BACKGROUND: The subdivision -Education is used under classes of persons and ethnic groups for works on the education of these persons or groups, and under monastic and religious orders and Christian denominations for works on education provided by these orders or denominations. This instruction sheet provides guidelines for using this subdivision.

1. Classes of persons and ethnic groups.

   a. General. In accordance with H 1100 and H 1103, use the free-floating subdivision -Education (May Subd Geog) under classes of persons and ethnic groups for works on education provided for these persons or groups.

   Under occupational groups and types of employees use -Education only for works on the general education of these groups or on education in special subjects not related to their occupation (cf. H 2217, sec. 1.d.). For works on instructing and preparing occupational groups and types of employees for their occupation, use -Training of under occupational groups and types of employees (cf. H 2217, sec. 1.a.).

   Note: In order to avoid redundancy, do not use the subdivision -Education or -Education ([level of education]) under the heading Students or under headings for particular groups of students. Instead, use the unsubdivided heading and/or one or more of the following types of headings, as appropriate for the item being cataloged:

   [heading for the broader group of people] -Education
   [heading for the appropriate level or type of education]
   [heading for the topic] -Study and teaching

   Examples:

   Use College students (without the subdivision -Education) and/or Education, Higher, as appropriate. Do not use College students -Education.

   Use Chinese American students (without the subdivision -Education) and/or Chinese Americans -Education, as appropriate. Do not use Chinese American students -Education.

   use Law students (without the subdivision -Education) and/or Law -Study and teaching, as appropriate. Do not use Law students -Education.
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   b. By topic. Use of the subdivision –Education–[topic] under classes of persons and ethnic groups for works on education provided in a specific field was discontinued in 1996. Instead, assign a heading for the class of persons or ethnic group divided by –Education, and an additional heading of the type [topic]–Study and teaching. Subdivide by place if appropriate.  Example:

   Title:  Teaching science to handicapped youth.  
   650 #0 $a Youth with disabilities $x Education.  
   650 #0 $a Science $x Study and teaching.

   c. By educational level. Use the free-floating subdivision –Education (level of education)– for works on education provided for these persons or groups at a particular level.

   For lists of parenthetical qualifiers, see H 1100 or H 1103.

   Subdivide the heading further by place, if appropriate.  Examples:

   650 #0 $a Hispanic Americans $x Education (Secondary) $z Florida.  
   650 #0 $a Blind $x Education (Higher) $z United States.

2. Individual persons and literary authors. Use the subdivision –Knowledge and learning under names of individual persons, including literary authors, for general works on an individual's education, learning, and scholarship, or the subdivision –Knowledge–[topic] for works on an individual's knowledge of, or educational background in, a specific topic.

   For complete instructions on the use of these subdivisions, see H 1110.

   Do not use the subdivision –Education under names of individual persons or literary authors.
3. Monastic and religious orders; Christian denominations. In accordance with H 1186 and H 1187, use the free-floating subdivision –Education (May Subd Geog) under individual monastic and religious orders, and under Christian denominations, for works on education provided by these orders or denominations.

Under individual monastic and religious orders, use the subdivision –Education also for works on education received by members of these orders.

For works on the role of the major religions in education, use established phrase headings, for example, Buddhism and education, Hinduism and education, Islamic education, Christian education.

4. Examples.

Title: Art not by eye: the previously sighted visually impaired adult in fine arts programs.
650 #0 $a Blind $x Education.
650 #0 $a Art $x Study and teaching.

Title: What every athlete needs to know about getting a college education.
650 #0 $a Athletes $x Education (Higher) $z United States.
650 #0 $a Universities and colleges $z United States.
650 #0 $a College sports $z United States.

Title: The administration of American Jesuit colleges in the 20th century.
610 20 $a Jesuits $x Education $z United States $x History $y 20th century.
650 #0 $a Catholic universities and colleges $z United States $x Administration $x History $y 20th century.

Title: Helping Southern Baptist churches grow.
650 #0 $a Church growth $x Southern Baptist Convention.
610 20 $a Southern Baptist Convention $x Education.