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## Schooling of Girls: Inequalities and Persistence

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Girls and women face specific forms of discrimination

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in accessing education, within education systems

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and through education. Although sex is an expressly

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prohibited grounds of discrimination under international

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human rights law, it is important to recognise that

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women and girls are highly heterogeneous. Gender

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inequality and discrimination to, in and through

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education is experienced in varying forms and at

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all levels by women and girls, depending on their

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personal, local and national context.

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Common Challenges include:

1) the gender pay gap - women, on average, earn less than men.

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- 2) Unequal political participation and representation
- 3) Under-representation in certain fields, such as in science, technology, engineering, maths (STEM), as well as sports, in particular in leadership positions.
- 4) lack of flexible working arrangements, parental leave, maternity benefits
- 5) lack of access to healthcare
- 6) exposure to gender-based violence against women, including harmful practices.

Resistance :-

- 1) Lack of free accommodation facilities
- 2) Poverty
- 3) Concerns for girls' chastity
- 4) Need for girls' labor

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5) Need for free transportation

08 6) Early marriages

09 7) High Unemployment rates

10 8) Negative comments of Educated Men

11 9) Bullying is a serious problem and appears  
12 to be a significant factor in girls'  
01 decisions to self-exclude.

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