

Illiteracy is a curse

Outline

1) Introduction

Thesis statement: Illiteracy is antithetical to the very concept of being human. It has disastrous consequences on an individual, society, polity and the world as whole

2) How illiteracy is a curse? (Crunch)

3) Illiteracy is a curse on a an individual

- a. It keeps one away from self-actualization
- b. It disables one to prioritize the values of life
- c. Illiterate is more prone to adversities of life
- d. Illiteracy causes instinct to overtake intellectual faculty of mind

4) Illiteracy is a curse on the society

- a. Illiteracy damages social cohesion
- b. It normalizes brutality and chaos in society
- c. Reduces society to materialistic objectives
- d. Detrimental to culture and civilization

5) Illiteracy is a curse on the state/polity

- a. It impedes the accountability and fosters corrupt leaders
- b. Damages maintenance of law and order
- c. Disrupts democratic process
- d. Encourages despotic rule

6) Illiteracy is a curse on the world as whole

- a. It is not conducive for the international order
- b. Can violently divide the world into factions

7) Conclusion