IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION TOWARDS NATION DEVELOPMENT

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The role of education in national development is essential as it provides knowledge, high-level specialists, professional thinking and social norms and values that contributes highly on the economic, social and moral development of a certain country. All of these factors are all under the human capital development, to which an online platform connecting recruiters and employers describes as a process of improving an organization’s employee performance, capabilities and resources. Just like an organization, a country needs to enhance and improve the knowledge and skills of its people to be able to increase its performance and productivity. Through training and learning conducted by the education sector, it will provide a good result to nation development.

As the main function of education is providing knowledge, it is just right to say that it should be the first priority for nation-building. Without proper knowledge in doing things, we will not progress and we will be stuck of not knowing everything. Just like what the author said, “Education is a torch that needs to be ignited and it must burn throughout all further life.” therefore, we should all be educating ourselves continually through formal education, training or experiences.

With the upbringning of high-level specialist as another role of education in national development, a right staffing process is needed. It should be treated as a delicate step to be able to appoint competent individuals. As the government hire capable individuals, a proper and well-informed training is needed as well. Professionals should also know their roles and responsibilities to determine if they can meet their expected outcome. Our
country should spend on training them properly so that they can contribute in our nation’s progress. As education is one of the factors in measuring our economic growth, it is just right to say that we should invest in the right people.

Since professions have different ethical standards, different kind of approach is needed for them to be well-equipped with the right knowledge and skills. Along the process, their traits and characters contribute on it but their professional thinking should be dominant. As part of the professionals here in our country, we should remember the “prism effect” on what the author has mentioned. Comparing our minds to a prism, whatever beam at us should not radiate for our own personal interest rather for the interest of everyone. Being professional is the best way to perceive situations with different outcomes. Through this kind of mindset, the progress that we make is also the progress of our country.

An individual’s innate nature inclined by genetic inheritance and other biological factors and an individual’s environment influenced by external factors contribute highly on the values and behaviour we develop from young age up to our present life. With the most common ground in cultivating these is by going to school, the role of education to all learners from primary level up to their tertiary level adds up to our nation-building. Providing formal education to everyone as continuous learning takes place will produce professional development in the long run. With a well-equipped knowledge even at a young age, it such a huge help for the nation’s growth and success.

All in all, whatever we do in terms of learning and development is a huge part in the success of our nation. A proper and right knowledge can lead to a progressive country, thus prioritizing education is needed to increase our economic growth. As education is a vital component for a nation, we should also continue to educate ourselves to contribute meaningfully to building the nation.
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