



**The Millennials Movement Recommendations
3rd Youth Declaration Consultation
Towards the Education Transformation Summit
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These recommendations are made on behalf of The Millennials Movement, a youth lead organization that mobilizes youth in 16 countries of the Latin American and Caribbean Region and reflect the voices of youth in the region who demand an inclusive and quality education that allows them to transform their lives and the communities present and futures, responding to the global crisis while pursuing their dreams and aspirations.

On the frame of the Transforming Education Summit, we recommend the United Nations and member states specially in the LAC region to:

- Re affirm the recognition of education, at all of its levels, as a human right and as a base to face the most challenging crisis in the present and the future and to achieve a live with dignity.
- Take education as a fundamental part of social protection policies, ensuring young people and young adults to have the right tools and decent income to contribute with redistribution policies.
- Carry out complementary social protection policies to make education accesible for all, especially for populations in conditions of greater vulnerability, ensuring the educational continuity of youth.
- Mobilize resources and political will to include education on human rights, integral sexual education, education on sustainable development, climate change and peace building in national curriculas. We need an education to humanize us.
- Ensure the participation of youth in formal educational decision-making processes, ensuring their safety and the autonomy of their voices, mostly in those countries where democracies and human rights are under threat.
- Work on multisectorial responses to ensure no one is left behind, such as improving safe and adequate roads and transportation; adopting a gender perspective in policies, addressing the asymmetric distribution of time spent on care, which falls mostly on young women and girls compromising their time spent on study.



- Defend education from all forms of violence and attack, especially we call to take action in the LAC region, a region with not wars declared but the most violent of the world.
- Revalue the work of educators, ensuring adequate working conditions, salaries, continuous training and evaluation.
- Increase educational investment in infrastructure and equipment specially in peripheral and rural areas. Guarantying digital inclusion through policies for connectivity, access to devices and tech literacy.
- Regional responses and resource mobilization that equip the present and future generations with the tools and knowledge to respond to the most critical challenges and ensure a transition to sustainability, peace and prosperity for all.

We want a real transformation on education, because not only youth need to be educated, other generations needs us to be educated so we can respond now and in the greatest challenges for humanity, leaving no one behind.

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