POVERTY IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT

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Many children from low income families do less well in school compare to others. There are substantial evidence that poverty has negative impacts on children's health, social, emotional and cognitive development. Was it the lack of money that affect a child's development?

There are many basis why poverty hinders a child's education. Children from low income families oftentimes suffer from malnutrition and other health problems. Thus hindering them from regularly going to school. This greatly affect their ability to learn. Another reason why they miss too much school time is because of famiy burden. Some excuse you will often hear from them is they either have to take care of their younger siblings since their parents are out for work or they have to work themselves to aid their family's financial burden. These same children may also suffer from bullying. It will make them happily avoid going to school. Rebellious traits can also be often seen from them. The reason for this may come from around them and the enviroment they lived in. A lot of bad influence can hinder them from studying.

However not all children from low income family do bad in school. There are some of them who are really good and brilliant at studying. This may be because their parents prioritize their education or the children themselves are willing to learn despite difficulties. Money does affect learning but if one is really willing to learn then they will achieve a goal. Poverty is not an excuse from lacking in knowledge and being uneducated.
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