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## NEED AND SIGNIFICANCE OF IN-SERVICE PROGRAMMES IN TEACHER EDUCATION

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## **ABSTRACT**

Recent developments in information and communication technology (ICT) have ushered in the Information Age. The world is in the midst of an unprecedented information explosion. Fortunately, new solutions for handling information are also emerging which have made it possible to keep pace with the information growth. This paper advocates & proposes the inservice training for teachers which opens up the whole world of knowledge and allow teaching & learning to take place beyond the traditional boundaries. This paper discusses in-service programme & its need in this changing & growing world of knowledge. It also advocates the need of in-service training programme to eliminating deficiencies in teacher's preparation & promoting the continuous improvement of teacher & training. The need & significance of inservice training programmes are discussed in changing, scenario.

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