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Q. Should coaching be restricted to those above 16 years of age in India? Discuss the impact of this new rule, its effectiveness, & the way forward in addressing the issues within the coaching industry. (GS-2, 15m, 250w)

According to 2021 survey, more than one-third of students in India take private coaching classes in all grades.

Coaching cannot be scraped down for those above 16 years of age because students are preparing for competitive exams like JEE, NEET whose preparations needs additional help which is not provided by the schools.

Good

## Impact

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Children can now be able to enjoy their childhood & focus on extra curricular activities

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### -ve impact

Extremely serious & career oriented students who had already joined the classes might be under lot of pressure

Good.

Need

To regulate uncontrolled growth of private coaching centers

To curb exploitative practices

Prevent students committing suicides

## Effectiveness

① Ban on Misleading Advertisement will not give students false hope.

② Mandatory Registration of coaching centres will help to keep a check on them.

③ Fee changes prohibition during the course will give parents a relief

④ Pro rata refund mid course will allow the child to leave the course if she feels doing something else.

⑤ Complaint Mechanism will abide the centres to work properly.

⑥ Off time will provide much needed rest to both students & teachers

BUT all the guidelines issued by the Mo Education will only be effective if there is a proper Committee or Commission to keep a check on the coaching centres

Good Points.

Also discuss  
argument  
against  
rule.



## Way Forward

- Good Points.*
- ① Coaching centers need to show the students the reality & success rate of the exams before hand.
  - ② Each coaching center can appoint a counselor to help students.
  - ③ Ask parents not ~~to~~ to put Parental pressure.
  - ④ Make students realise there ~~are~~ is ample of opportunities other than this.
  - ⑤ Regular inspection of coaching centers.
  - ⑥ Mental health awareness.

The coaching industry in India is expected to grow to ₹2 trillion by 2025. This industry has now become a part of our culture which needs effective upgradation measures, as youths future is as per there is in the hands of coaching centers & India's Future is the Youth.

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