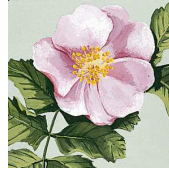


EDUCATION FOR THE FUTURE

An Integral perspective

The programme



Times are changing fast. Education as we have known it has lost its grip on life. Only the shell of competition remains. What next then? Shall we wait for even the shell to disintegrate? Shall we not get up now and collaborate with the emerging reality of Tomorrow?

Education for the Future is an attempt to widen the circle of those who have already embarked on this journey. Its focus is Integral Education - a holistic approach to the individual and the collective.

Invited are those who are seeking for a change in Education, those who wish to explore the concept of Integral Education.

The Facilitator : ANURADHA

Anuradha is a Teacher-Educator and is presently enrolled with the University of Sussex for an MA in Teachers' Education in the Context of National Development.

As the acting Principal of Mirambika (an Integral Education school) and later as its principal Co-ordinator for Teachers' Education, she has had 10 years of experience in carrying out training programmes, seminars and workshops, in teaching and in curriculum development along the lines of Integral Education. She has also been involved in educational consultancy.

She has edited a monthly newsletter with an international readership ('The Golden Thread' - a journal dealing with personal growth and youth empowerment).

Stage One

THE NEED

Education and the future

Individual and the collective - what is the individual, what is the collective

Aim of life and self-perfection

Aim of education

Brainstorms, discussions, guided journey and questionnaire

Stage Two

THE CONCEPT

•Planes and parts of the being (physical, vital, mental, psychic, spiritual) : nature, possibilities, limitations, aims and aspirations

•Integral Education - aims, methods, scope

Readings, talks, experiential activities

Stage Three

THE IMPLICATIONS

For personal growth, for professional life and the collective; relevance and applicability in daily life; conditions and pre-requisites; information on the work in progress

Question-answer session, role play and discussion, questionnaire

Stage Four

THE PRACTICE

Planning for change in oneself and work; action plan, support structures, follow-up

Introspection, plan of action

Aims & Nature of the Workshop

To arrive at a preliminary understanding of Integral Education. To seek for change in education - personal and collective.

The workshop shall be primarily academic - for those who wish to explore the concept of Integral Education. It will hold the possibility of further actions in the form of study groups, consultancy, support network.

The group size will be 10-15.

On the day of the Workshop

The venue:

Living Spaces

E-482, Greater Kailash 2

New Delhi 110 048

tel: 6477610 (Anuradha)

6418871 (Seema)

You need to bring only your personal stationery (paper, pen/pencil). Light snacks shall be served on all 3 days.

The Gnostic Centre

A centre for transformative learning recently established in Delhi, by a group of young 'entrepreneurs of the spirit'. The Gnostic Centre is a university of consciousness, a learning centre where the learner and the faculty meet in a dynamic, participative process of growth and awareness: a learning process not limited to classrooms but going beyond all structures and encompassing all life, where the participant himself becomes the 'living laboratory' of change.

Such a radical advance in higher life education has been long overdue and deeply needed. The Gnostic Centre is the response to this growing universal need and is meant for those who are ready for the Great Adventure of the growth of consciousness.

The Centre begins its work with a series of intensive awareness workshops and courses on themes related to integral growth and education.

The Gnostic Centre is consecrated to the vision and work of the Mother and Sri Aurobindo.

REGISTRATION

Fill up the enclosed registration form, indicating your choice of dates:

9-11 August, 1996
or
August 30-1 September, 1996

TIMINGS on Friday and Saturday are from 4.00 to 7.00 pm, and on Sunday from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm.

Along with the completed form, include the workshop contribution (Rs.800/-) either in cash or through a DD in favour of 'The Gnostic Centre'.

The form should reach us no later than 3 August for the 9-11 August workshop, and by 24 August for the second workshop.

The mailing address is:

c/o Ritika Goyal
H-401 Som Vihar Apts.
Sangam Marg
New Delhi 110 022

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Ritika (6179129) or Anuradha (6477610)

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