



# Upbringing in the Digital Age

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# Things not to forget

The UNESCO -Bulgarian initiative: "Children in an Information Age : Tomorrow's Problems Today" (1985 Varna)

International Conference and Exhibition on "Children in an Information ... International Conference and E





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### Research Group on Education – a big educational project



# Education and upbringing

upbringing - helping someone grow up to be an accepted member of the community.It is accepted, that:

- upbringing is given during the formative years of the child;
- the characteristics of the upbringing are strongly related to the type of society.







## Do we care about upbringing in the digital age?







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## Information ecology



A very effective upbringing in the information ecology









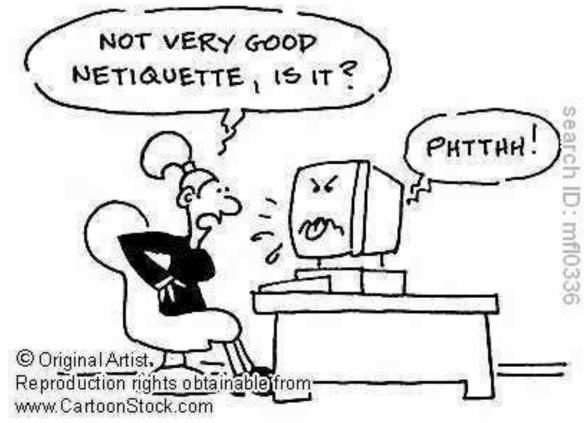






## The role of teachers

# The educational role may be taken partly by the IT, but **not** the upbringing



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# What has to be done?

 The democratic society has to define clearly its principles for the upbringing of children.

 A drastic change of the social status of the teachers is needed.









