

THE PURPOSE OF EDUCATION IS...

To impart to students the truth and meaning—and its corresponding information—already intact within the wisdom and traditions of previous generations.

To shape students to peacefully co-exist in a diverse, multi-cultural society and world.

To challenge students to create their own personal meaning and identity and take responsibility for their own purpose in life.

To liberate students from the static traditions of the past and prepare them to discover and develop new truths, meaning, and information.

To equip students with the meanings, knowledge, and skills necessary to function in present society.

To promote in students the attitudes, knowledge, and competencies necessary for citizenship and participation in their society.

So which is it? Or which combination? And if a combination, which gets first say and first emphasis?