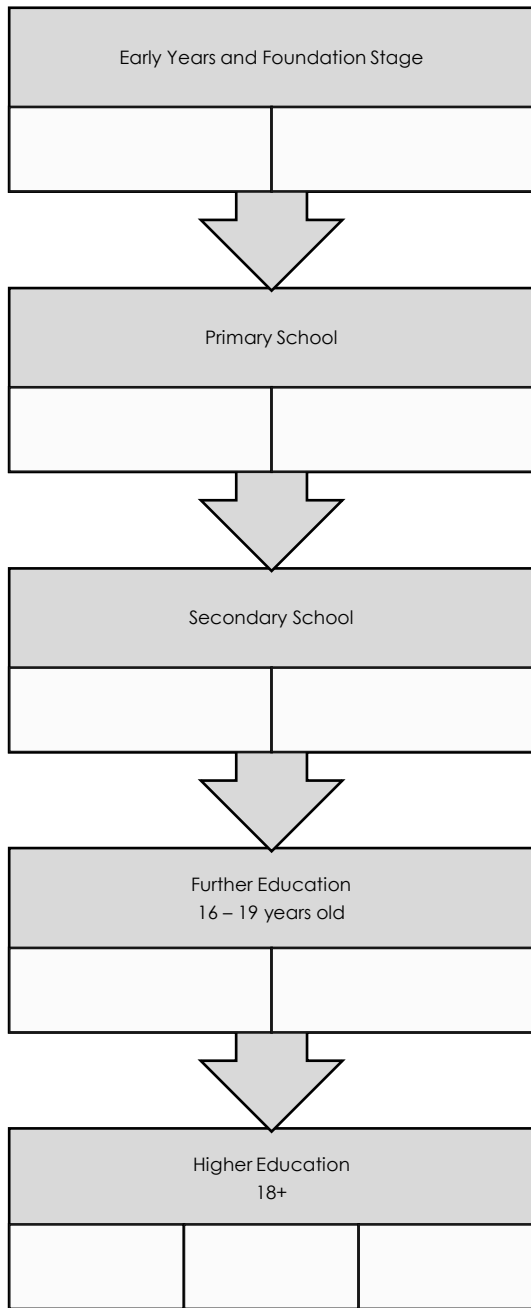


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State Schools	Private Schools	Alternative Provision
Community schools or maintained schools	Private / Independent Schools	Pupil Referral Units
Foundation and voluntary schools,		
City Technology Colleges		
Grammar schools	Public Schools	Special Education Schools:
Academy schools		
Free schools		
Faith schools	International Schools	Home Schooling:
Single Sex Schools		
A state boarding school		

Human Capital

Hidden Curriculum

Particularistic Values

Universalistic Values

The four functions of education

	Identify + Key Thinker	Explain	Evaluation
1	Socialisation and Social Solidarity Durkheim		
2	Bridge between family and society. Parsons		
3	Developing Human Capital Schultz		
4	Role Allocation Davis and Moore		

New Right View of Education

Role of Education

Influence of Education Policy

Ideological State Apparatus

Repressive State Apparatus

Correspondence Principal

Hidden Curriculum

The main role of education is

Althusser	
Reproduction of social inequality	Legitimation of social inequality

Bowles and Gintis	
Correspondence principal	Myth of Meritocracy

Evaluation

Giroux – Neo Marxism	Social Democratic	Neo-Liberals	New Right	Postmodernism

What are the four aims of education policy in the UK?

Educational Equality
Marketisation
Raising Standards

What are the 4 aspects of educational equality identified by Gillborn and Youdell

Explain	
Equality of Access	
Equality of circumstance	
Equality of Participation	
Equality of outcome	

Policies which increased equality in education

Policy	How it increased equality	Evaluation
1988 Education Reform Act – National curriculum		
1965 – Comprehensivisation Act		
Schools Admissions Code		
Policies that improve inequality in circumstances		

Selection and Admissions Policies

3 types of selection	Arguments against selection	Over Subscription Policies
Arguments in favour of selection	Open Enrolment Polices & Parental Choice	Covert Selection
		Tough and Brooks:

Marketisation

Privatisation in Education

Privatisation of Education

Parentocracy

Three features of marketisation

Three elements of quality control

Evaluation of Privatisation of Education

Positives	Negatives

Policies which promote Marketisation and Raising standards		
	Marketisation Policies	Raising Standards Policies
Conservative Govt 1979 – 1997		
Labour Govt 1997 – 2010		
Coalition Govt 2010 - 2015		

Evaluation of Marketisation policies and raising standards	
Myth of Parentocracy	
Educational Triage	
Dumbing Down	
Reduced quality control	

