

## **Reconditioning Indian Values in Learners Through Teachers, Parents & Society**

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### **Abstract**

Man's Humanity is reflected in his values or it can be said that values provide a strong Foundation to **Human life** in the true sense. On the strength of which they face the challenges boldly and provides the right direction to himself and the society which is helpful in building an Advance Nation. Value based Education is not an **Alien Concept** but it has been another important aspect of Indian Education since Ancient times. Our Religious Texts, History, Characters and values of Great Men have always had a deep impact on human life and have shown people a new path to Incredible Ideals and self-respect. According to the Bhagvad Geeta (अध्याय 2 श्लोक 3): -

**क्लेयं मा स्म गमः पार्थ नैतच्चय्युप पद्यते ।**

**छुद्रम हृदय दौर्बल्यम त्यक्तवोतिष्ठ परंतपः ॥**

**भावार्थ :-** भगवान कृष्ण अर्जुन को समझाते हुए कहते हैं कि- हे अर्जुन ! नपुंसकता को मत प्राप्त हो, तुझमे ये उचित नहीं जान पड़ती। हे परंतप ! हृदय की तुच्छ दुर्बलता को त्याग कर युद्ध के लिए तैयार हो जा अर्थात् यहाँ अर्जुन (हम लोग ) हैं और युद्ध हमें अपने अंदर व्याप्त बुराईयों से करना है । Today's generation, under the influence of its own selfishness, Pleasures and indulgences is abandoning the interests of the coming Generation which is creating obstacles in building an Excellent India. The blind race of Modernity, Greed, Deceit, Fraud and Thirst have increased so much that today in our Country's ideals and values have to be implemented in the Syllabus through NEP-2020.

*Keywords:* Values, Learner, Teacher, Society and Parents.

### **Research Questions: -**

- 1) Why do Students need value-based Education in the Present context?

- 2) What is the role of Teacher in value education?
- 3) How does the Environment of Society and Home act as a challenge in Value Education?

### **Introduction: -**

Today's Generation is different from the previous Generation in many ways. Increasing knowledge of Technology, Social and Cultural Environment and various family circumstances have played an Important role in the all-round development of the child. In today's time, along with the educational development of children, Personal development can't be ignored.

The toxic mentality served in the Digital World has become so prevalent among people that people are falling prey to negative philosophies due to the increasing trend of Symbolic- Interactionism. In such a situation, only values pave the way to take a person towards spirituality and provide the right guidance to establish Harmony between Mind and Brain in every situation. The aim of Indian philosophy since ancient times has been to develop an Excellent Personality which includes the Mental, Spiritual, Physical, Intellectual and Emotional development of people with the aim of reviving this ancient tradition of India, NEP-2020 has given special attention to Value

Based Education among the children of India.

### **\* Need of Value Education for Learners**

Today's learner is born in the world of 21st century Metaverse where the line between Fantasy and Reality is very thin. In such a situation, it is extremely challenging to understand the ultimate reality of life and explain it to the future Generation of the Country. Today's learner is tomorrow's Nation Builder. The promising people of India should have the spirit of Patriotism, Renunciation and Sacrifice like their Ancestors hence it is very important to make them aware of the Values. The present scenario is as full of comforts as it is of Emotional Insecurities and Loneliness. The need for value-based Education in India can be estimated from the **NCRB report "Crime in India"** Which released on 2022; according that more than 47,000 children are missing in India of which 71.4% are Minor girls. There can be countless reasons for children going missing but one of the biggest reasons for this could be the Artificial Shine of today's Online World. Nuclear families or working Parents are not able to give much time to their

children hence today's children have become dependent on the Internet for answers to Every Question. In today's time every information is available at single click. Where along with true facts, wrong facts also in large Quantities. According to NCRB report (2022), Cyber crimes against children have increased by 400 percent today. Today's learner is so lost in the virtual world of online and social media that he considers it to be the only Truth. His awareness of the events around him is decreasing. In such a situation, the possibility of becoming a victim of Cyber Crime and other types of misleading things has increased manifold. The main motto of Value Based Education is to develop Good Communication Skills in learner as well as the ability to develop Critical Thinking towards the happenings around them.

