Value Education Session 1

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Questions for discussion:

- What is the importance of education?
- Do you think that education is all about reading books and getting academic Knowledge? Why/why not?
- What does the term value mean to you as a verb and as a noun?
- Do values depend on nature or nurture?
- What is the relation between value and religions?
- What is the relation between value and society?

What is Value Education:

Value-based education is essential to develop an individual and help him/her lifelong in many ways: It gives a positive direction to the students to shape their future and even helps them to know the purpose of their life. Value education also helps the students to become more and more responsible and sensible.

The Importance of Value Education:

- Today, every parent wants to give the best education to children, which is not just confined to the books but it goes much beyond that. The parents look at the holistic development of their children as that is essential to edge in the global scenario. That is why parents focus on extracurricular activities and value education along with academics.
- In today's time, when there is a huge crisis of moral values in society, value-based education proves out to be the solution. Through value-based education, we can develop the children into people with strong character and values who know how to utilize their knowledge for the advantage of mankind.

The Importance of Value Education:

- Nelson Mandela rightly said: "Education is the most powerful weapon through which you can change the world". Here, he talked about both academic education as well as moral value education. And, value education has the power to change the world.
- Education is a lifelong process of development of one's personality which starts from the school. It is a school that builds the base for everything. That is why school plays a significant role in providing value-based education or moral education.