and training of tutors, for which
272 the Salmon e-modetaring model was used, creating activities as learning objects. A profile was designed to select
273 the tutors and they were trained through an e-learning course that ended with a face-toface meeting. Regarding
274 the pedagogical design of the course, which has been conceived under an interactive model for the teaching of
275 mathematics whose conception is very close to the expression of the Madison Project, which is synthesized in:
276 "guess -try, put the idea to the test -watch what happens and ... learn how to continue.

277 OTHERWISE The design and implementation of the course on the Moodle platform; contemplated the
278 organization of content into units, which have three areas: Activities and Assessment: it meets the set of
279 activities organized weekly, within the week by day and within the day, specific activities with a brief description
280 and time development estimate, considers a weekly formative evaluation and a unit grade; Interactions: includes
281 a discussion forum, a space for consultations and a wall newspaper; Library: groups the different resources such
282 as readings, guides, Applets, reference material.

283 Guides, reference material, applets (component of an application that runs in the context of another program,
284 for example, in a web browser), readings, references to sites were IMPLEMENTED for the development of the
285 various content support resources., among other resources. Likewise, a Pre and Post Test was applied at the
286 beginning of the course, a pre-test and a post-test at the end. IN THE OBTAINING AND ANALYSIS OF THE
287 INFORMATION, statistical data were taken on in-person participation, evaluations with qualifications on the
288 platform and registration of participations in interactive spaces on the platform.

289 V.

290 **6 Results and Discussion**

291 In this section the main results of the course are presented, they have been obtained through the different
292 information registration systems such as: the application of the Pre and Post Test, the attendance to the face-to-
293 face, the results of the summative evaluations on the platform and the data obtained from the platform regarding
294 participation in interactive spaces.

295 **7 a) Participation in the course**

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309 be developed and digital resources as a presentation for their support.

310 **9 ii. Participation In-person Sessions**

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312 content. For the development of these presentials, the tutor was given a plan to follow with the activities to be
313 developed and digital resources as a presentation for their support.

314 **10 iii. Participation in exchange spaces**

315 This section will analyze the participation of the participants in the various asynchronous spaces contemplated
316 for communication between the tutor with the students and between the participants themselves.

317 **11 iv. Participation in permanent spaces**

318 Permanent spaces are a set of tools mainly forums that are available for use by participants throughout the
319 course.

320 165 technical questions are presented, an average of 5.5 per course. These doubts are related to the use of
321 the platform and the configuration of computers to run certain applications such as Applets. In the social forum
322 there are 765 topics open by the participants, within them there are various levels of interaction difficult to
323 quantify, the average is 26.3 topics open per course, remember that these topics are initiated and encouraged by
324 the participants themselves, there being no or little participation of the tutor, except in the welcome forum that
325 the tutor starts in this space. The social forum becomes a kind of "virtual teachers' room".

326 In news items restricted to tutor-only publications that cannot be debated by the participants, 624 interventions
327 were registered with an average of 21.5 interventions. These correspond to information and guidelines that the
328 tutors make available to their students regarding the development of the activities, rendering of evaluations and
329 evaluation criteria, among others.

330 **12 v. Participation in interactive spaces**

331 The participation in the interactive spaces, although it is variable in each unit, follows similar trends that are
332 later reflected in the global of the three units. In this sense, the discussion forum concentrates most of the
333 interventions, followed by the daily mural forum and queries.

334 As you can see, the course presented an effort to provide teachers of the second cycle of primary education with
335 a quality improvement process that allows building the knowledge, both disciplinary and didactic, necessary for
336 the participant to improve their practices. pedagogical. The above in a distance modality that favors interaction
337 with peers and the tutor within a learning community. The main conclusions are: High interest in participating
338 in the course: The interest shown by teachers to improve in Geometry has been reflected in the high numbers
339 of enrolled and enrolled, which confirms the perceived need to train in this area. A total of 1,004 registered
340 participants are registered.

341 Active students: The number of students who have remained active in the course is highly positive of the
342 original 1,004 enrolled 786 gave summative evaluation 1, 78% effective participation, and between these and
343 those who take the final evaluation there is a retention level of 83 % of the participants. Additionally, an average
344 of 670 participants connect to the course weekly, 85% of the active participants.

345 13 Assessment of content and resources:

346 The course content and the various resources it provides have been valued by the participants, due to their
347 quality, contextualization and the feasibility that they can use and transfer to work in the classroom. Applets
348 applications have been the most innovative in this set, since they simulate geometric constructions.

