



# 5 WAYS EDUCATION CAN ADVANCE PEACE AND JUSTICE

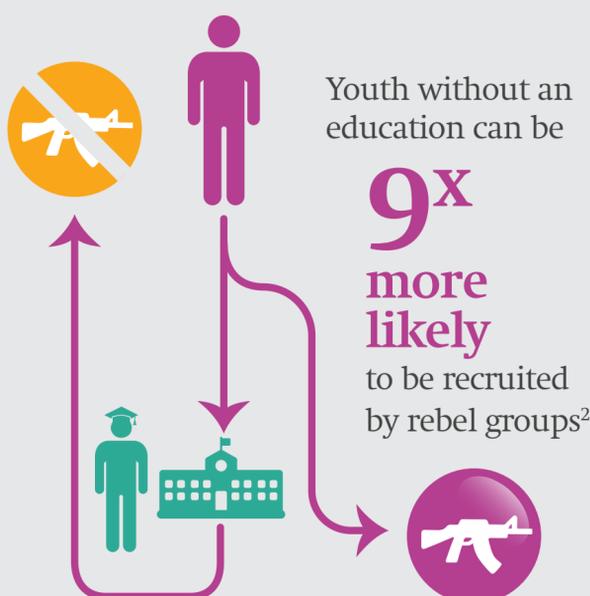


Ensuring quality education for all is central to the achievement of all 17 Global Goals, in particular the goal to promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all, and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels.

## 1. EDUCATION DECREASES THE RISK OF CONFLICT



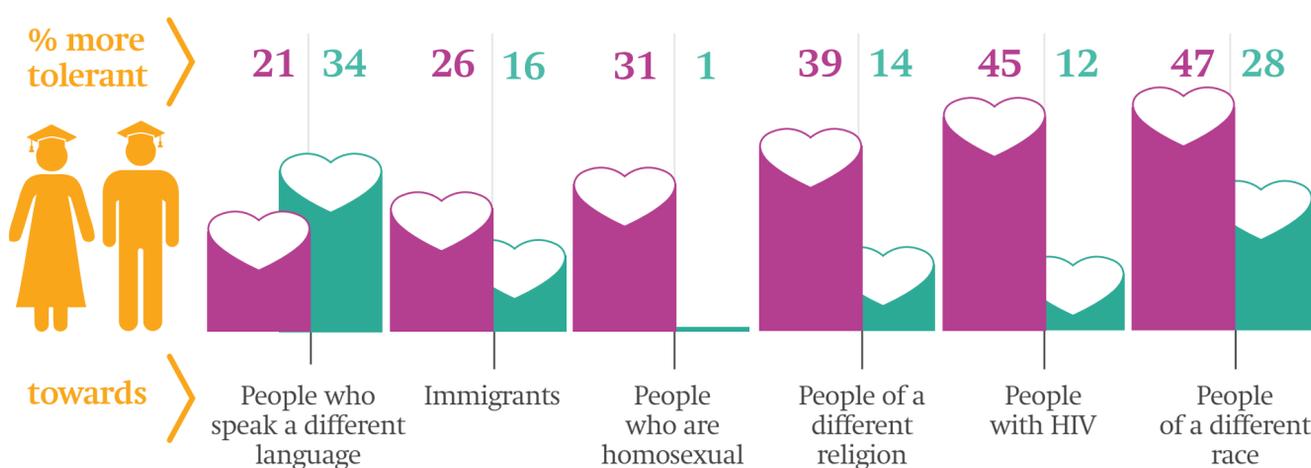
## 2. EDUCATION EMPOWERS YOUTH & KEEPS THEM AWAY FROM CONFLICT



## 3. EDUCATION MAKES PEOPLE MORE TOLERANT

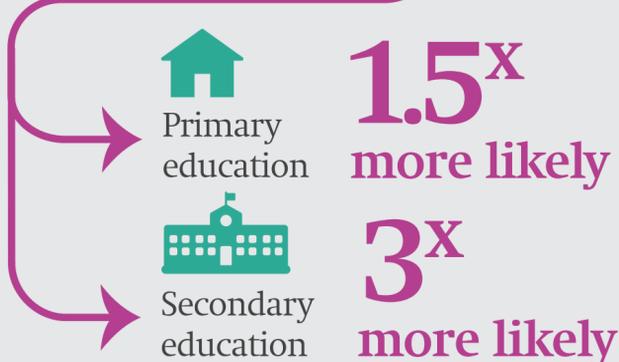
People with a secondary education showed more tolerance than those with just a primary education<sup>3</sup>

Latin America  
Arab States



## 4. EDUCATION INCREASES SUPPORT FOR DEMOCRACY

Across 18 sub-Saharan African countries, educated people of voting age are more likely to express support for democracy compared to people with no education:<sup>4</sup>



## 5. EDUCATION PROMOTES PEACE & HELPS COMMUNITIES PREVENT & COPE WITH CONFLICT

- Rebuilding education systems after war **builds trust and accountability** with governments
- Formal primary education helps **restore hope to communities**, showing that their lives can return to normal<sup>5</sup>
- Psychosocial programs in primary schools **decrease psychological distress** and restore optimism<sup>6</sup>



The Global Partnership for Education supports 65 developing countries to ensure that every child receives a quality basic education, prioritizing the poorest, most vulnerable and those living in fragile and conflict-affected countries.

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