

Ethical Education Is Everywhere...

EXCELLENCE IS AN ART WON BY TRAINING AND HABITUATION: WE DO NOT ACT RIGHTLY BECAUSE WE HAVE VIRTUE OR EXCELLENCE, BUT WE RATHER HAVE THESE BECAUSE WE HAVE ACTED RIGHTLY; 'THESE VIRTUES ARE FORMED IN MAN BY HIS DOING THE ACTIONS'; WE ARE WHAT WE REPEATEDLY DO. EXCELLENCE, THEN, IS NOT AN ACT BUT A HABIT: 'THE GOOD OF MAN IS A WORKING OF THE SOUL IN THE WAY OF EXCELLENCE IN A COMPLETE LIFE... FOR AS IT IS NOT ONE SWALLOW OR ONE FINE DAY THAT MAKES A SPRING, SO IT IS NOT ONE DAY OR A SHORT TIME THAT MAKES A MAN BLESSED AND HAPPY.'

- WILL DURANT -

Ethical Education in Classics ~ 'Aristotle's "Ethics", explained by Will Durant'

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