

PROPOSITIONS

attached to the thesis

Values Education in Brazil: A study of three educational initiatives focused on values formation

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1. Values-driven education can potentially reshape the prioritization of values among students, suggesting a pathway to enhanced holistic development and ethical awareness. *This thesis.*
2. Parental involvement appears to be a critical factor in the effectiveness of values education, influencing the degree to which such initiatives impact students' value systems. *This thesis.*
3. The integration of values education into the school's culture and curriculum could be crucial for maximizing its impact, indicating the importance of supportive educational environments in fostering value formation. *This thesis.*
4. Digital game-based learning tools like Turma de Valor could offer a promising method for delivering values education effectively, engaging students in meaningful learning experiences. *This thesis.*
5. The success of values education might depend on a comprehensive approach that encompasses curriculum development and the active engagement of all educational stakeholders. *This thesis.*
6. Educational initiatives that adopt a people-centered approach may be essential for promoting a fairer society and supporting human flourishing, as suggested by the case studies in this research.
7. Values education should aim to foster critical thinking, emotional growth, and ethical discernment among students, beyond mere knowledge transmission.
8. A holistic approach in values education can support the development of key personal and social capabilities, such as empathy, respect, and social responsibility.
9. Socio-economic and cultural contexts significantly influence the implementation and outcomes of values education programs, highlighting the need for adaptive strategies that reflect local needs.
10. Values education has the potential to act as a transformative force within educational systems, promoting greater social cohesion and addressing societal challenges through the cultivation of well-rounded individuals.
11. Ongoing research and evaluation are essential to deepen understanding of the impact of values education on student outcomes and to refine educational practices for broader applicability and effectiveness.