Education



Introduction

Education is the process of facilitating learning.



Knowledge transfer

Knowledge, skills, values, beliefs, and habits of a group of people are transferred to other people, through storytelling, discussion, teaching, training, or research.



Autodidactic learning

Education frequently takes place under the guidance of educators, but learners may also educate themselves in a process called autodidactic learning.



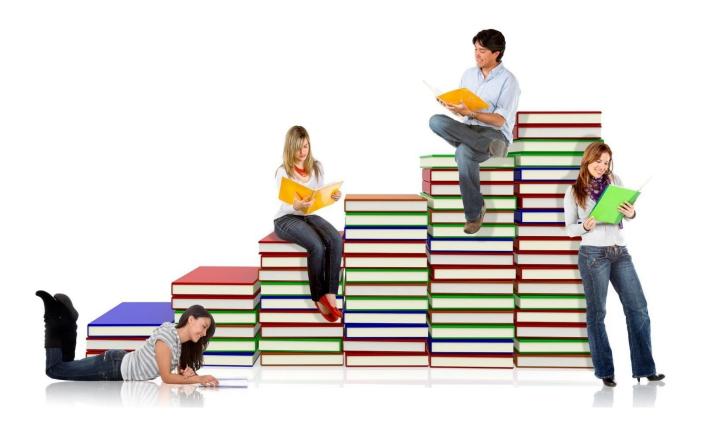
Experience

Any experience that has a formative effect on the way one thinks, feels, or acts may be considered educational.



Different stages

Education is commonly and formally divided into stages such as preschool, primary school, secondary school and then college, university or apprenticeship.



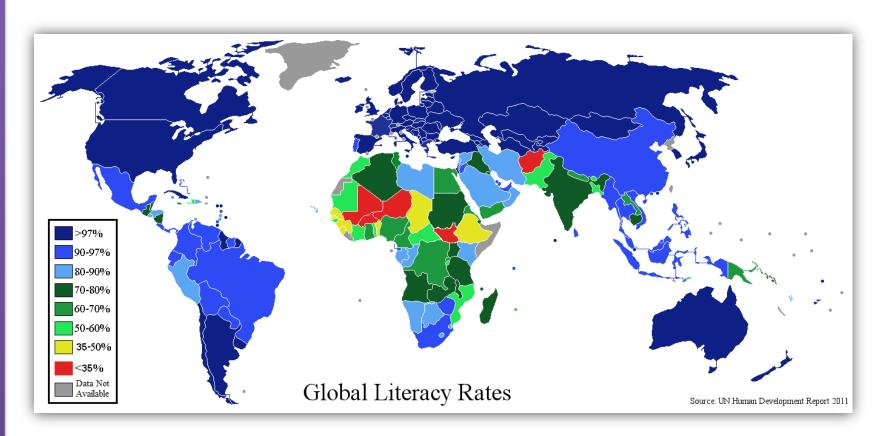
A right to education

A right to education has been recognized by some governments.

At the global level, Article 13 of the United Nations' 1966 International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights recognizes the right of everyone to an education.



World map indicating literacy



World map indicating literacy by country in 2013 (2013 UN Human Development Report and Individual statistics departments). Grey = no data

TOP-5 universities

World Rank	Institution	Country	Total Score
1	Harvard University		100
2	Stanford University		72.1
3	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)		70.5
4	University of California-Berkeley		70.1
5	University of Cambridge	36	69.2

Academic Ranking of World Universities 2014



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