

## Adult Education for Transformation and Security Challenges in Nigeria

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**Abstract :** The paper examines adult education and how it can be employed as a strategy for transformation and security challenges in Nigeria. It defines the meaning of adult education and its objectives. The issue of the necessity of employing adult education as a strategy for transformation and security challenges was also examined in the paper. In doing this it discussed the different types of adult education programmes, i.e. continuing education, literacy education, retirement and pre-retirement education and civic education. The paper concluded by stating that if the programmes stated are internalized and applied they can help to raise awareness. Finally the paper proffered some recommendations one of which was that government should at all levels increase their efforts or promoting acquisition of adult education.

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