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SECTION: FEATURES



July 20 [Bizz Buzz] Bridge gaps in education ecosystem key for a thriving inclusive economy. Being the world's fifth largest economy and bidding to be the third biggest economic powerhouse, India needs to further accelerate the pace and expand the scope of quality and affordable education for all. **LINK**



July 19 [Education Week] Educational Strategies and Student Outcomes Are Not in Sync. What You Need to Know. The fact that educational strategies are not aligned to student results is the core unspoken conversation that is missing in education. The majority of teachers and school administrators are focused on disparate tasks and processes that are not tied directly to student results. LINK



July 18 [The 74] New Study: Schools Prioritizing Social-Emotional Learning See Strong Academic Benefits. A recent study out of the University of Chicago showed high schools that prioritized social- emotional development had double the positive long-term impact on students as compared to those that focused solely on improving test scores. LINK

SECTION: CORE EDUCATION



July 20 [The Star] Feature: Free education brings hope to vulnerable families in Zambia. LUSAKA, July 19 (Xinhua) -- Faides Sakala is a 70-year-old grandmother living in the Ng'ombe community, one of the sprawling, densely populated residential areas in the Zambian capital of Lusaka. She was more than glad recently because her two grandchildren can afford to attend school without her spending any money following the introduction of free education. **LINK**



July 20 [The Fordham Ram] Building the Foundation: The Importance of Junior School Education. Education is one of the most important things a person could have in their life; it's both a right and a privilege and a big factor in success. Giving your child a quality education equals a good start in life, especially in their junior year. LINK



July 19 [The Straits Times] Primary school art syllabus refreshed to keep pupils up to date on art, education trends. SINGAPORE – An art syllabus that covers a wider range of media, topics and themes for deeper engagement and interdisciplinary learning will be introduced to primary school pupils from 2024. LINK



July 18 [Nature] How to educate the world: prioritize funding and data. The COVID-19 pandemic was an educational calamity. It disrupted schooling for more than 1.6 billion students. As recently as January 2022, more than 600 million schoolchildren were still experiencing full or partial school closures. LINK

SECTION: EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY



July 21 [EdTech] Al in Education: New Guidance from the Department of Education. As K–12 educators search for answers on how to approach generative artificial intelligence, agencies and organizations release recommendations for the modern classroom. <u>LINK</u>



July 20 [FE News] Transforming Higher Education: Al as an Assistive Technology for Inclusive Learning. The integration of Al as an assistive technology can create an inclusive educational environment where all students, regardless of disabilities or specific learning needs, have equal access to educational resources. LINK



July 23 [The Hill] **Don't ban ChatGPT: Teach students to do what it can't do.** In the 1970s, a new technology that was faster than the human brain and cheaper and more portable than a transistor radio encroached on classrooms. It threatened to disrupt education as we knew it. **LINK**

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SECTION: EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION



July 21 [The Sector] ECEC Provider in Focus: New Horizons Preschool. New Horizons Preschool was established in √ HOR 1/2 2004 by Executive Director and Founder Norma Panagakos, who has over 25 years' experience working in the early childhood education and care sector in Tasmania, and collaborating with children and families. <u>LINK</u>



July 19 [The Mirage] More Support to Keep Regional Early Learning Services Open. The Albanese Government is ensuring early childhood education and care services, receiving funding through the Community Child Care Fund (CCCF), have the business support and advice they need to stay open. LINK



July 18 [NSW Government] Educators take first step on accelerated pathway to degree. More than 270 early childhood education and care professionals will this week start an innovative new program that enables them to gain a degree in two years instead of four - and improve children's outcomes at the same time. LINK

SECTION: HIGHER EDUCATION



July 21 [The Japan Times] Japan to give ¥300 billion to universities expanding science education. The education ministry announced Friday that it will support 111 universities and technical colleges that plan to build or expand their science-related departments as part of efforts to bolster Japan's science education, especially in fields related to green and digital technologies. LINK



July 20 [FE News] Students celebrate life-changing successes in Access to Higher Education awards. Ceremonies at Coleg Llandrillo and Coleg Menai recognised the dedication and hard work of students who had successfully completed the intensive courses in a wide range of subjects. An Access to HE diploma provides a dynamic way of learning for students who want to study at a university level but may not have the qualifications required, or have been out of education for some time. LINK



July 20 [Telegraph India] 5 reasons why diploma courses are gaining more importance in today's time. The origins of the Indian education system date back to "Nalanda Mahavira", considered by many historians as one of the world's first residential universities and the leading centre of learning in ancient India. LINK

SECTION: INCLUSIVE EDUCATION



July 21 [UNESCO] Towards an Inclusive Educational Future: The Regional Framework Law will Transform Education in Central America, the Caribbean Basin, and Mexico. Representatives from the Forum of Presidents and Presidents of Legislative Powers of Central America, the Caribbean Basin, and Mexico (FOPREL) gathered today to present the initiative: the "Special Regional Framework Law for the promotion, prioritization, and protection of the Right to Education." **LINK**



July 18 [The Daily Star] Opportunities and Challenges to Inclusive Education for Children with Disabilities in Bangladesh. We find ourselves easily discussing inclusive education now, but just two decades ago, the idea of children with disabilities pursuing studies seemed unimaginable. LINK

SECTION: TVET EDUCATION



July 19 [TRT World] Türkiye's aviation, space vocational schools open doors to students. Türkiye's vocational high schools specialising in aviation and space technologies are set to welcome students for the first time this year, signalling promising opportunities for aspiring young minds. LINK



July 18 [Daily Express] Forum to increase awareness on the importance of TVET. KOTA KINABALU: An informative Forum titled "TVET/TPET: The Way Forward" to increase awareness and highlight the significance of Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) and Technical and Professional Education and Training (TPET) in Sabah was held on July 15. LINK