

1 - Introduction

Thesis Statement: Classrooms are not only physical spaces; they are arenas where knowledge is imparted, skills are developed, and moral values are instilled. Knowledge, skills, and moral values help nations to grow economically, politically, and socially to cope up with ~~the~~ continuously changing world.

2 - Economic growth through education

i Production of competitive labour force

a According to the World Bank report each additional year of schooling increases the earnings by 10%

ii Advancement in innovation and technology

a Stanford university investments and research programs help silicon valley to become technology hub of the world.

iii Poverty Alleviation

a 171 million people could escape poverty if all students in low-income countries acquire basic reading skill. (UNESCO)

iv Gross National Product growth

a Countries with higher education attainment have 1.5% more GDP than that of countries with lower education attainment (OECD)

3 Political Strengthening through education

i Awareness in public

a Increase participation

b vote turnover increases

ii Good governance

a One of the indicators of the good governance is public participation

iii Accountability

a Scandinavian countries with higher education level tend to have stronger democratic institutions

iv Human rights awareness

a legal awareness and protection against injustices

4 Influencing environmental fabric

i Sustainable practices

a Finland's environmental education programs have led to one of the highest recycling rates in the world.

ii Climate-Change awareness through education

a Individuals with higher education levels are more likely to take climate-friendly actions. (Yale study)

iii Resource Management

a Development of skills to effectively manage resources of the country

iv Biodiversity Conservation

a Widespread support for protected areas in Costa Rica through education reforms.

5 Strengthening Social arena

a Developing tolerance among students

a By increasing inter-religious harmony

ii Reduction in terrorism

a Rate of terrorist activities in the developed and developing countries is different

iii Gender equality

a Classrooms spread awareness about the equal rights of man and women.

iv Reduction in criminal activities

a He who opens the door of the school closes a prison. (Victor Hugo)

6 Challenges in today's educational system

a Dewey's Philosophy

7 Way Forward

a No country can really develop unless its citizens are educated. (Nelson Mandela)

8 Conclusion

The Essay

Churchill got a message by Hitler during the Second World War. Hitler made an offer if Churchill did not bomb German Universities, he would also not destroy his ones. Churchill accepted the offer at once and said if England was destroyed and Oxford and Cambridge were spared, the English culture would also survive.

This is the importance of Education. Throughout the history, world's great leaders and nations have always prioritized education. Classrooms are not only physical arenas; they are spaces where knowledge is imparted, skills are developed, and moral values are instilled. Through ~~education~~ knowledge, skills, and moral values, nations become able to increase their economic growth, hold politicians accountable, and foster inclusive environment for everyone to live in. The Global North is spending more of its GDP on education. Some countries are spending nearly 4% of their GDP on education.

That is why development can be seen in those countries. On the other hand, developing countries are less focused on education. # countries and nations can only thrive and survive through education in this continuously changing world.