This is good but what we see in most cases is that they don't return and stay back to pursue a career. This in turn results in a brain drain, which the country can ill afford.

In the case of English schools and colleges we see that the students have proclivities to tilt towards western cultures and ideas and ape their life style as result they slowly drift away from their culture and values and get distanced from their history, heritage and traditions. They become insouciant to their social political and cultural environment and fail to play a positive role in the development of society.

In the country's educational institutions politicking and political partisanship is common which lead to a highly volatile and violent environment. Violence is rampant and a way of life affecting education and creating session jams which cause delay in completion of courses and seriously impact future prospects. This is a worrying and disturbing phenomenon. This also negates the continuation of the studies of students with little resources and compels many to abandon their education to seek a livelihood, unable to sustain the increasing expenses due to disruptions and delays. Most of the institutions are city based which are not easily accessible to the towns and village based students. It becomes a big hurdle for them to travel down and study in these universities.

The present trend in education is career based, producing professionals. The popular courses are mostly to do with finance. This is the latest trend prevalent in our country. As a consequence IT is not making much headway like it is in our neighboring country. The progress is slow and negligible. As financial institutes and banks are growing students have no option but to go for business courses in order to be qualified for jobs in them. We need to have other subjects as well, to develop as much as this, so that the society can have balanced progress.

Studies in private institutions are extremely expensive and there is no government mechanism to ensure participation by students coming from poor families who struggle to pursue their studies. This situation is depriving the poor but intelligent and bright minds with huge potentials to get admission and avail of the facilities in order to make their due contributions in the social development. The loss is for the country, which cannot take care of such bright minds that can be an asset for the nation.

Last but not the least. The sight of the buildings housing the colleges and universities alongside the residential flats, shopping malls make me wonder what has happened to the good old days of sprawling campus, imposing buildings with eyes and mind pleasing architecture and designs, spick and span environment, green foliage and pristine, peaceful ambience where we used to roam around attending classes in different buildings scattered around the premises, chatting and lolling under tall spreading green age old trees and lying on green grass absorbing the warm winter sun. Today's institutions are in crowded areas- residential and commercial with heavy traffic snarl-ups and incessant honking and air pollution.

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