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ITALIAN LAW TO REQUIRE CLIMATE CHANGE EDUCATION

Starting next year Italian schools will be required by law to study climate change in every grade. The announcement came on the heels of historic flooding in Venice. The new Italian policy will require students to, at first, study 33 hours per school year on climate change and sustainability. This will make Italy the first country to have mandatory coursework focused on climate change in all public schools. Policies led to a push for climate change education in grade schools as a way to prepare future Italian generations for the changes to come. Starting September 2020 children will begin to see climate change coursework sprinkled into their existing courses. Climate change will be taught within geography, civics, math, physics, etc.. **Source: Forbes**

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ASSAM IN NITI'S TOP SIX BEST SCHOOL-EDUCATION STATES

Assam has been ranked among the top-six best-performing states by NITI Aayog's School Education Quality Index (SEQI), but the state has been found to have the least percentage of toilet for girl students in the country, Daman & Diu, Assam the category of daily attendance of teachers in their respective electronic systems. , Andhra Pradesh, and Delhi are the only states or Union territories that record teachers in electronic devices. Assam is one of 10 states and UTs, where recruitment of new teachers is more transparent and is done online, while most of the states and UTs are yet to adopt this practice. The report states that 32 states and Union territories reported that at least 95% of their schools had Only Assam and Meghalaya reported the lowest percentage for this indicator -83.4% and 84.1% **Source: Times of India**

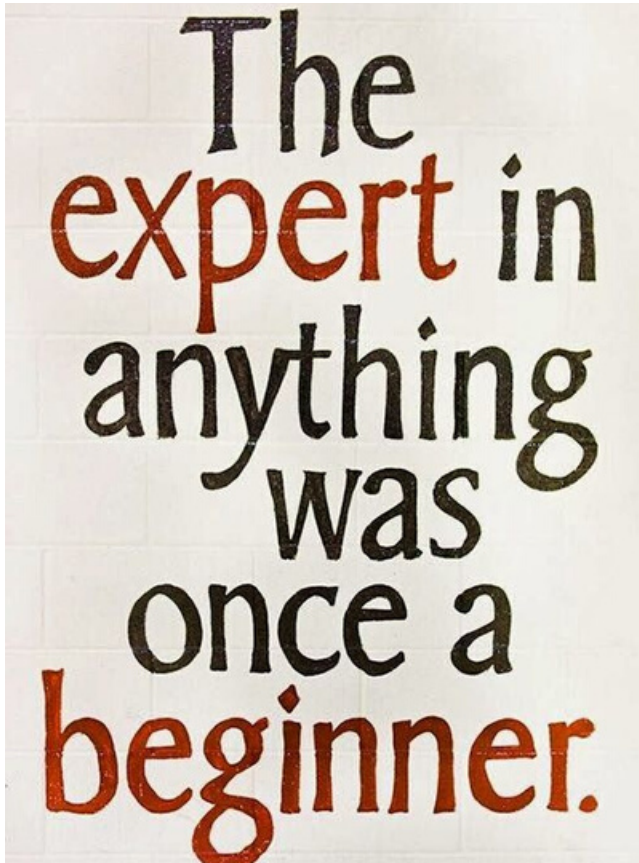
MARYLAND EDUCATION COMMISSION ENDORSES \$4 BILLION PUBLIC SCHOOL PLAN

A Maryland commission studying how to improve the state's education system endorsed a plan Thursday that eventually would require \$4 billion more to be spent each year on public schools. The state and local governments would increase their education spending gradually to fund expanded prekindergarten, improved career and technology training, increased teacher salaries and more resources for high-poverty recommendation now goes to the General Assembly for consideration during the next legislative session, which begins Jan. 8. After the commission issued recommendations on classroom reforms, state lawmakers sent the panel back to work this year to refine how much the recommendations would cost and how the money should be split up.. **Source: The Baltimore Sun**



TEACHERS FOR BRINGS MODERN EDUCATION TO RURAL SCHOOLS

In Russia, schools are not a big priority. Each year, the state spends just €220 (\$240) per pupil. Norway, which has a strong education system, in contrast invests 20 times that talented university graduates don't consider it as a career. That is because teachers earn very little. Some regions pay the equivalent of €130 per month — barely enough to live on. Even an untrained salesperson makes more than that in Russia.. , the average Russian teacher is over 50 years old. But as they near or go into retirement, Russia will face a shortage of teaching staff. So the Teachers for Russia program pays participants some extra money on top of their regular teacher's salary in the hopes of getting young people interested in this career The Teachers Russia program to reduce inequality in the education sector. Major cities tend to have excellent schools. But the more rural it gets, the more schools tend to lack staff. **Source: DW (Made for Minds)**



Due to changing patterns of education it is now essential that all students have access to career guidance that is future-focused and Integrating career-focused curricula into all courses into the discussions can help students make a connection between the curriculum and practical application. Many consider class discussions to be the heart of the classroom learning, and integrating key career information into this medium allows students the opportunity and chance to explore, connect, and apply career-focused topics. Career education is an enduring learning experience that needs to have a greater focus, from the first semester through the last. University students need to be exposed to career exploration in their early coursework via classroom discussions and real world speaker. AIMRI discusses this important aspect in their next Talk show.

TOPIC: "Connecting Curriculum Outcomes to Future Careers"

Date: 23rd November 2019 (Saturday)

Venue: AIMRI Studio at Aries HO in Sharjah

Time: 11:00am – 1pm

Guests:

Dr. Vidhya Vinod, President and Group CEO of Study World Group

Dr. S. Rao – President and Vice Chancellor of RAK Medical & Health Sciences University, Ras Al Khaimah

ASK THE EXPERT

Hi,

Is my career going to be in jeopardy if I don't get Campus Selection? - Anonymous

Life is much beyond what you see, and not getting through a campus selection is not the end of this world. You must have head - Failure is the stepping stone to success. Let me tell you an incident from my own life, I had a college mate who was rather very bad at studies, while we all made through the examinations getting best of the marks, attending interviews to get the best job, this guy had no idea what he was supposed to do. He had arrears in many of the papers but he was one confident person. We were not sure, if he was gonna make it. But, he was very confident that he would make the best out of his life.

After our college, we all got placed but he was still struggling through the campus interview. But one fine day we came to know that he has secured a highly paying job which was much more than any of our salaries. Now he owns a company of his own and has over 50 odd staff working under him. Hence, not clearing a campus selection doesn't determine your worth, just stay true to yourself work hard and success will follow. Just don't loose hope and keep moving ahead.

All the Best!

This specific corner has been introduced for those who seek advice on education and related matters. If you have a feel free to submit your questions to aimri@ariesgroup.ae