

## Education (General Provisions) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

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Given the short notice for this & my inability to download the entire document, I can only comment on 2 areas.

1. As a trained teacher, I am aware that teaching is not an unlearned skill. What are the basic requirements for parents who wish to choose this path?

I had a conversation with a young woman who wanted to home school. I asked her whether she had looked at the curriculum for the relevant levels and what background she had in teaching. Both questions mystified her. She'd left school at 16, without completing upper levels and didn't know what a curriculum was.

My concern is that children will not learn the fundamental of education : How to think.

And a subculture of ignorance will emerge.

2. Kindergartens: Is there a program to ensure that staff are adequately trained in the new measures & support to carry them out is forthcoming?

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