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A STUDY OF TEACHING AND TEACHER EDUCATION IN INDIA

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ABSTRACT

The success of each society depends on its level of education. As teachers are the backbone of any school, it stands to reason that their level of expertise has an immediate impact on their students' learning outcomes. Instructors have a significant impact on their pupils' development and preparedness for the future. The information economy, which relies on experimentation, innovation, and creativity, has elevated the significance of this aspect of education. As a result, teachers need to be well-rounded people who have had a wide range of experiences in order to provide their pupils with the knowledge and abilities they'll need to succeed in a world of limitless opportunities and peril. Thus, the need for teacher educators is increasing. If we want to raise the standard of education for teachers, we need a robust curriculum to prepare future educators. Experts in the field of teacher education play a vital role in maintaining rigorous academic expectations in the classroom. Given the general perception that teachers have the biggest effect on their students' academic success, it is logical to assume that teacher educators have a considerable role in influencing the development of future educators. This highlights the importance of the trainer's expertise. Any anyone who "teaches, advises, or assists pre-service or in-service teachers and so contributes significantly to the preparation of future teachers to meet the state's professional standards" is considered a teacher educator. The caliber of a school's leadership is proportional to the excellence of its teaching staff. This highlights the need for research on the factors that shape the development of teacher educators and the qualities necessary for successful teaching. To be effective, teacher educators need to know more than just the material they're teaching. Hence, it is required of Teacher Educators that they not only instruct prospective teachers, but also advance scholarship in the fields of education, learning, and teaching. This raises serious concerns about the effectiveness of the teachers' ongoing professional development programs. There is no denying the importance of teacher educators in ensuring high-quality education for future teachers.