

NOMADIC EDUCATION

Among the approaches to dealing with the unique problem of educating nomadic populations are:

1. Boarding schools: these will remove the children from their families and environment and are costly.
2. Seasonal schooling: for certain times of the year, especially the dry seasons, the nomads remain restricted to areas near the sources of permanent water.
3. Mobile schools: in which the teachers move with the population and the pupils are taught within their environment. Such schools could be coupled with back-up units operating from fixed bases using Land Rovers for short visits to the mobile groups.
4. Use of radio.

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