

FOCUSSING ON PEACE FROM “EDUCATION- LENS”

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ABSTRACT

Peaceful co-existence is the sign of development and prosperity of the society. All the activities of the country run smoothly in the situation of peace. People can raise their living standard by working hard. Peace brings happiness among people. Peace is the mother of civilization and war is the demon of destruction. Civilization and development cannot progress if there is no peace in the country. Literature flourishes only in the time of peace. It is also the case with philosophy, science, industry and art. In our daily lives also we find interest and pleasure in doing work in times of peace. All our Vedic as well as Puranic works start with Shanti-Patha, called as Peace Invocations. Our sages and saints always prayed for peace and well-being of all. This type of prayer itself emphasizes the utmost need for peace. These prayers were done when Bharat was materially at the helm of its development, less population, plenty of food etc. and yet people felt the need of peace. Peace seems to be the primary need of mankind, a sort of basic need or urge, just as hunger, food, shelter and clothing.

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