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Marginalization, Exclusion and Education: Minorities and Dalits in India

I. Understanding Exclusion and Marginality.

Social, cultural, political, and economic dynamics of Exclusion. Structural Conditions that marginalise children.

II. Understanding diversity in the Indian classroom: Dalits and minorities. Recognition of Diversity, appreciation of differing perspectives.

Construction of the 'Other' – Assumptions, Stereotypes, Prejudice, Forms of discrimination and 'de-valuation'; Dealing with deprivation Minorities and their educational rights

III. The Silenced Dialogue: Power and Pedagogy Classroom Processes and School Texts Schooling and the Hidden Curriculum

IV. Towards a Culturally Responsive Pedagogy - Addressing diversity in schools. Multicultural Issues in Education – Shaping curriculum for Diversity Communicating across cultures.

Integrating gender concerns

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