MOST DANGEROUS POLLUTION STRIKES OUR CHILDREN

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Different kinds of pollution is being taught in Science and Health and even in other subject areas.

What are the different kinds of pollution? Air, water, and soil pollution. These are poison that kill and destroy the environment, animals, plants and especially humans.

Have you heard of the most dangerous pollution that pollutes the mind of our children? It is moral pollution.

How did moral pollution poison the minds of children?

It deteriorates the mind of our youth from the values of good human being to a mind of a delinquent individual. It gives no qualms in polluting their young minds.

We should all be aware of this kind of pollution. As teachers, we play vital role in preventing this type of invisible toxins.

Now a day, children get exposed on wrong values from TVs, radio, magazines, movie houses, music, internet, computer games, and even from the actions of people around them. They get inclined in watching violent and immoral movies, even reading magazines showing sex or violence. TV programs which show gambling, sex, and too much fighting like martial arts, boxing and wrestling are very alarming. They get even used on playing violent internet games. They learn to imitate these violent actions and acquired wrong values.
Teachers and parents must join forces in guiding and protecting our children from this kind of pollution. Choosing wholesome and appropriate TV programs and movies to watch, music to listen, magazines and books to read, and games to play which are good and could nourish their young minds greatly help in building their morals.

Proper education regarding the use of all these can prevent this kind of pollution. With the proper guidance, our country is assured of having productive, responsible, and God-fearing citizens.

With this, Dr. Jose Rizal’s dream for our youth to be the hope of our nation is possible.

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