

## For Effective Operation of Sci-Tech Learning Space

One June day in 2016, the respected Comrade **Kim Jong Un** visited the newly-built Pyongyang Sports Goods Factory.

After making the rounds of several places of the factory, he made his way to the sci-tech learning space in order to acquaint himself with its operation.

At that time, the space was being operated as a place for online education, not as a place for spreading sci-tech knowledge to its employees.

After learning about such situation, he said to the officials: It is the requirements of the Party's policies to enrol all the working people in the study-while-you-work system and prepare them as intelligent workers. Some units have built sci-tech learning spaces, but they failed to operate them effectively and purposefully, revealing various deviations.

Looking at the officials who were embarrassed to recall their mistakes, he said: The sci-tech learning space should be a place for the working people to acquire advanced sci-tech knowledge and other expertise conducive to the production of their units. In other words, the sci-tech learning space should be used to help the working people acquire sci-tech knowledge in their specialist fields.

After a while, he underscored the need for the officials to effectively run the sci-tech learning space according to the correct plans, and specified the ways to this end; the issues of giving clear assignments for sci-tech study to the employees and reviewing and assessing their studies and understandings without fail, giving lectures on the advanced science and technology and other expertise in their own units in a planned way, establishing a sci-tech dissemination network to send e-files and videos of new technologies and other necessary data to the sci-tech learning spaces of relevant units for the employees to study them, etc.

Listening to what he had to say as regards the management of the sci-tech learning space, the officials were firmly determined to operate it effectively so as to train all the employees to be the drivers of a locomotive called "science and technology" and the riders of a steed of science and technology.