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HUMAN VALUES IN THE CONTEXT OF EDUCATION

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Abstract

Values are part and parcel of philosophy. Hence, aims of education are naturally concerned with values. Ail education is, in fact, very naturally value-oriented. Each educational goal, whether originating in a person, a family, a community, a school or an educational system, is believed to be good. It is rightly to state that Human being without values is none other than an animal'. But when values enter in the character of human beings then it is turned as 'value-based education' which not only gives moral education but also develops an overall-personality of a human being. Besides value-education, self-exploration is also an essential medium to analyze oneself on vivid aspects like 'Individual's, weaknesses, goals and purpose of life'. Every human being with to be prosperous and happy throughout their life tenure, but how it can be attained and assessed is revealed by various discussion in this paper.

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Introduction

“Try not to become a man of success but rather to become a man of value.” – Albert Einstein.

Education is the way of overall development of human being. Education is the key to the progress of an individual or a nation. Education is a universal and wide-ranging topic. Education in general means wandering in the realm of knowledge. Education is the name of making an important and positive contribution in personal and social spheres through the improvement of mind and consciousness. Education develops the latent mental powers in man and leads him towards perfection. Appropriate and proper education humanizes people, inculcates values in them. As a result, people acquire some special qualities that make them capable of judging good and bad, right and wrong. Modern human society has been built under the shelter of these values created by education.

Objectives: To know the role of education in imparting values in human life.

Nature of Values: Values are the set of positive and benevolent human qualities. These are some of the things to follow in people's daily life, following which people's life becomes beautiful, pure and delicious. Values and moral consciousness prevent people from wrongdoing and save them from falling. Removes the eye from the allure of selfishness and inspires the great mantra of self- sacrifice. The practice of values makes people strong and strong with a positive mental energy, which means that people learn to say no to all immorality, learn to consciously avoid taking unjust and illegal ways. A real person

formed by the practice of values evaluates black as black, white as white, gives justice to the society, holds the dignity of humanity of moral ideals. Educated and values people are enlightened people.

Importance of Human Values: Basic human values which are expected in all human beings.(irrespective of positions of the person) They are- Right Conduct, Peace, Truth, Peaceful co-existence, Discipline.

1. Right Conduct: Contains values like self-help skills (modesty, self-reliance, hygiene etc.) social skills- ethical skills (courage, efficiency, initiative, punctuality Etc.) and Ownership.

2. Peace: Contains values like equality, focus, humility, optimism, patience, self-confidence, self-control, self-Esteem etc.

3. Truth: Contains values like accuracy, fairness, honesty. Justice, quest for knowledge, determination etc.

4. Peaceful co-existence: Contains values like psychological (benevolence, compassion, consideration, Morality, forgiveness etc.) and social (brotherhood, equality, perseverance, respect for others,) environmental awareness etc.

5. Discipline: Contains values like regulation, direction, order etc.

The Role of Education in Achieving Human Values: Education and good education can play a major role in inculcating values and humanity. One of the main ways to prevent the erosion of values can be to promote moral education. With the expansion of education, the practice of healthy mentality and values in the life of individuals, society, state and nation is bound to return. Because the main reason for the decline of values is to move away from real education, to deviate from the original. As a result, everyone should become educated in the education of justice and humanity. Besides, if the essence of different religions and biographies of sages are included in the curriculum, the students' sense of values will be developed by introducing them. The practice of values will take place as a positive aspect in the mental development of people. Education should be basically that thing – which keeps us free from all irregularities, evil and ugliness and fills our life with rules, goodness and beauty. Education binds all to all, thus the foundation of values is formed through proper practice and application of joining with all through the acquisition of real education. A human being is distinguished from ordinary living beings and is known as a human being. Motaher Hossain Chowdhury's statement 'Human life can be compared to a two- storey house. The living being is the ladder of education'. Therefore, there is no substitute for education to develop humane people with values. The house is the lower floor, and the human being or humanity is the upper floor. To rise from the house of living beings to the house of human beings.

Role of Teachers to Development of Human Values: In the institutions, the success of values education and development in students substantially depends on the vision, motivation, skill, attitudes, values and behavior of the teacher. Teacher serve as a role model to students in institution. They play a major role in developing ethical behavior in students. By value education; we can be developed following qualities in students:

1.Individual Level : At the individual level teacher can developed this type of values like – compassion, trust, courage, acceptance, joy, sense of freedom, absence of conflicts.

2. Interpersonal Level : At the interpersonal level teacher can developed this type of values like – love, empathy, cooperation, Listening, acceptance of differences, appreciation, friendship etc.

3.Community level :At the community level teacher can developed this type of values like reconciliation, tolerance, mutual respect, healthy family relationship, appreciation and protection of environment.

4.National Level : At the national level teacher can developed this type of values like – respect for child/human rights, citizenship, freedom from bias and stereotypes, national integration, secularism, intercultural-Multicultural harmony.

5.Global Level : At the global level teacher can developed this type of values like – awareness of global issues, peaceful Resolution of international conflicts, environmental concerns, appreciation of worlds cultural heritage, respect for and sharing of common resources.

Recent Reality: Human children start learning from birth and this learning continues in one form or another throughout life. But in modern world institutional education is also important along with natural education. In other words, education is an indispensable thing in the formation of human life. As a result of education people become real people. Human values are born in him. As a result, it is expected that an educated person will be a person with values. But reality says otherwise. Lack of good education and moral education required for formation of values is the most injustice in present time. Even after getting education due to lack of values, everyone is getting involved in various misdeeds. All over the world today, the spread of consumerist mentality is observed. Country- time religion, people don't pay attention to anything today, they only pay attention to wealth and influence and prestige.

Everyone forgets humanity and nurtures animality in himself. They have forgotten the special responsibility of coming to this world as a human being. Lack of real education in our country and society has started a massive decline in the practice of values. Unlimited corruption at all levels engulfs the society. People without ethics and conscience are walking in the society today, holding the neck of justice and principles. All around, the competition of cheating, unfair who can make the biggest record; Everyone is running madly in that competition. Decay of moral values has spread like a contagious virus into all aspects of society – life. The manifestation of degraded values in all areas including educational institutions, hospitals, judicial system is noticeable.

Benefits of Having Values: The practice of values makes human character well- rounded. By being educated in good education, by devoting oneself to the welfare of others from the path of truth and justice, the true expression of values in human life is revealed. As the number of educated and valuable people increases in the society, the social life becomes clean and liveable. Therefore, with a view to spiritual excellence of the individual and social development and progress, there is special importance in nurturing and developing values. In order to establish the pride of the nation, all the citizens should have values as a whole. It is possible to gain the respect and love of others by forming an ideal life in the practice of values. The satisfaction of others will indirectly be returned as a benefit to oneself. As a result, people with values can bring immense benefits to themselves and society.

Conclusion: In consumerist world values are being eroded Constantly But there is no change without practicing values to make the future successful and beautiful. Only education can create people with right values. By strengthening the foundation of values with the help of education, the welfare of the individual, country and society is possible. Hence, we have to take education and with the help of well-educated values, inaugurate humanity and move towards building a clean world. It is possible only by recognizing the complementary relationship between education and values.

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