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### **Role of Education in Women Empowerment and change Society**

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#### **Abstract:**

*Education not only develops an individual but also brings social and cultural development. It helps Women to change their daily life and facing their daily life challenges. Education is the most important key for empowering Women in society. At earlier time Women were getting equal status with Men. But, many a time they had faced some challenging difficulties. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru once said, "If you educate a Woman, you educate a whole family. Women empowered means mother India empowered." one mother teaches more than a hundred teachers. So, empowerment enables a Woman to achieve knowledge, skills and opportunities and fulfilled their own rights. Today we have noticed the Women settled the reputed situations in all fields. The higher level learning will also help them to take part in effective role in present society.*

**Key words: Education, empowerment, Women Education, social development.**

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**Introduction:** Women are not absolutely free some social discrimination and harassment in present situation. They are not considering as equal to male in all the social fields. In this regard, Education promote to every Woman to discover their potentiality and speak out their own rights. Education plays a critical role in Womens' all empowerment. Education empowers girls to achieve their potentiality and develop a bright career our national and social leaders feel that no progress in society without Womens' Education. Different Education Commission and Committees emphasis Women Education. Smt. DurgaBai Deshmukh was the first chairperson of the National Council on Womens' Education recommendations to give priorities to the Education of girls.

Therefore, the role of Women Education has been regarded as major programme in India to established Women empowerment. Infact, after the independence of our Country success rate of Women Education increased. Because, the central Govt. State Govt., and Non Govt. institutions have taking Chief initiative, "Beti Bachao , Beti Padhao " (BBBP) scheme was launched on 22 nd Jan, 2015 with an aim to address declining Child Sex Ratio (CSR) and related issues of empowerment of girls and Women over a life cycle continuum.

Recently, Ministry of Central launched "Mission Shakti " (Integrated Women Empowerment Programme) – an umbrella scheme in a mission mode aimed at

strengthening interventions for safety, security and empowerment of Women. So, Education of Women is the most powerful weapons to bring change their position in the society.

**Features of Women Empowerment:** Women's empowerment has some important features. Therefore, the various features of Women empowerment are –

1. Women's' sense of self – worth.
2. Their right to have power to control their own lives, both within and outside the home.
3. To determine their own choices and access to opportunities and resources.
4. Building and strengthening partnership with civil society, particularly Womens' organisations.

**Role of Education:** Education takes action and major role to prevention of violence against Women. For proper Education of Women encouragement in increase empower in rural area. The Right to Education is one of the most important things to empowering Women with knowledge, skills and self-confidence. The main objectives of Women empowerment are raising self – esteem and self-confidence of Women. According to our honorable PM Narendra Modi – “Woman is an incarnation of Shakti” – Goddess of power. If she is bestowed with Education, India's strength will double, let the campaign of ‘Kanya Kelevni’ be spread in every home; let the lamp of educating daughters be lit up in every heart. In addition, the absence of education the society, especially Women empowerment does not occupy succeed. So, we can say Education plays a vital role in Womens' all empowerment.

**Govt. Scheme to encourage Women Empowerment:** Today we have noticed various acts and scheme of the central Govt. as well as the State Govt to increase the Women Empower about changing our society. Women are considering the ‘Backbone of every Society’. Empowering Women is declarations that women have democratic opportunity to engage in all sectors of society. There are various Govt. schemes to enlightend Women:

1. Beti Bachao Beti Padho Scheme (2015)
2. Ujjawala Scheme
3. Kannyashree Prakalpa
4. Women Helpline Scheme
5. NIRBHAYA
6. Mahila Shakti Kendras (MSK) – (2017)
7. NARI SHAKTI PURASKAR
8. Pradhan Mantri Matri Vandana Yojana
9. Mudra Yojana Scheme
10. One – Stop Center – 24 hour helpline

So, Govt. of India has taken a lot of schemes to encourage Women for getting empowerment.

**Why we empowering Women:** Women are found to be deprived all over the India. When women contribute equally with men, the society and country was develop. Women empowerment helps women do something of your according. By getting Education women

are participate several work place job section and providing appropriate job with reservation. If women will be empowered, she will not be a burden on any one. Empowering women raise her self - esteem and self-confidence to shut down the negative outlook about women. So, as a result of empowering women, country, state and society also change and develop day by day.

**Conclusion:** The empowerment of women is the key to remove gender bias outlook in our society. The women are active role in our society and the nation. As a result of empowerment, women are enrolling higher education to stand on your own feet. No doubt, the education takes main role to empowering women. Our Indian Constitution and Govt. of India implementing various acts and schemes to throwing light on the women empowerment in India.

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