

The Role of NEP 2020 in Promoting Inclusive s Equitable Education

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Abstract: *Education empowers individuals with knowledge, skills, and critical thinking abilities, enabling them to make informed decisions and contribute to society. A well-educated population drives innovation, reduces poverty, and fosters a more just and equitable world. Ultimately, education is the foundation for a better future.*

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 aims to transform India's education system by fostering inclusivity and equity. NEP 2020 role in bridging educational disparities across socio-economic, gender, and regional lines is examined. It explores the key provisions of NEP 2020 related to equitable access, quality enhancement, and the integration of technology to support marginalized communities. The study employs a qualitative research methodology, analyzing policy documents, scholarly articles, and empirical data. Findings indicate that while NEP 2020 presents a progressive vision, its success depends on effective implementation, funding, and stakeholder participation. The paper is concluded by discussing policy implications and recommending strategies to enhance inclusivity in education.

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