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The task of assuring equal educational opportunity is a challenge to our total society. This challenge includes citizenship, employment, housing, religion, education, etc. Each of these contributes to the fulfillment of equal educational opportunity and toward the achievement of our democratic goals. Although this statement is primarily concerned with the role of education, it must be recognized that these goals are interdependent and must operate simultaneously in order to accomplish our desired aims. While our charge is to spell out the educational implications, full and complete integration depends upon the democratic operation of all our civil rights.

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