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SECTION: FEATURES



February 10 [Greater Kashmir] The ideals of the profession. New Education Policy document 2020 has devoted one full chapter for teachers (Chapter 5). In its introductory remarks it says that the high respect for teachers must be restored so that best brains are inspired to enter the teaching profession. It recommends chalking out of professional standard for teachers. **LINK**



February 09 [Hindustan Times] 700 schools gets notice over false CBSE affiliation claim. Karnataka department of school education and literacy (DSEL) has issued a notice to private schools that have falsely claimed affiliation with the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), officials close to the development said on Wednesday. LINK



February 08 [Pennsylvania Capital Star] Experience is education. Pa. is right to recognise it and elevate it. On his first day in office last month, newly elected Gov. Josh Shapiro signed an executive order that seemed pretty straightforward: he removed the requirement of a 4-year degree for the vast majority of state government jobs. LINK



February 08 [UNESCO.org] UNESCO: Educational achievement is hampered by lack of investment in health and nutrition. While investing in school health and nutrition has a significant positive effect on children's academic achievement, 1 in 3 schools in the world still lack access to drinking water and basic sanitation facilities, according to a new report to be launched on 8 February by UNESCO, UNICEF and the WFP. LINK

SECTION: DIGITAL EDUCATION



February 08 [Deccan Heralds] 4 Trends Transforming Education Sector. For centuries, people have been educated at schools and colleges. But the world has changed, especially as computing becomes an increasingly essential tool for lifelong learning. What's more, access to quality education is no longer limited only to those who live in big cities. LINK



February 09 [Higher Education Digest] 2023: The Year Higher Education Digitalizes? Digitalisation can take many forms - from building databases to developing online feedback platforms. The OECD's Higher Education Policy team recently said digitalisation "holds enormous potential to enhance quality, equity, and efficiency in higher education". LINK



ಕ್ಷನ್ನಳನ್ನೆ February 10 [China Daily] Conference to focus on digital learning. The World Digital Education Conference will be held on Feb 13 and 14 in Beijing. Themed "Digital Transformation and Future of Education", the two-day event will be cohosted by the Ministry of Education and the Chinese National Commission for UNESCO. LINK

SECTION: EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION



February 07 [Al-Jazeera] The world is falling behind on early childhood education. Pre-primary school is fun – serious fun. Music, storytelling, movement, outdoor play, role play and drama give children basic literacy, numeracy and problem-solving skills. LINK



February 09 [The Conversation] 'Child care' or education? Words matter in how we envision living well with children. As people across Canada begin to understand the implications of the Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care program, public conversations often centre on the economic benefits of getting children back into quality child care, and their parents or guardians back into a robust Canadian economy. LINK



February 09 [The Mirage] Universal Early Education System Examined by Productivity Commission. The Australian Government is taking the next step in considering how to build an affordable, accessible, high quality, universal early education system. LINK

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SECTION: LANGUAGE



O9 February [The Mirage] UN Experts Worry About Minority Language Education in Latvia. In 2022, Latvia formulated and adopted a legislation amending the country's education system that requires all pre-school and school institutions – including bilingual institutions and those operating in minority languages to transition to instruction exclusively in Latvian. **LINK**



08 February [Deccan Herald] Boosting language-learning. The rapidly advancing world today places more importance on overall language ability and command over the language. Popularly known as cognitive skills, they are the core processes that we use, to read, learn, think, remember, reason and pay attention. When it comes to most languages, these cognitive processes help us to use four basic skills: writing, reading, speaking and listening. **LINK**



07 February [Yonhap News Agency] S. Korea opens metaverse platform for Korean-language learning. South Korea's culture ministry said Tuesday it will launch a metaverse version of the King Sejong Institute, a government-funded Korean language education brand, this year to help foreigners learn the language anytime and anywhere. LINK



O7 February [EdSource] Bilingual students do better on tests than native English speakers. Why? Students who were-once English learners but are now proficient in English do better on average on California's standardized tests than students who only speak English. <u>LINK</u>

SECTION: HIGHER EDUCATIONS



February 08 [Study Interrnational] 4 schools nurturing the next generation of global change makers. Today, education has never been more key to a successful global future. A university degree can significantly boost global job prospects, and a high school education is fundamental to that. LINK



February 08 [New Straits Times] Malaysia's aggressive push to transform higher education. MALAYSIA'S higher education system is entering a new phase of development. This is visibly echoed in the messages coming from the new-look Higher Education Ministry. **LINK**



February 07 [SBS Hindi] Students with Australian degrees to have qualification recognised internationally. Australia has ratified the UNESCO Global Convention on the Recognition of Qualifications concerning Higher Education, making Australian degrees internationally recognised. The move benefits students, including international students, wanting to work and further their education in other countries. **LINK**



February 08 [New Straits Times] "Shaping University Leadership for Higher Education in the 21st Century" The Sultan of Perak Sultan Nazrin Shah was pleased to deliver the message at the 'Shaping University Leadership for the 21st Century High Education' program at Universiti Malaya today. **LINK**



09 February [The Indian Panorama] Education: Private vs foreign universities and changing concepts of higher education. There has been a phenomenal growth of education infrastructure in the country in general and Punjab in particular. The number of private universities, including technical universities, have multiplied many times. The State is dotted with medical, dental, engineering, education and engineering colleges. **LINK**

SECTION: SPECIAL EDUCATION



O9 February [Today] Building 'a more inclusive society' among reasons behind decision to relocate and run co-ed, special education schools in Tengah: ACS SINGAPORE — Moving its primary school on Barker Road to the more socially diverse area of Tengah and establishing a special education school were in line with the vision of the Anglo-Chinese School (ACS) in helping to build a "more inclusive society", its leaders said. **LINK**



09 February [CNA] ACS (Primary) to move from Barker Road to Tengah and become a co-ed school from 2030. A new special education school that caters to students with autism spectrum disorder who can access the national curriculum will also be set up in a partnership between ACS and Methodist Welfare Services. LINK