

Key Features of NEP 2020 & NCF 2023

1. Holistic Development

NEP 2020 Quote

"Education must build character, enable learners to be ethical, rational, compassionate, and caring, while at the same time prepare them for gainful, fulfilling employment" (NEP 2020, Section 4.23).

NCF Reference

"Developing values and dispositions is an integral part of this NCF across all School Stages and Curricular Areas."

The NCF emphasises a holistic education approach that includes physical, cognitive, social, and emotional development, aiming to build well-rounded individuals.

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365 offers stories that instil values of empathy, respect, and responsibility, aligning perfectly with the NEP's emphasis on holistic development and the NCF's focus on value education.

2. Value-Based Education

NEP 2020 Quote

"The curriculum and pedagogy of our institutions must develop a deep sense of respect towards the Fundamental Duties and Constitutional values, bonding with one's country, and a conscious awareness of one's roles and responsibilities in a changing world" (NEP 2020, Section 4.23).

NCF Reference

"The curriculum aims to develop students into well-rounded individuals with strong character and ethical values."

NCF integrates value education across all school stages and subjects, ensuring that students develop a strong ethical foundation.

StoryWalker365's Role

Our stories and activities are designed to teach core ethical values, supporting the NCF's and NEP's goals of character building and ethical development.

3. Life Skills

NEP 2020 Quote

"Students will be given increased flexibility and choice of subjects to study, particularly in secondary school - including subjects in physical education, the arts and crafts, and vocational skills" (NEP 2020, Section 4.9).

NCF Reference

"Life skills education is a crucial component of the framework, aiming to equip students with essential skills for their personal and professional lives".

The NCF promotes the development of critical life skills such as critical thinking, problem-solving, decision-making, and creativity.

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365 offers a diverse range of original stories designed to nurture essential life skills and values through engaging narratives and interactive activities.

4. Socio Emotional Learning

NEP 2020 Quote

"The importance of early care and education in ensuring the optimal development of the child is recognised. The aim will be to ensure universal access to high-quality Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE)" (NEP 2020, Section 1.1).

NCF Reference

"The framework underscores the importance of socio-emotional development, recognising its impact on other domains of development".

StoryWalker365's Role

Through its storytelling approach, StoryWalker365 helps children understand and manage their emotions, fostering socio-emotional growth.

5. Cultural Context and Relevance

NEP 2020 Quote

"The vision of the policy is to instil among the learners a deep-rooted pride in being Indian, not only in thought, but also in spirit, intellect, and deeds, as well as to develop knowledge, skills, values, and dispositions that support responsible commitment to human rights, sustainable development and living, and global well-being" (NEP 2020, Section on Culture and Heritage).

NCF Reference

The NCF places a general emphasis on the importance of integrating cultural context into education to help students connect with their heritage and social norms.

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365's culturally rich stories help children connect with their heritage, supporting the NEP and NCF's focus on cultural awareness and inclusivity. The stories integrate local cultural contexts to make learning more relatable and meaningful.

6. Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE)

NEP 2020 Quote

"Ensuring quality early childhood care and education for all children between 3-6 years" (NEP 2020, Section 1.1).

NCF Reference

"The foundational stage (ages 3-8) emphasises physical, cognitive, social, and emotional development."

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365's stories for young children (ages 3-10) focus on emotional and social development, aligning with ECCE goals by fostering early development through engaging narratives and activities.

Every story comes with unique extended learning in the form of simple activities, fascinating facts, creative expression, among others.

7. Play-Based Learning

NEP 2020 Quote

"ECCE ideally consists of flexible, multifaceted, multilevel, play-based, activity-based, and discovery-based learning" (NEP 2020, Section 1.1).

NCF Reference

"The pedagogy is play-based, balancing self-paced individual learning and group activities".

The NCF promotes play-based and experiential learning methodologies, especially in the foundational stages.

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365's interactive and engaging stories align with these play-based learning approaches, making learning fun and effective.

In every story, we incorporate 'Story-doing' activities that reinforce value learning through play and activities enhancing experiential learning.

8. Inclusive and Equitable Education

NEP 2020 Quote

"Education is the single greatest tool for achieving social justice and equality" (NEP 2020, Section 6.1).

NCF Reference

"The NCF emphasises inclusive education, ensuring no child is left behind."

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365's inclusive stories and activities promote several pertinent values important for the foundational years along with a strong cultural context, aligning with the NEP and NCF's vision of inclusive education.

The stories are designed to be accessible and relevant to all students, fostering an inclusive learning environment and a wide spectrum of learning spectrums where 'no child is left behind'. StoryWalker365 can effectively contribute to a more equitable and culturally rich educational experience for all students.

9. Teacher Support and Professional Development

NEP 2020 Quote

"Teachers will be at the centre of the fundamental reforms in the education system. The new system will foster the teacher's role as a facilitator of learning." (NEP 2020, Section 5.2).

NCF Reference

"Teachers play a crucial role in creating supportive environments and fostering emotional safety."

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365 offers structured lesson plans and resources that support teachers in delivering value-based and engaging education. The materials are designed to be user-friendly, helping teachers incorporate storytelling into their curriculum seamlessly.

The structure also has a built-in qualitative assessment that allows teachers to actively input into the child's life skills learning progress.

10. Continuous Learning and Assessment

NEP 2020 Quote

"Assessment reforms will help in optimising learning and development for all students by shifting from summative assessment to more continuous and formative assessment." (NEP 2020, Section 4.34).

NCF Reference

"The framework supports continuous and comprehensive assessment methods to evaluate student learning and development."

StoryWalker365's Role

StoryWalker365 includes activities like story writing and qualitative assessments, providing teachers with diverse tools to evaluate students creatively and effectively.



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