

Home is for the young, who know nothing of the world and who would be forlorn and sad, if thrown upon it. It is providential, shelter of the weak and inexperienced who have to learn as yet to cope with the temptations which lie outside of it. It is the place of training for those who are not only ignorant, but have not yet learnt how to learn, and who have to be taught by careful individual attention for how to profit from the lessons of teacher. And it is the school of elementary studies — not of advances, for such studies alone can make master minds. Moreover, it is the shrine of our best affections, the bosom of our fondest recollections, a spell upon our after life, a stay for world weary mind and soul; wherever we are, till the end comes. Such are attributes or offices of home, and like to these, in one or other sense or measure, are the attributes and offices of a college in a university.

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## Precis

· Title :- Elementary Schools; Shaping Young Minds  
Elementary <sup>school</sup> is like a home and providential shelter for inexperienced and ignorant young. These schools alone can make master minds by training the students to cope with outside temptations and teaching them to make profit from lessons. It is also source of affection and sweet memories. The attributes of the college resembles to those of homes.