

Quotes about Education

(Principals: These quotes make great additions to daily bulletins or parent newsletters.)

Man's mind, once stretched by a new idea, never regains its original dimensions.

Oliver Wendell Holmes

Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself.

John Dewey

Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.

William Butler Yeats

Fifty years from now it will not matter what kind of car you drove, what kind of house you lived in, how much you had in your bank account, or what your clothes looked like. But the world may be a little better because you were important in the life of a child.

Anonymous

The highest result of education is tolerance.

Helen Keller

Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one.

Malcolm S. Forbes

Education is the vaccine for violence.

Edward James Olmos, actor

An investment in knowledge pays the best interest.

Benjamin Franklin

A teacher affects eternity.

Henry Adams

The dream begins, most of the time, with a teacher who believes in you, who tugs and pushes and leads you on to the next plateau, sometimes poking you with a sharp stick called truth.

Dan Rather

What greater gift can we offer the republic than to teach and instruct our youth?

Cicero

There is a place in America to take a stand: it is public education. It is the underpinning of our cultural and political system. It is the great common ground. Public education after all is the engine that moves us as a society toward a common destiny. . . It is in public education that the American dream begins to take shape.

Tom Brokaw

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