#### \* **Role of Teachers in Value Based Education**

The famous Quote of **Nelson Mandela** is "**Education is the most Powerful weapon which you can use to change the World.**" And the teachers are the heroes who use this weapon effectively. The teacher is the Guardian of the child in school. In Indian Philosophy the place of **Guru** is even higher than God. Children acquire human qualities

like Courage, Patience, Humanity, Respect and Kindness through Education through Teachers. Teachers make the learners aware of their Duty towards the Nation and Society. In today's Digital Era, ICT based Online Education can increase our knowledge but it is hardly capable of establishing an Emotional bond between the Teacher and the Students. Another famous Quote of **Paulo Coelho** about Teachers is "**The world is changed by your example not by your Opinion.**" Teacher plays an unprecedented role in the character development of his students. The job of a teacher is not only to teach but also to be an embodiment of good ideals and character so that the students get influenced by him and imbibe human values in their lives. What a nation will be like, is determined by its teachers. If teachers consider themselves mere "**Salary Earners**" and turn away from the responsibility of children, then the downfall of that Nation is certain. A nation is run not only by its Government and Economy but also by the Teachers who shape the Future of the Nation in their Classrooms.

#### \* **Environment of Society and Home as a Big Challenge: -**

Providing Value Based Education through Curriculum or merely describing it verbally is not enough. The student should also see the importance of values in his surrounding Environment. The responsibility of this work lies with the home and society. There is a lack of Principles and Values, Criminal tendencies start increasing there. According to the NCRB 2021 report, more than 58 lakh criminal cases were registered in the Year and 35.63 lakh cases were registered under the Indian Panel Court (IPC). NCRB data says that after 75 years of Independence, 60 lakh more Criminal cases have been registered in 2021. It is so scary.

In the last few Decades, the trend of Nuclear and Working families has increased. A small child who needs the affection of his parents at home after school. Due to their work, both the parents are not able to give as much time to their children as the child needs. So, children are becoming victims of loneliness. An important news in recent times which can be seen in connect with this Point. Suchana Seth (39 Years) included in the Top 100 females in the World of AI, is in Jail for the murder of her own son (4 Years). Suchana Seth is the CEO of Startup Mindful AI. Her Divorce proceedings is going on and she

wanted to keep her children away from her Husband (According to News Paper).

Although the investigation process is still going on, but if it turns out to be true, then what a terrible situation it is. The child is not safe even with his Parents. Working parents are handling their workload but are losing as Parents. Fight between parents has a very bad effect on the mind of children. Bad childhood Experiences and negative beliefs remain with him throughout his life like Deep Wounds. It's becoming very difficult for such children to take appropriate action in life so it's the duty of the Parents and the Society to follow Moral Values themselves and set an Ideal in front of the child.

#### **Design / Methodology/ Approach: -**

The Entire Research Paper is based on Value Education. The need of values in life of learner, responsibilities of Teachers, Society and Parents; have been kept at the center. All the Ideas have been presented on the basis of Official Documents Of NEP-2020, National Curriculum Framework for Foundational Stage-2022 and authentic Research Papers. All the information has been taken from the official site of the Indian Government. Descriptive and Open Approach have been maintain for this study.

## Result and Discussion

Having values in Syllabus and having values in Life are two Different Things. Although Values can be implemented through Curriculum but How a child imbibes human Qualities like Truthfulness, Honesty, Adherence to Duty if there are Crimes, Dishonesty, Greed, Deceit, Fraud and Mischief around him. He will adopt Qualities around him and the Real Values of life will seems to him to be Bookish Talk. Child is just like a small plant whose brought by the teachers in the school. so, it's duty to Every unit like that Teachers, Parents and Society to be the ideal representative of Moral Values.

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