

The Council was born in 1985, with the main goal of easier participation in educational politics for all the agents involved in private or public schools: Students, Parents, Teachers, Founders of private schools, etc.

Its advisory role is particularly important in Spain, because our country's decentralized structure, where Regions benefit of an important autonomy, allowing any Region to make legislative and budget decisions.

The Education State Council:

- a) Supervises the national educational laws and rules which are applicable to every Spanish Region, issuing reports over each piece of legislation. The suggestions of these reports are usually taken into consideration by the Spanish Government.
- b) Makes an Annual Report over the Spanish educational system, which includes improving proposals addressed to the Ministry of Education, Autonomous Regions and the whole Society.
- c) Publishes "Participation in Education", which is a magazine where we can find interesting articles about the present and future of education.
- d) Organises meetings with the Education Regional Councils to find out the best ways to improve and update our schools.