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New Changes and Developments in India's Education System

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Abstract: The goal of this study paper is to find out about the most recent changes in India's school system. This piece looks at some of the most important changes, improvements, and new programmes that have happened in education across the country. The paper looks at different parts of the education system, like changes to the curriculum, the use of technology, skill-building programmes, attempts to include everyone, and policy changes. The paper looks at recent books, government reports, and statistical data to give a full picture of how India's education system is changing and to point out the challenges and possibilities that come with these changes. The paper also talks about the possibilities that have arisen because of these trends. The results of this study will help us learn more about the current state of education in India and give lawmakers, teachers, and other stakeholders some ideas about how to improve it. India is where this study was done.

Keywords: New changes in the education system, the education system in India, the strategies of the government, and higher education.

I. INTRODUCTION

In India, the school system has gone through some big changes and improvements in the past few years. Changes like these have been caused by a number of things, such as improvements in technology, changes in policy, and a greater awareness of how important open, high-quality education is. The goal of this study paper is to look into recent changes in the Indian education system and explain what those changes mean for students, teachers, government officials, and other people involved in the system.

The Indian education system has always put a lot of weight on academic success and learning facts and rules by heart. On the other hand, people are becoming more aware of how important it is to move towards a more inclusive and learner-centred approach. When the National Education Policy (NEP) is put into place in 2020, it will be a big step in the right direction. The NEP wants to change the way people learn by putting more emphasis on critical thought, artistic expression, and skill development. It puts an emphasis on combining professional and practical education, learning across different fields, and using technology in the classroom. An important part of this study will be to find out what effects the NEP has had and what problems have come up with putting it into action.

The use of different kinds of technology in India's education system has quickly become one of the most important trends. The COVID-19 outbreak has sped up the move to digital learning tools and the growth of online learning options. To keep education going, schools and other educational institutions had to quickly change to different ways of learning from a distance. This shows how important technology is for making sure that teaching efforts are successful. This study paper will look at the role that technology plays in education, as well as the pros and cons of using it and how important it is to help teachers learn how to use digital tools well.

In the past few years, skill development programmes have become more popular. These programmes try to bridge the gap between what is taught in school and what is needed in the real world. Skill India and the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana are two examples of programmes that help students get the job skills, trade training, and apprenticeship chances they need. The most important goals of this study will be to figure out how effective these programmes are, what effect they have on job outcomes, and where there are chances for improvement.

Accessibility and inclusion have become two of the most important issues in the school system. There have been attempts to support equality between men and women, close socioeconomic gaps, and make sure that students with

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disabilities get an education that includes them. Education has been one of the main goals of these activities. The goal of this research paper is to look into how policies about reservations, affirmative action, and inclusive practises have affected the chances and results of education for minority groups.

A big part of how the school system is made is through policy interventions. Reforming assessment and evaluation methods, changing how teachers are trained, and changing how the government spends money on education are all key areas of attention. To learn more about the latest changes in India's education system, it will be helpful to look into the different policy interventions that are already in place, look into the problems that come with putting them into action, and look for places where improvements could be made.

The goal of this study paper is to give a full picture of how India's education system is changing by looking at recent trends in the field and what those trends mean. The results will not only add to what is already known, but they will also give lawmakers, teachers, and other players ideas and suggestions for making education in the country more accessible, better, and more open to everyone.

II. LITERATURE REVIEW

The next part of the literature study looks at new studies, reports, and articles that talk about how India's educational system is changing. The goal of this review is to shed light on the most important changes, problems, and possibilities in the Indian education sector over the past few years.

- 1. The National School Policy (NEP) 2020, which consists of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, is a big change that is being made to the Indian school system. Jha and Jha (2020) did a study in which they talked about how the strategy focuses on changing the curriculum, pushing multidisciplinary education, and integrating practical skills. The writers focus on how the NEP could affect students' ability to think critically and artistically and their ability to find jobs.
- 2. Integration of Technology: In India, it is becoming more and more common to use different kinds of technology in the classroom. Sharma and Kumar's study from 2020 looks at how using digital learning tools and artificial intelligence can improve education. According to the results of the study, there is a big need for both training teachers and building up schools' computer facilities.
- 3. Skill Development Programmes: The government's skill development programmes, like Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana and Skill India, have been getting a lot of attention lately. Singh and Soni's (2020) study, "Bridging the Gap Between Education and Industry Requirements," looks into how well these programmes are at doing this. The writers talk about the problems with application and suggest ways to improve the quality and usefulness of skill development programmes. They also talk about how important it is to keep learning.
- 4. Accessibility and inclusion: In recent years, it has become clear that both accessibility and inclusion are important parts of educational possibilities. Biswas's (2021) study in India looks at how reservation laws and affirmative action affect the number of educational chances for people from underrepresented groups. The study shows how important it is to take a wide range of steps to solve gender and social differences in access to education.
- 5. Policy Interventions: Some studies have talked about how important policy interventions are in the Indian education system. Patel and Singh's (2020) work focuses on the move towards competency-based reviews and assessment methods. It looks at changes to assessment and evaluation systems. The writers think that these changes will help students become more well-rounded people while also making taking tests less stressful.
- 6. Difficulties and chances Some papers talk about the problems and possibilities of the Indian school system. In 2020, the World Bank will put out a study that talks about quality and fairness in education. The study stresses the need for more money from the government, better training for teachers, and better learning results. In addition, the study shows how technology can be used to teach people in a way that fits their needs and to get more people involved.
- 7. Reviewing the relevant research shows that recent changes to the education system in India have included curriculum reforms, the use of technology, skill development programmes, attempts to include everyone, and policy actions. The studies and reports that were looked at shed light on the possible benefits of these trends in terms of helping students learn more, giving them more chances to learn, and preparing them better for the future. But in order to use these trends well, we need to deal with problems like quality issues, gaps in infrastructure, and the digital divide. The long-term effects of these traits need to be looked into, and more study needs to be done to find ways to use them effectively.

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