VALUE OF EDUCATION

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The primary concerns of Filipino parents is giving proper education to their children whatever their station in life. They will do everything at their best to earn just to send their children to school.

The government provides the best possible education to its citizens. Keeping in line with the Article XIV, Section 1 of the 1987 Constitution states that the Philippine government should provide quality education to its constituents and should give their best to make education as accessible as possible.

Education is a top priority in the minds of Filipino parents, who even send their children to hike across hills and valleys for hours just to attend their classes in public schools in barangays. Even in areas where there are sporadic armed conflicts, students risk their lives and limbs just to get a formal education.

Around 27.2 million elementary and high school students in both private and public schools all over the country “burn their eyebrows”, last school year to boost our literacy rate further (Ramos, 2019).

One’s ability to read and write differs from the true meaning of being literate. This must be complemented by the faculty to think critically and intelligently, especially on the issues that affects the lives of our people.

Literate people are a vital factor in the progress and growth of the nation. It is a strong guarantee that the country will survive and prosper. Homes which will be utilized as our
classrooms because of the pandemic, can be vitalized as working laboratory to foster literacy among our people.

It is imperative that the country pursues quality education to promote personal growth of its citizens and ensure national progress in the midst of global conflicts and severe health problems besetting the region. With the adoption of reforms in education-related areas, the Philippines can truly become a country of educated and highly skilled people ready to face and approach the challenges of the future.

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