

EDUCATIONAL EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN

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ABSTRACT

It is globally accepted that progress of women is very important for the growth of any country. Women have a significant contribution to the progress of the country. Education is the only key to their development. Women's empowerment has been a debating issue for quite years ago among, government, politicians and educated officials. Various people have been defining it, in their own ways. Educated women make the family and the society cultured. Education of women is the education of the whole family. Educated women are the powerful tool of change of their position in society. This paper tries to capture the meaning of empowerment, also how women can liberate themselves through education and last the obstacles and also the benefits of education so that they could be empowered themselves.

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