Education for All

Education for All is a global movement to ensure that all children in the world can get at least an elementary education. The concept was developed at the First United Nations Conference on Education, Science, and Culture (UNESCO) in 1960.

The International Literacy Day occurs on 8 September every year, to promote literacy as a human right and a fundamental basis for human development.


Inclusive Education (1990-2000) is an approach to education that values and respects the diversity of all children and adults, and promotes participation of all groups in education systems.

The Dakar EFA Goals (2000-2015) were agreed upon at the fourth World Conference on Education for All, held in Dakar, Senegal, in 2000.

Formal Education for All (Education for All) includes both Primary Education (1990-2000) and Secondary Education (2000-2015).