

EDUCATION IN MYANMAR



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How to use this pack

This pack contains links to different sources of information on Myanmar and their education system.

We recommend that schools select the sources and topics that are appropriate for their students. We have included suggested questions and activities although these wont be appropriate for all students.



General Information

- https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Education_in_Myanmar
- <http://www.oxfordburmaalliance.org/education-in-burma.html>
- <http://www.classbase.com/countries/Myanmar/Education-System>
- <http://education.stateuniversity.com/pages/1037/Myanmar-EDUCATIONAL-SYSTEM-OVERVIEW.html>
- Executive Summary in: <http://www.educationandtransition.org/wp-content/uploads/2007/04/Myanmar-Dutch-report.pdf>



Out of School Children

- <http://www.aljazeera.com/indepth/features/2014/08/myanmar-rohingya-deprived-education-201484105134827695.html>
- <http://www.voanews.com/content/myanmar-rohingya-children-losing-future-without-education/3203595.html>
- http://factsanddetails.com/southeast-asia/Myanmar/sub5_5f/entry-3117.html
- <http://www.irinnews.org/report/99489/teacher-training-offers-hope-myanmar%E2%80%99s-rural-education>
- <http://www.ruralpovertyportal.org/country/home/tags/myanmar>
- http://www.ilo.org/ipec/news/WCMS_379121/lang--en/index.htm



NGOs

- <https://myanmar.savethechildren.net/what-we-do/education>
- <http://educateachild.org/our-partners-projects/country/myanmar>
- http://www.unicef.org/myanmar/education_1360.html
- <http://www.unitedworldschools.org/where-we-are/myanmar-burma/>



Key Questions

- What does NGO stand for? What do they do?
- What are three problems facing the education system in Myanmar?
- How do we measure a country's level of education? What are the problems with this?
- Describe how education has changed in Myanmar over the last 20 years?
- What are some of the barriers to education in Myanmar? Which are the most important?
- Compare going to school in Yangon to learning opportunities in rural village?

Suggested Activities

- Create a poster to persuade children living in rural Myanmar to go to school.
- Complete a piece of creative writing: Write a story of a Rohingya girl, including her experience of education
- Give a short presentation to the class explaining how you might reduce barriers to education in Myanmar