Globalisation

Migration

PISA Tests

PREVENT Policy

Features of Globalisation

Impact of Globalisation on Education

Perspectives views on Globalisation and Education

Hyper Globalist View	Marxist View	Neo-Liberal View	New Fordist View

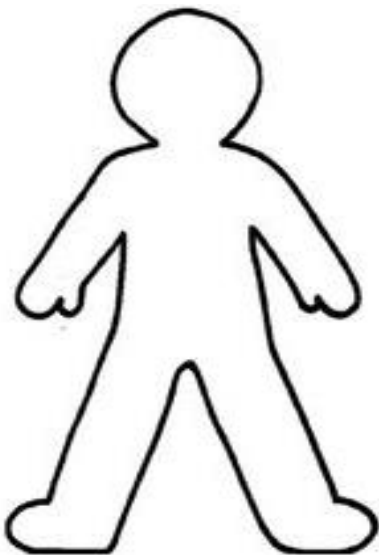
Setting

Streaming

Ideal Pupil

Self Fulfilling prophecy

Characteristics of an ideal pupil



Bernstein – Language Codes	
Restricted Code	Elaborate Code

Labelling Theory

Overview	
Evaluation	
Reactions	

Labelling – Case Studies

Rosenthal and Jacobson	Ray Rist	Hempel Jorgenson

Subcultures

Symbolic Capital

Symbolic Violence

Working Class Dilemma –

Pupil Subcultures

	Characteristics	Types Mac An Ghaill (1994)
	Pro – School Subcultures	
Anti – School subcultures	Characteristics	

Formation of Pupil Sub cultures - Lacey

Differentiation	Polarisation

How Schools shape Pupil Identities

Peer Groups and Symbolic Capital

Symbolic Violence – Archer

School Environments – Reay

Ethnocentric Curriculum – Ball

Subject Choice

Uniforms

Sub-Cultures

Labelling

Educational Achievement

Differential Educational Achievement

Internal Factors

External Factors

Official Statistics

Methods used to measure educational achievement.

Raw GCSE Grades

Progress and Attainment 8

University Acceptances

Issues with using these measures of educational achievement.

Differential Educational Achievement: Class (Internal Factors)

Factor	Outline	Impact on Achievement	Evaluation
Labelling			
Self Fulfilling Prophecy			
Setting / streaming			
Pupil sub cultures			
Pupil's class Identity.			

Middle Class

Working Class

Internal Factors

Educational Triage

A-C Economy

Cultural Deprivation means

Material Deprivation means

External Factors means

Cultural Deprivation

Material Deprivation

Bourdieu and Capital

Language	
Parents education	
Working class Subculture	

Overview	
Cost of Education	
Housing and Health	

Types of Capital	
Conversion	
Alice Sullivan (2001)	

Differential Educational Achievement: Ethnicity (External Factors)

Ethnicity

Trends in Ethnicity and Achievement

Cultural Deprivation

Material Deprivation

Language

Family Structures & Support

Attitudes and Values

Overview

Racism in wider Society

Overview

Labelling

Overview	
Racialised Expectations .	
Discipline	
Setting and Streaming	
Asian Pupils	

Pupil Identities

Overview			
Types of Identity	Ideal pupil identity	Pathologized pupil identify	Demonised pupil identity .

Pupil responses and subcultures

Rejection of Labels	
Failed Coping Strategies.	
Boys Responses to racist stereotypes.	

Institutional Racism

Critical Racism Theory	Marketisation & Segregation	Ethnocentric Curriculum	Assessment	Access to opportunities	New 'IQ ism

Differential Educational Achievement: Gender (Internal Factors)

Gender Gap in Achievement		Factor	Outline	Impact on Achievement	Evaluation
Starting school		Equal Opportunities			Liberal Feminists
		Role models			
Key Stage 1 - 3		GCSE and Coursework			Radical Feminists
		Key Stage 4			
Key Stage 5		Teacher Attention			
		Keys Stage 5			
Vocational Education		Challenging Stereotypes			
		League Tables / Selection			

Differential Educational Achievement: Gender (External Factors)

Factor	Outline	Impact on Achievement	Evaluation
Feminism			
Changes in the Family			
Changes in Women's employment			
Changing Girl's Ambitions			

Factor	Internal or External	Outline	Impact on Achievement
Literacy			
Crisis of Masculinity			
Feminisation of Education			
Lack of Male Primary teachers			
Laddish Sub Cultures			
Over Estimation of Ability			

Policies to improve Boys Achievement	
Raising Boys Achievement Project	
National Literacy Strategy	
Reading champions	
Playing for Success	
Dad's and Son's	
Recruitment of Male teachers	

Traditional subject Choices		
Boys	Neutral	Girls

Trends in subject choice at GCSE

Trends in subject choice at A Level

Trends in subject choice: Vocational Education

Explanations for trends in Subject Choice		
	Outline	Evaluation
Gender	GENDER ROLE SOCIALIZATION	
	GENDERED SUBJECT IMAGE	
	GENDER IDENTITIES & PEER GROUP PRESSURES	
Ethnicity	ETHNOCENTRIC CURRICULUM.	
	ENGLISH AS A ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE	
Class	MATERIAL FACTORS	
	CULTURAL FACTORS	
	LABELLING	