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Explain the sociological significance of the New Education Policy and its thrust on vocationalization and skill development

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NEP 2020

Policy that foregrounds vocationalization, flexibility and skill ecosystems.

Caste and occupation

Historical closure that vocational schooling may either break or rename.

New middle class

Still uses English degrees as status; may treat skill as other people's policy.

Informal labour

The employment reality skill policy must meet, shown starkly in the pandemic.

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