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Abbreviations and Acronyms

3EA Education in Emergencies Evidence for Action

AIDS Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome

C4D Communication for Development

CASEL Collaborative for Academic, Social and Emotional Learning

CBO Community-Based Organization

CCCI2 Civic Competence Composite Indicators 2
CPF Conceptual and Programmatic Framework

CSO Civil Society Organization

ECE Early Childhood Education

FRESH Focusing Resources on Effective School Health Partnership (UNESCO)

GPE Global Partnership for Education **HIV** Human Immunodeficiency Virus

Inter-Agency Standing Committee on Mental Health and Psychosocial Support

International Civic and Citizenship Education Study

ICFGEO International Commission on Financing Global Education Opportunity

ICT Information and Communication Technology

ILO International Labour Organization

INEE Inter-agency Network for Education in Emergencies
ISCED International Standard Classification of Education

ITU International Telecommunication Union

IYF International Youth Foundation
Learning Management System

LSCE Life Skills and Citizenship Education

LSE Life Skills Education

M&E Monitoring and Evaluation

MENA Middle East and North Africa

MEHE Ministry of Education and Higher Education

MHPSS Mental Health and Psychosocial Support

MOEHE Ministry of Education and Higher Education

MoA Ministry of Agriculture
MoL Ministry of Labour

MoSA Ministry of Social Affairs

NEET Not in Education, Employment or Training

NESP National Education Sector Plans
NGO Non-Governmental Organization
NVTC National Vocational Training Centre

OECD Organization for Economic Co-Operation and Development
PISA Programme for International Student Assessment (OECD)

RORE Rates of Return to Education

SDG Sustainable Development Goal

SEA-PLM Southeast Asia Primary Learning Metric

SEL Social and Emotional Learning

STEM Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics

TIMSS Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study

TVET Technical and Vocational Education and Training

UIS UNESCO Institute of Statistics

UN United Nations

UNDP United Nations Development Programme

UNESCO United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

UNFPA United Nationals Population Fund

UNGEI United Nations Girls' Education Initiative

UNICEF United Nations Refugee Agency
UNICEF United Nations Children's Fund

UNRWA United Nations Relief and Works Agency
USAID United States Agency for Development

USD United States DollarWFP World Food ProgrammeWHO World Health OrganizationxLOB Experiential Learning Objects



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