349 The face-to-face meetings The positive aspects of the face-to-face meetings focused mainly on the possibility
350 of collaborative work, sharing experiences, increasing the sense of belonging and solving doubts associated with
351 the methodology and the use of technology. The first face-to-face presented problems in its development due to
352 the call and problems with the platform, the second developed normally. The participants have suggested for
353 future versions to incorporate work related directly to the contents and some, despite being a distance course,
354 suggest more face-to-face. The platform: The platform has shown great stability, it only encountered problems
355 at certain specific moments in the development of the course, mainly related to online questionnaires, in general
356 terms it has been in a high operational and accessible percentage. The way in which the interactive spaces have
357 been arranged are positively evaluated by the participants. They highlight its ease of use, find it "friendly",
358 spaces you use frequently and find useful. In this sense, providing differentiated spaces for discussion, sharing
359 resources, clarifying doubts and interacting on free topics such as the "social forum", we believe is an element that
360 contributes to increasing interaction and organizing it. When participants are asked about the platform, they
361 usually end up talking about the course, and that is a sign that was made "invisible" to them, merged into one
362 great element: the course. The Interactions: An interesting use was made by the participants of the interactive
363 spaces. Concentrating the interventions in the discussion forums 66%, the " Diario mural" and " Consultas " recorded
364 28% and 6% respectively of the interventions. There was also a permanent space in which the social
365 forum that monopolized the greatest participation based on topics raised by the participants, transforming itself
366 into a kind of "virtual teachers ' room". In this sense, we believe that the key to participation was to have
367 established differentiated spaces for the types of interventions, which could channel the type of interventions
368 that the participants normally carry out in these courses, in addition to the animation of the tutor, especially
369 in the discussion forum. Community of tutors: The community of tutors has been a space that has allowed the
370 coordination of the pedagogical and tutorial team that coordinates the project with the tutors, through it it
371 has been possible to guide and support the tutors in the development of their work, The main spaces used have
372 been: orientations, consultations, request for information and reports, as can be seen in the first two devoted to
373 pedagogy and the remaining two to administrative ones. An active role of tutors is observed in this community,
374 especially those who achieve better results in their courses. The tutors: The tutors are relevant agents in the
375 development of the course, they have developed various tasks in the areas: pedagogical, social, technical and
376 administrative. The role played by them especially at the beginning of the course to "enchant" those who did not
377 attend the classroom and at the time of the evaluations. Formation of the groups: In large regions such as the
378 Metropolitan Region where the country's capital is located, forming the groups according to the teacher's home,
379 we believe that it is not the most optimal, since it transfers to the virtual environment the divisions we carry out
380 in the labor sphere. Teachers from poor commune establishments with their peers and those from more affluent
381 establishments with theirs. This from the perspective of the social construction of knowledge and the concept of
382 Vigostky's Proximal Development Zone is not very adequate. In this sense, we believe that the participation of
383 teachers from private schools can become a contribution to the rest of the learning community, especially when
384 they join groups from more popular sectors.

385 The Evaluations: Important progress in learning is observed at the general and unit level, reflected in the pre
386 and post test differences. Additionally, online summative assessments also reflect these advances. An element in
387 our relevant judgment is that the difference obtained in relation to the online summative tests and the pre and
388 post test reflect that these are significantly closer to the post test, which is why they account for the learning
389 acquired, overcoming mistrust Initial in terms that these do not reflect individual learning since the teacher is
390 presumed guilty of doing it with additional support to their own knowledge.

391 The process followed by the participating teachers has been largely successful, undoubtedly perfectible in
392 various aspects. It has meant the development of a virtual experience of teacher training that has provided
393 participants with a new way of accessing content, quality materials and interaction with peers, tutor and
394 specialists, on a theme that is a priority in the mathematical training of Chilean children like geometry. The
395 experience of this course shows a way forward in these new forms of teacher updating that integrate the use of
396 ICT as a channel of communication and training during professional life, giving access to a training experience
397 that many of the participating teachers do not they would have. had access in the traditional face-to-face training
398 formats.

399 14 VI.

400 15 Conclusion

401 To finish, I would like to point out a series of factors that can favor the incorporation of ICT in Inclusive
402 Education, and among them we can indicate the following:

403 ? Establishing clear public policies for the use and incorporation of ICT in the classroom. ? Clear support from
404 the management teams of educational institutions for their incorporation. ? The presence of ICT in classrooms,

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405 in a way that favors the "invisibility" of ICT. And the existence of teams that favor their adaptation to the
406 characteristics of the students.

407 ? Clear training and support policies for teachers for the incorporation of ICT for schools. ? The organization
408 of good practice transfer policies and collaborative work between teachers. ? The incorporation of subjects in
409 the initial training plans of teachers that favor the incorporation of ICT for Inclusive Education. ? And the
410 empowerment of research to search for new proposals for media design and search for teaching strategies and
411 methodologies for subjects with certain characteristics.

412 In any case, their incorporation goes through teacher training (teachers must be sensitive to social reality and
413 the historical moment that serves to promote the reflection of students and take responsible and prosocial positions
414 as future citizens), transforming the organizational structures of schools and adopting measures to enhance the
415 visibility of ICT in educational centers. Along these lines, we must not forget that one of the great challenges
416 of education today is to guarantee the quality of education for all students. For this, it is necessary to establish
417 didactic approaches that recognize the diversity of the students and promote strategies in the teaching-learning
418 process that allow for difference and promote flexible responses in diverse educational contexts.

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