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Title: Need to include the teachings of Mahatma Gandhi in the curriculum of schools and colleges in the country-laid.

SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR (NAGPUR): In the present scenario, the society is increasingly becoming bereft of basic fundamental human values. Too much violence, hatred, conflict, strife for one reason or the other is visible which is enough to fill us with a sense of despair. Realising this, the United Nations General Assembly declared to observe Gandhiji's birthday as an International Day of Non-violence. Quite a number of countries have honoured Gandhiji by one way or other and in fact have adopted his teachings as a curriculum in their educational institutions. New Jersey have also adopted the teachings of Mahatma Gandhi as one of the subjects of studies. In the said context of rising non-violence in the society it would be practicable and beneficial to adopt the teachings of Mahatma Gandhi as one of the subjects in the curriculum of our schools and colleges to imbibe the spirit of nationalism and non-violence in the lives of the coming generation.