

About NERIE



The North East Regional Institute of Education (NERIE), Shillong, a constituent unit of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), New Delhi, was established in 1995 to address the educational needs of the North Eastern Region of India. The Institute is engaged in teacher education, educational research, curriculum development, training, and extension activities aimed at improving the quality of school education. NERIE works closely with state governments, educational institutions, and other stakeholders to promote innovation, inclusion, and excellence in education. Guided by the principles of NEP 2020, the Institute contributes significantly to educational development and capacity building in the region.

About the Conference

The National Conference on Transformative Education in 21st Century India aims to provide a platform for academicians, researchers, teacher educators, school leaders, policymakers, and practitioners to deliberate on emerging trends and innovations shaping the future of education. The conference seeks to promote dialogue on transformative educational practices, inclusive and equitable learning, pedagogical innovations, educational research, technology integration, teacher professional development, and policy reforms aligned with the vision of NEP 2020. Through keynote lectures, paper presentations, and scholarly discussions, the conference aspires to foster collaboration, knowledge exchange, and actionable recommendations for strengthening educational transformation in India.



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on

Transformative Education in 21st Century India

10 - 12 February, 2027

Venue: NERIE, Shillong

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Themes & Sub-themes

Theme 1: Towards Transformative Education:

- Education for sustainable development and global citizenship; 21st-century skills and future-ready learning; STREAM education and interdisciplinary learning; IKS in Education; ECCE; FLN; Vocationalisation and skill-based education; Health and Well-being

Theme 2: Equity, access, and social justice in education

- Policy, Legislation and Framework; Education of children with diverse learning needs; UDL; Differentiated instruction; Multilingual and culturally responsive pedagogies

Theme 3: Pedagogical Innovations

- Innovative classroom practices - Experiential learning, Art-integrated, sports-integrated, toy-based, story-based pedagogies, etc.; Inquiry-based, project-based, and collaborative learning; Hybrid and blended learning models; Digital pedagogy and online learning ecosystems; AI and emerging technologies in education

Theme 4: Assessment for Transformative Education

- CBE; Assessment for learning and authentic assessment; Role of assessment; Technology enhanced assessment; Different modes of assessment; Performance Assessment, Review, and PARAKH; PARAKH Rashtriya Sarvekshan

Theme 5: Teacher Education, Professional Development, and Leadership

- Preparing reflective and adaptive educators; Integrated Teacher Education Programme; Continuous Professional Development; National Mission for Mentoring; National Professional Standards for Teachers; School internship and field engagement; Educational leadership and professional learning communities

Theme 6: Educational Policy, Governance, and Institutional Transformation

- Implementation of various education policies, frameworks, and their initiatives; Institutional leadership and governance; Quality assurance and accountability; Institutional autonomy and innovation; Transformation of school and teacher education; Educational planning and management; Community participation and stakeholder engagement

Theme 7: Recent trends and emerging perspectives in educational research

- Evidence-based practices, Action research, Case Study, etc.; Big data research; Government initiatives and policy driven research in school education; Emerging perspectives in education; Technology enabled research



Only original and high-quality papers with the potential to transform educational practice and policy will be selected for presentation.

Call for Papers

Researchers, teacher educators, school leaders, policymakers, practitioners, and research scholars are invited to submit original and unpublished papers for the Conference. The conference seeks high-quality empirical research, innovative practices, action research, case studies, and conceptual papers that contribute to educational transformation. Only 50-60 high-quality and original research work papers will be selected through a rigorous blind peer-review process. Join this national platform to share ideas, innovations, and evidence that can shape the future of education.

Guidelines for Submission of Papers

Authors are invited to submit original and unpublished papers: abstracts (max 250 words) and full papers (max 2,500 words) relevant to the conference themes. Submissions should be prepared in MS Word format and follow APA 7th Edition style guidelines. All papers will undergo a rigorous peer-review process based on originality, scholarly quality, relevance, and contribution to transformative education. Only 50-60 high-quality papers will be selected for presentation. Three outstanding papers demonstrating exceptional innovation, research quality, and impact will receive the Best Paper Awards. In addition, the 20 best papers recommended by the Review Committee will be considered for publication in an Edited Book with ISBN.

Authors whose papers are accepted for presentation must complete online registration and upload proof of travel booking through the prescribed registration link by the stipulated date. Failure to complete registration within the specified timeline will be treated as withdrawal, and the presentation slot may be offered to a paper from the waiting list.

Travel & Accommodation

TA will be reimbursed as per NCERT norms on submission of tickets booked through authorised sources such as IRCTC, Ashok Travels & Tours, or Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd., for one author per paper only. Boarding and lodging arrangements will be provided at NERIE Guest House for registered participants who have confirmed their participation through online registration.

Plagiarism and Academic Ethics

Authors must submit a plagiarism report along with the full paper. The similarity index should not exceed 10% (excluding references and quotations). Papers exceeding the prescribed limit shall be rejected without review. Authors are expected to adhere strictly to academic ethics, and to maintain originality in their work.

Venue

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Last date of Submission: 31 October 2026

Important Note: Prior to uploading, ensure your file is named strictly according to the specified format: **<Theme No.>_<Your Name>**

Registration Fee : Nil

Announcement of Selected Papers: The announcement of the selected papers will be communicated on **20 December 2026**