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PREVALENT NATIONAL POLICY ON EDUCATION

The committee for review of National Policy on Education submitted its recommendations to the Government of India in 1986 and the approach “has been guided by the following principal concerns.

- Equity and social justice.
- Decentralization of educational management at all levels.
- Establishment of a participative educational order.
- Inculcation of values indispensable for creation of an enlightened and humane society.
- Empowerment for work.”

India's commitment to the spread of knowledge and freedom of thought among its citizens is reflected in its Constitution. The Directive Principle contained in Article 45 enjoins “the State shall endeavor to provide within a period of ten years from the commencement of this Constitution, for free and compulsory education for all children until they complete the age of fourteen years". There are about 888 thousand educational institutions in the country with an enrolment of about 179 million. Elementary Education System in India is the second largest in the World with 149.4 million children of 6-14 years enrolled and 2.9 million teachers. This is about 82% of the children in the age group.



The Ashoka Chakra is a depiction of the Buddhist Dharmachakra, represented with 24 spokes. It is so called because it appears on a number of edicts of Ashoka, most prominent among which is the Lion Capital of Sarnath which has been adopted as the National Emblem of the Republic of India. The most visible use of the Ashoka Chakra today is at the centre of the National flag of the Republic of India (adopted on 22 July 1947), where it is rendered in a Navy-blue color on a White background, by replacing the symbol of Charkha (Spinning wheel) of the pre-independence versions of the flag. The symbolism is that the impermanent things of life are the spokes, while the spiritually permanent thing (the Truth) is the center. The 24 Spokes also represent the 24 hours in a Day. It is also believed that the Lions are taking care of us for the whole 24 hours in a day.



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