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has a significant impact on all facets of life and protects against cognitive decline and dementia.



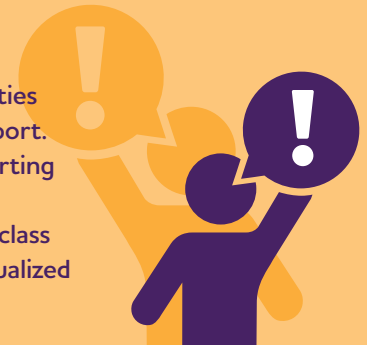
Studies show that people receiving **EVEN A FEW ADDITIONAL YEARS OF FORMAL EDUCATION HAVE LESS MEMORY DECLINE AS THEY AGE** compared with those with fewer years of formal education.

Studies also demonstrate the **IMPORTANCE OF LITERACY**, as those who are literate have significantly less cognitive decline compared with those who are illiterate.



COMMUNITIES HAVE WORKED TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO QUALITY EDUCATION FOR ALL THROUGH:

- Improving access to college opportunities.
- Increasing educational resources in communities without adequate support.
- Investing in and supporting high quality teachers.
- Implementing smaller class sizes and more individualized instruction.



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