

Role of Education in Shaping Future Generation Challenges, Strategies and Methodologies

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Striving, the ultimate goal of Humankind – to be happy together and transferring the acquired knowledge, technology and wisdom to the next generation requires the mechanism of Education. With the developments in structures of society, their demands, forthcoming challenges and our own unfailing efforts for the betterment, we always need to contemplate over the role of education. New system of education evolves when alternatives to the mainstreams are experimented and astonish people with their results. I will discuss the role of education and its very purpose and argue its metamorphosis for future generation comparing - Mind with Machines / Talent with Technology / Motivation with Methodologies and Innovations with Intuitions.

The paper will confer and bring into focus the innovative methods and pedagogical models of teaching and learning as adopted by some alternative schools and cram schools in India that has made the learning and teaching a synonym and develop the skills to apply the talent at the test level to meet the challenges. I will support the methodologies and their result with the case study of Bansal Classes for churning out one third of the total winners to achieve excellent result in one of the most statistically difficult examination continuously year after year.

Lets explore the ways in which our children can discover their own talents and interests, at their own pace, in their own ways, assisted by teachers, parents, friends and others – learning in and from their neighbors, their village, their community and the environment in which they live. Then I suppose we educate.