

Why One Should Go to College

“Man achieves in life only by commanding the capabilities nature has given him, or by creating them within himself by education and by knowing how to profit by the difficulties encountered”

OR,

‘Give me an educated mother, I shall promise you the birth of a civilized, educated nation”

-Napoleon Bonaparte

Who haven't heard the name of mighty Emperor Napoleon? He conquered much of the Europe in the early 19th century and these are two of the most famous quotes he said. Aren't these two quotes enough showing the importance of education? Can there be any logic in favor of being illiterate? Not getting a college degree?

A college degree broadens the outlook of an individual. In college, one can generally meet people from different backgrounds. First of all, this helps him understand that there are differences in realities due to different contexts. Also, one can be acquainted with varieties of cultures. Every nation has some traditional clothes, foods, languages, etc. And it's interesting to learn of them, too. For example, people in Bangladesh speak Bengali, wear sarees, punjabis, lungis. Brazil is famous for its Samba dance, and there are many more.

Above all, when a person is aware of different realities, he becomes less invasive and more compassionate to others.

Having a college degree is an effective way to prove one's credential/ quality. So, it's a lot easier for an educated person to raise a voice than an uneducated fellow. **Thus**, after graduating from college, he can work a policymaker, and help making policy, which is beneficial for the country. **Otherwise**, he can be a social worker, creating awareness among the society people about their wellbeing. **Moreover**, he can also share his experiences and knowledge with people all over the world by writing papers, blogs, or simply making posts on Facebook, Twitter, etc.

Having a college degree enable one to become a sensible citizen as well. He can realize what is good for his nation, or not, and act according to that. **Therefore**, a wise citizen is always stick to the rules and regulations. **On the other hand**, he won't do anything, that may create any outrage in his society. **And, last but, not necessarily the least**, an educated citizen can play an effective role to elect great leaders for their country in a democratic setup.

Finally, Education is the backbone of a nation. No nation can improve without proper education. It helps a person to become a good human being as well as a good citizen. So, the effects of getting a college degree is undeniable.

