

WHY DO WE NEED TO TEACH SEX EDUCATION IN SCHOOL?

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Nowadays, awareness of HIV and other types of sickness is badly needed. One of the reasons why these sicknesses occur is because of the lack of education about it. We all know that early pregnancy is rampant and seems to be inevitable because of many reasons. This may be mainly because teenagers are not properly educated or well informed about the consequences if they get involved with this kind of circumstance. In this era, porn websites or any materials that practically show off pornography can be easily accessed by anyone, even the young ones who are exposed with gadgets at an early age. Young adult pregnancies in teenagers can cause trauma and shock, which can occasionally result in suicidal thoughts. And this is something that we should avoid immediately.

Engaging to sex has an age. This is not for everyone. This concept should be taught to today's generation by adults. Teachers are the best medium to spread this lesson in a proper set up, which is the classroom set up generally promoting the sex education.

In schools, sexual education must be taught. We need to save young ones and offer them a great future. However, many religious groups will surely disagree on this proposal. They believe that sex education is somewhat introducing premarital sex to the young generation. But changing this misconception and making them completely understand what this proposal is aiming, seriously, our children being well knowledgeable about what to do and not to do, with a proper guidance from the family, is a great advantage.

Even though it is clichéd, children are our future. Let us help them understand their worth.

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Sex ed should be taught in schools. Here's why.

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